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AN ACT

To Incorporate the City of Indianola.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Texas:* That the citizens of Indianola, in the county of Calhoun, be a body corporate by the name and style of "The City of Indianola," and by that name may sue and be sued, plead and be impleaded, in all courts and in matters and actions whatsoever, and by that name may purchase, hold and dispose of any Estate real or personal; and may have a common seal which they may alter or change at their pleasure.

SEC. 2. That the boundaries of said City and the limits within which said Corporation shall exercise jurisdiction, shall begin on the north, at the mouth of White's bayou; thence down Matagorda bay so as to include the harbor in front of Powder Horn bayou, thence with said bayou and Lake to a point, one mile on a straight line South-west from the said bay of Matagorda; thence in a straight line to a point one mile due South-west from the mouth of White's bayou; thence to the said place of beginning: Provided, that whenever the proper courts of law shall decide that the titles of Benito Morales and Juan Cano are valid ones, all the lands within their original grants which by this Act are placed or described within the limits of said Corporation, shall be considered as stricken out therefrom and altogether exempted from all the provisions of this Charter.

SEC. 3. That there shall be elected by the citizens in said corporate limits annually, by ballot on the first Monday of January, in each and every year, One Mayor, one Recorder and eight Aldermen, to serve one year, or until their successors are qualified, who shall constitute the City Council, which election shall be held by the Mayor and two Aldermen, except the first, which shall be held by the Chief Justice of the county as early as practicable after the passage of this act, by giving ten days public notice. The City Council immediately after being qualified shall appoint one Treasurer, one Assessor and Tax Collector, One Marshal, and such other officers as may be necessary to carry out the provisions of this Charter. The Treasurer and Assessor and Collector shall each give bond and security for the faithful discharge of their duties in such an amount and form as the Council may determine. At the first election for Mayor, Recorder and Aldermen every resident of the City shall be entitled to vote, who has resided six months therein previous to the election and has paid a State and County Tax.

SEC. 4. That any resident of the City who has resided therein for six months preceding the election and has paid a tax on real estate, or any business, upon which a tax has been levied by the Council shall be entitled to vote for Mayor, Recorder and Aldermen, and shall be eligible to hold office. No person shall hold the office of Mayor or Recorder unless he be a qualified voter for members of the Legislature.

SEC. 5. That before entering upon the discharge of the duties of their respective offices, the Mayor, Recorder and Aldermen and other City officers shall take and subscribe an oath to perform the duties thereof to the best of their abilities, which oath the Mayor shall take before the Chief Justice of the county or a Justice of the Peace, and such other officers before the Mayor or Recorder.

SEC. 6. That the Mayor and Recorder shall have all the authority and power of Justices of the Peace and concurrent jurisdiction civil and criminal, and a Marshal all the authority of a constable in the county.

SEC. 7. That the Council shall have full power and authority to make and pass such ordinances and bye-laws as they shall deem necessary to maintain the cleanliness of the city, to secure the safe and convenient passage of the streets, side walks and public ways, to prevent encroachments on the public grounds, works or city property, order and determine the construction of the side walks at the cost of the proprietors of the lots in front of which the improvements are to be made, to establish an active inspection over the conduct of slaves, to determine in what part of the city wooden buildings and wooden chimneys may be erected, to regulate the keeping and sale of gunpowder within the city, to determine the means to be resorted to in order to prevent and extinguish conflagrations; to establish one or more market places and to determine the mode of inspection of all comestables sold publicly; to regulate every thing relating to bakers, butchers, tavern keepers, oyster houses, restaurats, eating houses and grog shops, except the prices of the articles vended: and to control all public wharves, landing places and bridges within the city limits; to fix a uniform rate of drayage, taxes on carriages, omnibuses, hacks and other vehicles, to regulate the rate of fare on the same, and to regulate the price of wharfage and harbor dues, to appoint a city guard or watch, and make such regulations regulating the discipline and management thereof, as may be necessary, to fix uniform prices for licences, to pedlars and hawkers, to erect all public buildings, and to make all other regulations which may contribute to the better administration of the affairs of said Corporation, as well as for the maintainance of the tranquility and safety of the same,—Provided, that no ordinance of said corporation shall be enforced that is contrary to the laws of this State, or of the United States: and all official acts of said corporation shall be sanctioned by a majority of all the members present and voting, except the levying of tax, which shall require the votes of two thirds of all the members of said corporation.

SEC. 8. That no ordinance shall take effect or be enforced until the same has been published for five days in the corporation.

SEC. 9. That the city council shall have power to levy and collect a tax not to exceed one per cent. ad valoreur on all lots and lands, and an ad valorem tax not to exceed one-fifth of one per cent. upon improvements annually, and one-fourth of one per cent. on all the slaves within the corporation for municipal purposes, also a poll tax of one dollar each on all the males of the age of twenty-one years who do not pay a tax on property.

SEC. 10. That the council shall have power to levy and collect a tax not to exceed one-fourth of one per cent. annually upon all real estate within the limits of the corporation for the express purpose of raising a school fund, and the proceeds of said tax shall be applied to no other purpose than that of advancing the course of education, in the town of Indianola.

SEC. 11. That a majority of the Aldermen shall constitute a quorum to do business. The Mayor shall preside at all the meetings of the council (except when prevented by sickness or otherwise, when the Aldermen present shall appoint one of their body to preside) and shall convene the board whenever requested so to do by three of the Aldermen in writing.

SEC. 12. That whenever any order, resolution, bye-law or ordinance may be passed by the council and is disagreed to by the Mayor, it shall be inoperative unless the same shall be passed by a majority of the whole number of Aldermen, taken by yeas and nays, and recorded upon the journal of proceedings.

SEC. 13. That the city council shall have power to appropriate so much of the revenue of the city to the improvement of the public roads within or without the corporation limits leading into the city as they in their wisdom may think proper and expedient.

SEC. 14. That all processes emanating from the Mayor or Recorder may be executed by the Sheriff, any Constable of the county, or the city Marshal in the same manner that similar processes from the Justices of the Peace are executed.

SEC. 15. That after the expiration of the time prescribed by law for the payment of the city taxes, the city Marshal, or such officer as the council may charge therewith, may proceed to seize upon any property, real or personal, the tax on which has not been paid, or that belongs to a delinquent tax payer, and after making publication in some newspaper in the city, or by posting at three public places in said city if there be no paper, for twenty days, specifying the time and place of sale, with a description of the property, may sell to the highest bidder so much of said property as will pay the tax thereon or may be due from such delinquents, as the case may be, together with all costs, and the officer selling shall give the purchaser a certificate stating the amount of tax and costs paid, and describing the property sold which shall entitle the purchaser to a deed for said property at the expiration of twelve months from the Mayor of the city; but such certificate may be redeemed in one year from the day of sale, by the owner of the property sold, or some person for them, by payment of double the amount of tax and costs paid by the holder, which payment may be made either to the city Treasurer for the use of the holder of said certificate, or to the holder thereof in person, but if the certificate of purchase be not redeemed in the time specified then the holder may demand, and it shall be the duty of the Mayor to give a deed to such holder conveying all the rights and interests of the person in whose name the property was assessed and sold, which deed shall be signed by the Mayor in his official capacity, and countersigned by the Recorder under the city seal; *Provided*, that none of such assessments or sales or other action of said corporation shall ever be made to effect in any manner whatever the rights or titles of those persons who may hold lots or land within the said corporation limits under mesne conveyances from Juan Cano or Benito Morales made in virtue of grants respectively issued to the said Cano and Morales by the State of Coahuila and Texas, and that nothing contained herein shall be so construed as a recognition of title in said Cano or Morales, or their assigns.

SEC. 16. That whenever it may be deemed necessary the council shall divide the city into a convenient number of wards, each ward to be represented by at least one Alderman.

SEC. 17. That the council shall have power to assess and collect, for the use of the city an annual licence tax upon all persons pursuing any trade, occupation or profession, upon which a license tax may be imposed by law, and shall have power to assess and collect a tax upon all public shows, circuses, or other exhibitions for money.

SEC. 18. That the city council shall have power to create a loan and negotiate her bonds to any amount so to exceed forty thousand dollars for the benefit of the city; *Provided*, that the purpose for which said loan is to be effected shall be made public and a proposition distictly submitted to the legal voters of the city and sustained by a vote of two-thirds thereof.

Approved January 7th, 1853.

ACQUITTED.—The trial of Rev. John H. Brown, before his Presbytery, sitting in Lexington, Ky., has we are informed, resulted in his triumphant acquittal of all the charges brought against him.

AN ACT

To Incorporate the Indianola and Victoria Plank and Turnpike Road Company.

SEC. 1. *Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Texas*, That Charles A. Ogsbury, Cambuis Exter, James Ashworth, Jas. H. Dale, H. J. Hunt, Jno. D. Logan, Geo. F. Rodgers, and their associates, successors be, and they are hereby created and established a body corporate under the name of the "Indianola and Victoria Turnpike Road Company" with capacity, in said corporate name to contract and to make bye-laws for the regulation of its affairs, to sue and be sued, to have execution and a common seal, and generally to do and perform all acts necessary and proper for the maintainance of its rights, and in accordance with the constitution of the State.

SEC. 2. That the said company be and is hereby invested with the right of locating, constructing, owning and maintaining a plank or turnpike road, commencing within the corporate limit of the town of Indianola, thence running by such course and to such point at or near Victoria, as the company shall deem most suitable, with the privilege of making such branches and extensions as they may think expedient.

SEC. 3. That the parties named in this act, or a majority of them, with such persons as they may associate with themselves for such purpose, are hereby appointed commissioners and invested with the right of forming and organizing said company, and of exercising the powers of directors, said directors are elected by the stockholders.

SEC. 4. That the capital stock of said company shall be one hundred thousand dollars, to be divided into shares of fifty dollars each, each share entitling the owner thereof to one vote at all meetings of the company, the ownership of the several shares being determined by the exhibit of the original certificate duly assigned, if not in the hand of the first holder, or proof of their ownership; said company being authorized to increase their capital stock to such an amount as may be necessary for the purpose herein specified.

SEC. 5. That, until the stockholders shall elect a board of directors, consisting of five persons, each one of whom shall own five shares at least, the commissioners above named, or a majority of them, shall have the power to appoint all officers necessary and proper for such association, and to make all contracts which may be necessary for carrying into effect the provisions of this charter, not conflicting with the constitution and laws of the United States; and that, when such board of directors is elected, their powers to be the same as are conferred upon the commissioners, and the powers of the commissioners to cease.

SEC. 6. That the commissioners or directors shall have the power to dispose of the shares in said capital stock, in such a manner, as they may deem best for the interests of the company. Any agreement in in writing whereby any person shall become a subscriber, may be enforced against him according to its terms. And all contracts made by the company shall be in writing and executed in such form as the commissioners or directors may adopt in their bye-laws.

SEC. 7. That the said corporation shall have the power to appropriate such width on the immediate route of said road, and within one hundred feet on each side of it, as may be necessary for the construction of said road or gate, upon compensating the owners or claimants of such lands for the same at their cash valuation, and for such further amount of damages which such owner may sustain in consequence of said road, which compensation and damages shall be ascertained in the following manner. The corporation shall present a petition to the Chief Justice of the county in which such land or lands may be situated, describing what lands are required for the use of said road or roads, and stating as near as can be ascertained, who are the owners or claimants of said land. Whereupon the Chief Justice then appoints a day not less than twenty days nor more than forty days from the time of filing said application, for the parties interested to appear before him, to ascertain the value of such lands and the amount of damage to which the owner may be entitled. Twenty days notice of the time and place of such hearing shall be given by notice posted up in three public places of the county by written notice delivered to such owners or claimants as are residents of the county. And on the day so appointed by the said Chief Justice, or on any subsequent day to which such proceedings may be adjourned, and if the parties cannot agree upon a valuation, then the Chief Justice shall, with the assistance of the Clerk of the county court, draw from the jury boxes of said county the names of six disinterested freeholders of and residents of said county, and said Chief Justice then issues a subpœna directed to the Sheriff or other legal officer, commanding him to summon said jurors to appear before him, at his office, on a day to be named, for the meeting of said jury. If the whole number do not attend, the Chief Justice shall in like manner draw other jurors to supply the places of those who fail to attend, who shall be subpœned to attend forthwith; and when a jury of six shall be made up, the Chief Justice shall administer to them an oath or affirmation well and truly to inquire and a true appraisement make of the cash value of the land or lands sought to be condemned by said corporation, under the provision of this act, and the damages which the owners or claimants may sustain in consequence of said road. The said jury, or any member thereof, shall have power to examine on oath or affirmation to be administered by any of said jury all such witnesses as may be brought before them by any party interested, and may continue their session from day to day, not exceeding three days. A majority of said jury shall agree to the appraisement, which shall be in writing and signed by those who agree to it, and shall continue a particular description of the land or lands appraised. Such appraisement shall be returned to and recorded in the office of the county clerk of the county court, in which the land is situated. Upon payment of the amount of such appraisement to the owner of the land appraised, or to the county treasurer of the county, in which the land is situated, for the use of the owner or claimant, said land shall be considered as condemned and appropriated to the use and benefit of said corporation, for the purpose contemplated by this act. Should the majority of the jury not be able to agree on an appraisement, other jurors shall be drawn and subpœned, and proceed in like manner as the original jury, until an appraisement is made. The said jurors shall each be allowed one dollar and fifty cents per day for their services and they shall assess a reasonable amount of for costs of the proceeding, directed by this section, including their own pay, which shall be paid by said corporation to the Chief Justice, for the use of the parties for whom it was assessed.

SEC. 8. That said company may acquire by purchase, donation, or in payment for stock such real estate, as the commissioners or directors may think desirable to aid in the construction or maintainance of said road; and such real estate so acquired, as well as the road itself, may be mortgaged by a vote of three-fifths of the directors, for the purpose of raising money on their bonds for the construction of said road.

SEC. 9. That said company shall have power to borrow money on their bonds, secured by mortgage as in the preceding section, at such rates of interest as the directors may deem expedient.

SEC. 10. That a vote of two-thirds of the stockholders shall be sufficient at any time to remove any board of directors and appoint others in their stead; *provided* that any meeting for such purpose shall only be called by a notice to that effect, published for four successive weeks in the nearest newspaper, and signed by one-fourth of the stockholders.

SEC. 11. That the first election of directors shall take place at such time, as the commissioners shall appoint within nine months from the 1st day of Feb., 1853, and be conducted in such manner and form as they shall adopt, adhering to the rights of the stockholders and the general provisions of this charter. The place of said first election being the town of Indianola, and that all subsequent elections shall take place in twelve months after the first election, and in vacancy by death, resignation, or otherwise, shall be filled by the directors.

SEC. 12. That the counties and corporate towns, through which the road may pass, shall have power to take one-third part of the capital stock of the company, and issue their bonds to the company for the same, bearing eight per cent. interest, payable semi-annually; *provided*, the question of taking the same be first submitted to the legal voters of the said towns and counties, and two-thirds of the votes cast to in favor of said subscription, and provided that due notice of such meeting of the legal voters be published by the county court and town council, for at least four weeks before said meeting; and that the said towns and counties shall have right to lay and collect such taxes upon the real and personal estate of said towns and counties, not being more than twenty-five cents annually upon every one hundred dollars of taxable property, as may be necessary for the punctual payment of the interests and principal of said bonds.

SEC. 13. That said company shall, also, have the right, *provided* no other chartered company now existing shall make a railway, or commence the construction of a railway within one year, from the 1st day of February, 185 , within twenty miles of a direct line from the town of Indianola to Victoria, to change their plank and turnpike road into an iron railway, for the running of cars by steam, should they hereafter deem the plank road inexpedient, with such rights, privileges and guarantees, and under such restrictions, so far as the same are applicable, as are prescribed by "AN ACT to incorporate the San Antonio Railroad Company", approved September 1st, 1850, and the act supplementary thereto, approved February 14th, 1852."

SEC. 14. That the company shall be and are hereby authorized to charge and collect the following rates of toll; viz: for ox-wagons with two or four yoke of oxen, five cents per mile; for horse-wagons with four or six horses, five cents per mile; for ox-carts, one or three yoke of oxen, four cents per mile; for pleasure carriages or two horse wagons, four cents per mile; for man and horse one cent per mile; for horses, mules, cattle, each one-half cent per mile.

SEC. 15. That all real estate not used by said company, in actual occupation, for the ordinary purposes of their road, shall be alienated within ten years from the granting of this charter, or shall be forfeited to the State.

SEC. 16. That if this road is not commenced within one year from the first day of February, 1853, and one-half thereof completed within two years thereafter, then this charter shall be null and void.

Approved February 7th, 1853.

☞ We have had the pleasure of making the acquaintance of Lysle Smith, Esq., editor of the Chicago Sentinel, who is now on a visit to our city. His reputation as an advocate and prominent leader of the whig party, as well as editor, is too well known to the public to need any comment. We are glad to find that Mr. Smith is pleased with the appearance and prospects of Galveston, which, he says, so nearly resembles what Chicago was a few years ago, that the two places could scarcely be told apart, except that the one is on a fresh, and the other on a salt water bay. But Chicago, within the past ten or twelve years, has grown with a rapidity almost without a parallel, and is now one of the largest cities of the Union, enjoying a vast amount of trade, both inland and by Lake navigation. But the question presents itself: are the commercial advantages of Chicago superior to those of Galveston? And can we hope for a similar rapid growth for this city? We know that in attempting to look into the future, we are always prone to keep in view the bright side of the picture; but with all due allowances for any disadvantages we may labor under, we cannot see what is to prevent Galveston from rivaling Chicago in population and the extent of its commerce, *provided only its inhabitants exert the same degree of energy and enterprize.* Chicago is the best port in Illinois, and Galveston is the best in Texas. Chicago has a large and fertile back country; but Galveston has a back country still larger in extent, fully equal in fertility, and with a climate far more congenial and inviting. But Chicago has railroads of vast extent, and her roads are still being extended and multiplied with a degree of activity and public spirit almost unrivaled any where else. This makes the difference. The first railroad from Galveston will be the commencement of our commercial prosperity. Even a road connecting our city with the main land, and not costing over fifty thousand dollars, would surmount the only serious obstacle that has ever existed to the rapid advancement of this city. Can we do this much? No, the only question is: *Will* we do it?—*News.*

JUDGE DOUGLAS.—Judge Douglas on the 14 Feb., made a most able and statesman-like expose of the history of the Monroe doctrine, and the manner its application had been shirked, as often as it was brought practically in some tangible form before the Government. He alluded especially to the infraction of the doctrine, when forty-nine degrees were accepted by Mr. Buchanan, as the northern limit of Oregon, by which means a territory more than eight times as great as the territory of Pennsylvania, was, by treaty, opened to British colonization, and to the Clayton-Bulwer treaty, every clause of which, Mr. Douglas insisted, was a practical violation of the Monroe doctrine, and an invitation to European Governments to come and interfere in the affairs of this continent. He had been opposed to every clause in that treaty, and to the whole of it as well as the preamble; and time had only confirmed his judgment as to the object and consequences of that fatal document. Judge Douglas' speech was very able and argumentative, and entirely free from all claptrap or appeal to the passions. He spoke as a statesman, calm and with deliberation, and his words produced a visible effect on the Senate.—*Cor. N. O. Picayune.*

LITERARY WAR AMONGST THE WOMEN.—Mrs. Stowe's Uncle Tom's Cabin induced the re-publication of Mrs. Hale's Northwood, and sympathy for the imaginary Uncle Tom aroused the Duchess of Sutherland and a host of Mrs. Jellybys in England, to whose tender sensibilities Mrs Tyler, lady of ex-President Tyler, has applied some rough truths that have created considerable agony. Mrs. T. hits her English sisters very severely, and as a proof of her ability she has aroused the ire of Horace Greely. It is now suggested, that this controversy should be left to the women to settle.

BUSINESS AND RELIGION.—A layman in Providence who occasionally exhorted at evening meetings, thus explained his belief in the existence of a Deity: "Brethren, I am just as confident that there is a Supreme Being, as I am that there is flour in Alexandria; and that I know for certain, as I yesterday received from there a lot of three hundred barrels of fresh superfine, which I will sell as low as any other person in town."

TAX TITLES—DECISIONS OF THE UNITED STATES COURT.

At the present term of the United States District Court for Illinois, the following important decision was made in favor of *tax titles*:

THOMAS J. TURNER, vs. SARAH STARR } Ejectment.

The second section of the law of 1839 to quiet possessions and confirm titles to lands, (to be found in the revised statues of 1845, title, conveyances, section 9,) provides that whenever a person having color of title made in good faith to vacant and unoccupied land, shall pay all taxes for seven successive years, such person shall be adjudged to be the owner according to his title.

The plaintiff in this case deduced a regular title from the United States, and it was admitted that the defendant claimed title to the premises so as to authorize an action of ejectment to be brought under the statute. The land was timber land, lying in Adams county, and was vacant, unoccupied and unimproved. It appeared on the part of the defendant, that there had been some acts of ownership, by cutting timber and by looking after and taking care of the land. The title of the defendant was a tax title under the revenue laws of 1827 and 1829, being a deed from the Auditor of State, dated January 12th 1833, on a sale that took place on the 11th of January, 1830 for the taxes of 1829.

The deed through which the defendant claimed, was a title apparently good, and made *prima facie* evidence of title by the laws of 1829.—Nothing in the case indicated there was any want of good faith in acquiring it. The taxes had been regularly paid by the defendant, or those through whom she claimed, for seven successive years before the commencement of the suit.

Under this state of facts, the Court held that the plaintiff could not recover; deciding that the second section of the law of 1839 was constitutional; it being within the power of the Legislature to require the payment of the taxes regularly assessed; and in case of non-payment for a series of years, to create a divesture of the title to land, by causing a title which was imperfect in itself, to ripen into a full and perfect title. Therefore, although the plaintiff might show in this case that the defendant's title was originally invalid in consequence of some of the provisions of the law not having been complied with, still that would not change the rights of parties. If it had been a deed void on its face, or if being in proper form, when taken in connection with the law, it appeared without independent proof, to be void, the rule would be different; but in this case the defendant, and those through whom she claimed had paid the taxes, holding a title which was, under the law, apparently good—a "prima facie" title—and the court held that the defendant had the same protection, under the second section of the act of 1839, as the Court had previously held a party had, under the first section of the same law, which provides for the case of a person in the *actual possession* of the land and who has paid the taxes for seven years in succession.

A GALE.—On Tuesday morning, about 3 o'clock, A. M., quite a severe gale set in at this place from the N. W. It moderated through the day, but towards evening it sprung up with tremendous fury, when some slight damage was done to our city. The large new store of Messrs. St. Cyr & Co. had its metal roof partially blown off. The new wharf of Mr. Parsons, at which several vessels were lying, was carried away, and some two hundred tons of railroad iron, now belonging to the Harrisburg Company, and other merchandize lying on the wharf was precipitated into the water. Those interested have been actively employed in recovering the property, and it is presumed that none will be lost.

The steamer Farmer was blown sternwards on the flats, where she has since remained, as the low water consequent on the Norther, left her nearly high and dry.

We also learn that this violent gale extended to the head of the bay, the schooner Jenny Lind being compelled to throw some 17 bales of cotton overboard. We are anticipating to hear of losses on the Gulf.—*Galveston News.*

EDITORIAL LIFE.—Mr. Locke recently retired from the editorial department of the Savannah Republican, a paper which he had edited for thirteen years. He thus speaks of his daily duties: "The incessant mental and physical labor demanded to produce every morning a sheet that perishes ere night-fall, can never be appreciated by those who view the circle of varied operations. It is symbolised in classic story by the stone Sysiphus, and the wheel of Ixion, while I fear the fable of Tantalus might be superadded to illustrate the fortunes of many of my brethren of the quill in the United States, for too often the promised cup of enjoyment never comes near enough to be tasted. This picture has its reverse, however. With all its drawbacks, there is much that is cheering in an editor's life, and he is a poor philosopher, as well as editor, who cannot return every morning to his labors with renewed energy and determination.

OUR MOSES.—Our fashionable young men are no longer required to labor under the double duty of supporting a moustache and a long-tailed coat at an evening party or ball. Willis says that frock-coats have been legitimatized and taken into favor. Black neckerchiefs are also recognized as a moral necessity of our present fashionable epoch. We rejoice that the day of tapered-tails is at length at an end, and that our young birds are allowed to spread themselves in raiments becoming the dignity of their being. We have ever looked upon swallow points with fear and trembling, especially if the "unmentionables" happened to be made rather scant athwart midships. Morality and decency have triumphed over mantua making, and uncovered posteriors. The Lord be praised.—*Empire City.*

TELEGRAPH TO THE PACIFIC.—The proposition of Mr. Henry O'Reilly, for a line of telegraph from St. Louis to San Francisco, is before Congress, and, if be accepted, it will remedy, to a great extent, the inconveniences which will be suffered by the delay of the Pacific railroad. Mr. O'Reilly's plan is for the Government to establish a chain of stockade from St. Louis to the Pacific, twenty miles apart, and protected by U. S. dragoons. The soldiers will convey the U.S. mail and protect the emigrant trains. A line of telegraph is to be constructed on this route by Mr. O'Reilly, without any compensation from the Government, either in land or in money. This project can be completed in a twelvemonth.

RAILROAD MEETING.

At a public meeting of the citizens of Jackson county, held at the Court House, Texana, on the 1st of February, it was

Resolved, That the immense tide of emigration which is yearly pouring into our State—the great increase in our agricultural productions, and in the consumption and demand for merchandise brought from other States, are producing important changes throughout Texas, that must be apparent to all.

Resolved, That the rapidly increasing travel and trade carried on between the shipping points on the coast of Texas and the interior, and other portions of the State—the immense amount of merchandise and home products now dragged across the prairies and streams by sluggish ox-teams, and every year making a louder demand for cheaper, more expeditious and convinient arrangements for the general trade and travel of the country.

Resolved, That the general absence of navigable streams in the State, and the peculiar character of the country present to the people of Texas the necessity of adopting either the railroad or ox-team system of communication, for the general trade and travel between all the important commercial points;

Resolved, That the ox-team system is expensive and inconvenient, and should only be regarded as a temporary arrangement, resorted to from necessity, to be abolished as soon as better plans can be carried into effect.

Resolved, That a railroad connecting Austin city and the town of Texana, is at the present time more necessary, and would be of more importance to Western Texas than the connection of any other two points, of the same distance, in the State.

Resolved, That on account of the favorable surface and soil over which the road would pass, the directness with which it would run without the impediment of a single stream larger than a mere rivulet, the abundance of live oak on its lower extremity, the choice harbor and landing at Texana, the fine navigable waters between Texana and Lavaca Bay, admitting at the present time steamers drawing three and four feet water, and susceptible by a few thousand dollars expense on the bar, of admitting steamers as large as can pass from the gulf to Port Lavaca, at low water; all go to prove that the proposed enterprise has fewer impediments in its way than that of any railroad movement yet started in Texas.

Resolved, That we respectfully invite the citizens of Austin city, and all other citizens of Travis county, and all others in that section of the State, and along the whole proposed line that have an interest in the construction of this road, to unite with the the citizens of Jackson county in this important enterprise.

Resolved, That a memorial be prepared, praying for the Legislature to grant a charter for a railroad from Texana to Austin, and the following gentelman are hereby nominated as Trustees for the memmorialists: A. L. Owen, G. Sutherland, D. Dennett, F. F. Wells, A. T. Gayle, and O. A. Isaacs.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to Austin, La Grange, and Indianola papers.

LOUIS NAPOLEON AND THE JEWS.—The circumstances accompanying the decoration of the Grand Rabbi Mons. Marx, of Bordeaux, with the legion of honor, makes that occurrence a matter of general importance. He had received an invitation to breakfast, and after breakfast the Prince President (now Emperor) handed the Grand Rabbi the Order of the Legion of Honor, in the presence of his cortege, the municipal officers, &c. In expressing his thanks for the distinction conferred upon him, the Grand Rabbi added, "It is again a confirmation of the principle of religious liberty, which your Highness has already promised us to maintain and defend." "You may rely on that," answered the Prince General d'Hautpoul, Grand Referendar of the Senate, who emphatically announced that the rights and the liberties of the Jews shall never be infringed. All the inhabitants of Bordeaux sympathized with the Grand Rabbi, and even the Cardinal Archbishop paid a congratulary visit to Mons. Marx.

From the Maysville Eagle.

HARD TO BEAT.—In 1812, after the declaration of war, the President of the United States called on the Governor of Kentucky for her quota of men. At that time, I belonged to a company of Light Infantry, commanded by John McKee. The whole Company volunteered, and we marched from Mayslick on the 27th day of August, to join Gen. Harrison in the North-western army. At that time, six of us made up a mess, to wit: John Morris, Abraham Johnson, John Vancamp, Pressley Day, Morgan Day, and the writer of this note; and strange to say, we are all still living.

JOHN G. PAYNE.

Maysville, Feb. 4th, 1853.

"COL. DAVIS.—It is rumored here, on what purports to be reliable authority, that this distinguished gentleman has been tendered the post of Secretary of War by General Pierce, and that he has left home for Washington City.—*Natchez Free Trader, 16th.*"

We find the same report current in several of the Mississippi papers. Great reliance seems to be placed upon it. Col. Davis possesses the capacity and experience to make a most efficient head of the War Department."

There is no politician in the South who commands so much respect and confidence, on the score of qualifications, intellectual and moral character, as Jefferson Davis. Many honestly disagree with his political views; but, except the Washington correspondent of the Picayune,—and we rejoice to say he is no Southerner,—no one has yet been found to impugn his lofty character and eminent abilities.—*N. O. Delta.*

☞ The following amusing circumstance is stated to have occurred at a fancy ball given in Washington city, recently. It was understood that every person was to dress in character, and an usher was stationed ot the door of the saloon, to announce to the company within, the different characters as they entered. Two young ladies appeared at the entrance.

"Your characters?" asked the usher in a whisper.

"We do not appear in costume to-night," said the two young ladies.

"Two ladies *without any characters*," bawled out the usher in at the top of his voice.

☞ "Vat you make dere?" hastily inquired a Dutchman of his daughter, who was being kissed very amorously. "Oh, not much—just courting a little—dat's all." "Ohe, dat's all, in by tam, I tought you vash fighting."

INTERESTING REMINISCENCES.

The narrative, and other papers, of the late Col. Peter E. Bee, have been placed in our possession, from which we ext act the following account of the Battle of Nacogdoches, fought on the 2d of August, 1832.

'Arrived at Nacogdoches on the 2d of August, in time to join the Americans in subduing the Spaniards. The fight commenced at 11 A. M. and continued without ceasing until dark. The Americans having got possession of the store house, where they fortified themselves; the Spaniards having got possession of their ordinary quarters, which they evacuated in the night, and were pursued next morning by about sixty Americans, a part of which attacked their vanguard, about 14 without doing any injury. They still continued on a circuitous route, and a part having returned, what few remained, continued on and got ahead of the enemy, and fired on them as they were crossing the Angelina River, 20 miles from Nacogdoches, when they killed about six, and wounded as many more. The next day we had a flag of truce sent us, and on the following day settled all affairs, and took the Col. prisoner to town.—Delivered the Spanish soldiers in possession of Col. J. Bowie, who proceeded to the Brazos with three hundred and ten ax prisoners of war.

August 12th 1832.

Left Nacogdoches, in possession of Col. Piedras, for Anahuac, for the purpose of delivering him up to Col. Mexia, a Spanish officer, belonging to the Santa Anna party. Got information on the way, that he had left that post, for Matamoros, having left orders for Col. Piedras to be conducted to San Felipe, on the Brazos, thence to be delivered to Col. Austin, and sent from thence to Tampico; which was all effected.—*Nacogdoches Chronicle.*

CHANGES IN THE BEDS OF THE RIVERS OF TEXAS.—The Mexicans and Indians have a tradition that the Brazos, Trinity, Colorado and other rivers of Texas were, about eighty or a hundred years ago, comparatively small streams, and in dry seasons their beds became almost dry, and the water stood in holes instead of flowing in their channels. They say that the beds of these streams have been wearing deeper and deeper, and that countless springs have been laid open, as the channels of the rivers are now more abundant than in former periods. In ancient times, when the beds of these rivers were more shallow than they are now, they were liable to overflow their banks much more often than now, and the freshets spread far out into the prairies. These are many circumstances that confirm these traditions. Some of the old settlers still living on the banks of these streams can point to many places where rocks were formerly in the bed of the rivers, are now raised several feet above low water mark. Col. Wallace, who resides at Columbus on the Colorado, shows near his plantation a rocky ledge that 20 years ago was over six feet below the surface at low water mark and it is now as many feet above low water mark: thus showing that the bed of the Colorado at that place is nearly twelve feet lower than it was twenty years ago. The various bordering Cummings creek and other tributaries of the Colorado, have worn deeper and wider, and the quantity of water flowing in these streams after heavy rains seems to be much greater than in former years. They have extended farther up in the country, and their banks now drain much more extensive tracts than they did twenty years ago. These streams which were formerly dry in dry seasons, are now perennial, and their channels have worn deeper, springs have been opened which now furnish a constant supply of water. Between San Antonio and the Nueces a new river has been formed within the last twelve years. Fifteen years ago only a small brook flowed where the Leon now pours down a large and unremitting current. This river has been formed within the recollection of the oldest Mexicans, and it promises to become, within the next half century, as large as the San Antonio itself. Most of the rivers of Texas, however, have not been formed thus suddenly. They have been gradually wearing deeper and extending further and further into the country, through successive centuries, and as they have worn deeper and deeper through successive strata of rocks, they have operated like Artesian wells, to bring to the surface subterrapean currents that had for ages been flowing far down in the caverns of the earth. If any accurate calculations could be made, respecting the number of feet in depth that the channels of the rivers wear each year, or the distance which the branches wear upwards, some approximate estimate might be made of the period of time that has elapsed since the level and undulating regions of Texas were uplifted from the bed of the sea.—*Telegraph.*

☞ The discovery of the precious metals in Australia has suddenly presented to a wondering world a spectacle it previously could never have dreamed of beholding, namely, an extensive emigration from the United States to the British possessions.—Ten or twelve first class vessels are up at N. York for the new country.

☞ Some editors say that the destiny of the world often hangs on a trifle. A little miff between Charles Bonaparte and his love, Letitia, might have broken off a marriage which gave birth to Napoleon and the battle of Waterloo. To which the Chicago Advertiser says: "Yes, that is a fact. Suppose a little miff had taken place between Adam and Eve! What then?"

KATE HAYES, the distinguished Irish Songstress, was not murdered in San Francisco as reported a few days since, but on the contrary was married to Col. Jack Hays—the celebrated Texan Ranger—quite a difference between getting married and being murdered.—*Ky. Paper.*

What a lie!—*Bulletin.*

☞ Said a preacher once, "Fellow sinners, if you were told that by going to the top of those stairs yonder, (pointing to a rickety pair at one end of the church) you might secure your eternal salvation, 'really believe hardly any of you would try it. But let any man proclaim that there was five hundred dollars up there for you, and I'll be bound there would be such a 'getting up stairs as you never did see.'"

COLORADO NAVIGATION COMPANY.—The meeting of the Commissioners and Directors of this company, which was called to take place at Columbus on the 16th ult., has in all probability been defeated by the unprecedented heavy rains and overflow, which is known to have occurred in the valley of the Colorado in the early part of the present month. John W. McCamly, Esq., and Capt. John Duncan, (Directors from this county,) left here some two weeks ago, for the purpose of attending the meeting, but were finally compelled to return home from the high stage of water. Mr. McCamly informs us that although they had, after strenuous efforts, reached a point within a short distance of Columbus, they found it impossible to cross the swollen streams, and were compelled to abandon the journey.—*Matagorda Tribune.*

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Removal.—The Bulletin Office will hereafter be in our new building on Second street, opposite the residence of Capt. H. E. Berliner.

Matagorda Sugar.—The sch't Magnolia, from Caney river, last week, brought down 25 hogsheads Matagorda Sugar, and 40 barrels molasses to Mr. Aug. Fromme, which we find to be a superior article. See advertisement.

☞ By an advertisement in to-day's paper, it will be seen that Mr. Thomas A. Campbell, as administrator, offers for sale some valuable real estate.

☞ We invite attention to the card of the Eutaw House, by Mrs. L. Jones.

School Books.—We are indebted to Mr. James Burke, of Houston, through Messrs. C. Etter & Co., of this place, for copies of various school books, embracing McGuffy's popular Eclectic Series. It is designed to make these works known and adopted in Texas, which has been done already to a great extent, in order to produce uniformity in our schools. We have heard McGuffy's series highly mentioned for several years. The advertisement will be found in the Bulletin.

The books are for sale by C. Etter & Co.

Thanks.—To Gen. Sam Houston for sundry public documents.

To Gen. Rusk for a copy of his Pacific Railroad bill.

To Mr. Alfred Da Costa, steamship Texas, for late papers.

Dinner to Capt. J. Smith.—A complimentary dinner was given on the 3rd inst. at the Alhambra Hotel, by the citizens of Indianola, to Capt. Jeremiah Smith, senior, of the Steamship Louisiana. William H. Woodward presided, assisted by Jno. Henry Brown as vice president. About forty gentlemen sat down to a sumptuous feast: sentiments and good feeling abounded and the best evidence given of the high esteem in which Capt. Smith and his officers are held in this community.

The Turnpike.—A meeting of the citizens of Indianola was held at the court house on Friday night, for the purpose of laying the Turnpike charter before them, and of opening the books for subscription, John Henry Brown presiding and Doctor Hughes acting as Secretary. Messrs. Peiser, Etter, Huck, Thielepape, Varnell and others of our citizens, and Mr. T. Storne of Victoria offered remarks. A second meeting was held Saturday night, Henry Runge in the chair, H. J. Huck Secretary. The result is, that the people have taken hold of the matter in good earnest; enough of the stock has been taken to insure the success of the work, which will be commenced as soon as the contracts can be let.

Grand Raffle.—Mr. L. H. Woods, Jeweller, Main street, Indianola, has gotten up a grand scheme for a raffle on the 4th of April. The scheme embraces—

One Chinese Clock, 1st prize,	$100 00
One double cased Hunting Watch,	80 00
One extra Music Box,	75 00

and divers smaller prizes to make a total of $1,000. There are 500 chances of $2 each. The scheme and prizes may be seen at Mr. Woods' establishment, and offers tempting inducements to those disposed to take an interest in such matters. The articles are guarantied to be of a superior order.

☞ We have received the proceedings of a meeting of what purports to be the "Hiterbeltexians," but the society will excuse us for declining their publication, as it would be in violation of the course we have and wish still to pursue towards the matters and things therein pitched into.

☞ Supreme Court will adjourn at Galveston on the 12th March.

☞ To be eligible as a Director in the Indianola and Victoria Turnpike Company, which election comes off to-morrow night, requires that the candidate shall have taken 5 shares or $250 of the capital stock.

☞ The District Court will commence its spring session in Indianola on Monday the 21st March, and hold for two weeks.

☞ The steamship James E. De , arrived at this place on yesterday morning. To Mr. Wakefield, her accommodating clerk, we are indebted for late N. Orleans papers.

☞ The steamship Texas, Capt. James Lawless, arrived at Indianola from New Orleans, on Tuesday, with dates to March 4th, from which we make extracts.

District Judge.—The impression generally prevails that the election for Judge of this the tenth district, will come off at the election next August. We learn that this is probably a mistake. The act creating this district was passed in the spring of 1848, to take effect on the first of August of that year. Judge Jones was commissioned for six years for the same district, which will run to August, 1854. Or should his time run from the date of the commission, (which could not be as the law creating the district did not take effect till August,) he would still get through the spring courts of 1854, and the August election following would occur before the fall term of the courts. This, we learn from a member of the bar, is the true state of the case, and if so there will be no election this year.—If there is to be an election, however, the people should know it at an early day.

Steamer Colorado Sunk.—We regret to learn by the LaGrange Monument and the Matagorda Tribune, that the steamboat Colorado run on to a snag a few miles below LaGrange, on the 28th Feb., and sunk in three feet water. The machinery and a part of her cargo will be saved. The loss is a great one to her owners, Messrs. Powell & Coon of Matagorda, and to the Colorado Valley generally, and we sincerely lament so sad an accident to men of great enterprize in a good work.

Texana.—On our first page we publish the proceedings of a railroad meeting in Texana, by which it will be seen the people of that place are endeavoring to attract enterprise and attention to the advantages of their town. That Texana has an advantageous position cannot be doubted, and it only requires enterprise to develope the fact. The appropriation to clear out the Lavaca will redound greatly to the advantage of Texana, if the law should be approved by the people, of which there is no doubt.

Matagorda.—The schooner Anthem, Capt. Burrows, cleared at Matagorda, March 7th for New York, with 352 bales cotton and 45 hogsheads of sugar. The Reindeer, Cathcart, was loading for the same destination.

Cuba—Vice President King.—Late arrivals from Havana announce the rapid convalescence of Mr. Wm. R. King. He was staying in a sugar house, near Havana, from which he experienced almost instantaneous relief. He is attended by two nephews and two nieces. The nation will rejoice to learn of his recovery.

The authorities of Havana forcibly broke open and searched the United States mail on the steamships Empire City and Crescent City, to detect if possible who were the patriots of Cuba. Consul Sharkey had sent a manly protest to the Captain General.—Those Cubanos are determined to heap one insult upon another, till brother Jonathan shall get angry and drive them where the Devil drove the hogs, and there will be an end of despotism on that fair Island.—"Whom the Gods will destroy, they first make mad."

Great loss by Fire.—On the night of March 2nd, the Alabama Cotton Press of New Orleans, with 20,000 bales of cotton, was consumed by fire. Loss said to be about $1,000,000. The True Delta says—

"At the lowest computation, 20,000 bales were burned, which, at $40 per bale, will amount to $800,000. A great portion of this cotton was held on foreign account, leaving the probability that the loss will be divided among a great number of Insurance Offices, domestic and foreign.—The loss on the offices in this city, will, from all we can learn, fall most heavily on the "Home Mutual," the "Crescent," and the "Sun Mutual."

The loss of our worthy fellow citizen, John M. Bell, the proprietor of the press, will be from 20,000 to $25,000, he being entirely uninsured. We could not learn whether the sheds and buildings were insured or not, and cannot therefore say on whom the loss will fall."

River Improvement.—The bill appropriating money to clear out our rivers, after many contradictory statements, did actually become a law; but has to be submitted to a vote of the people in August. It appropriates $21,000 to the Lavaca river, sufficient to make it the finest navigable stream in Texas, as high as Texana.

New York Vessels.—At N. York on the 23d February, the schooners Telegraph, Louisa and E. De Russy were advertised for Indianola and Matagorda bay.

Our Districts.—The new law makes a decided improvement in the arrangement of our Senatorial district, which is now composed of the counties of Calhoun, Jackson, Lavaca, DeWitt, Goliad and Victoria, all contiguous territory having a community of interest. Calhoun and Jackson constitute a representative district, which is also a good arrangement, as the two counties have an identity of interest and feeling.—Victoria and Goliad, also, elect one representative.

To get fees.—There is a certain magistrate within our acquaintance who has been often called upon to swear men to vouchers and divers other papers wanting that kind of authentication; but who found that men generally obtained his services and walked off without paying his legal fee. To prevent this, he has adopted the following form of oath: "You do solemnly swear that the matters and things set forth in this instrument are true *and that you will pay me four bits forthwith*—so help you *God*." He says this form of the oath yields him a nett revenue of $2 50 per day.

Texian Anniversaries.—During the past week, two of the great anniversaries in Texian history have past—the Declaration of Independence on the second, and the fall of the Alamo on the 6th of March. No true son of this proud young State can recur to those events without feelings of pride—an inward glow of manly gratulation that *he*, too, belongs to the State and people by whom and among whom those illustrious achievements were wrought. "*Remember the Alamo!*" was the war cry rung by our invincible van at the charge of San Jacinto. The foe were overcome by the one word "*Alamo*," and hundreds of them on the suppliant knee, exclaimed "*me no Alamo!*" The patriotic Poster had already prophetically said—

"And 'Alamo' shall hereafter be,
In bloodier fields, the battle cry."

The blood of the heroes of the Alamo, hallowed by a righteous cause, ascended to Heaven as holy incense, an offering from the martyrs for their bleeding country.—That holy sacrifice was answered on the field of San Jacinto, where the over-ruling power of God was displayed in the fall of the blood-stained, barbarian hosts before a handful of brave men, battling in defence of their homes and firesides.

Commodore Moore.—Through the kindness of a friend, we have been placed in possession of the report of the survey of Matagorda Bay, made in October, 1841, by Com. Moore, of the Texian Navy, to Dr. Branch T. Archer, Secretary of War. We shall publish the document in a week or two, as one possessing much interest, not only to Matagorda Bay, but to all of middle and western Texas. Com. Moore, both then and in 1848, declared in unequivocal terms the practicability of deepening Matagorda Bar to 20 feet, by which the largest class of ships could enter the Bay, and thus we should possess the best port south of Charleston, and, when taken in connection with our peculiar position with regard to the great empire west and north-west of us, and to the Pacific Railroad, we may claim in all sincerity, that our Bay, as the seat of a great commercial city, would be unrivalled south of Baltimore. This, to some, may doubtless seem visionary; but to those who have carefully investigated the subject, it will appear as the natural sequence to an improvement of the bar as above, and the developement of the vast region to which we have referred as tributary to this Bay. It is unnecessary to say that after crossing the bar, the water is 25 to 30 feet deep for several miles, and 12 to 13 feet deep up to the harbor of Indianola.

VERY LATEST NEWS.

By the Perseverance we have N. Orleans dates to the 5th. Gen. Pierce was inaugurated on 4th: he unofficially announced his cabinet thus—Marcy sec'y state, Guthrie of Ky. treasury, Cushing att'y general, Jeff. Davis war, McClelland of Mich., Dobbin N. C. and Campbell of Penn., to the other posts. Cotton dull in Europe. The insurrection in Milan suppressed and its leaders hung: martial law proclaimed in the city.

No Fair.—The Fair which was to come off at Corpus Christi next May, has been abandoned, in consequence of the formation of a State Agricultural Society at Austin this winter, which has taken charge of the subject of State fairs. They will at a proper time designate the time and place for such exhibition. We should suppose La Grange or Austin would be a desirable place on many accounts. We hope to see the thing encouraged, as well as every other measure calculated to encourage agriculture and stock raising, the foundation of our prosperity as a State.

The Steamship Perseverance, Capt. Thos. Forbes, arrived from New Orleans yesterday. Thus we have had three Steam-ships to arrive in two days—the Texas, Day and Perseverance. Our thanks are due each for late papers.

☞ In the new charter of the city of Brownsville, on the Rio Grande, it is provided that all persons wishing to vote in the city elections shall register their names with the proper officer three months before the election. This is to prevent the permanent citizens of the place from being overrun by the importation of Mexicans across the Rio Grande on the day of election, and is a wholesome check to frauds. A well-informed gentleman told us that he had no doubt but that if the American population on the Rio Grande were united among themselves, Mexican voters could be bought and brought over the river sufficient to control our State elections, as the Mexicans in immense numbers had no just appreciation of the right of suffrage and could be swayed by intrigue or money.

☞ The roads are again dry and in good order.

Apportionment.—Under the new apportionment the following districts are established:

Calhoun and Jackson, counties one representative.
Victoria and Goliad, one representative.
Lavaca and De Witt, one representative.
Gonzales, one representative.
Guadalupe, one representative.
Caldwell and Hays, one representative.
Calhoun, Jackson, Lavaca De Witt, Goliad and Victoria, one Senator.
Gonzales, Guadalupe, Caldwell, Hays and Comal, one Senator.
Galveston one Senator.
Matagorda, Wharton, Brazoria and Fort Bend, one Senator.
Bexar, one Senator.

Correspondence of the Bulletin.

New Orleans, Feb. 27, 1853.

Dear Sir—The question of Free Banking is much agitated here at this time and projects have been presented to the Legislature for their incorporation, but such features exist in each as to render them objectionable, even to the best friends of the institution. One gives as a basis of Capital bonds of the General or State Government, Corporation or bonds of any Railroad Company bearing 6 per cent. interest. Although full confidence in all railroad stocks exists still it affords too great a latitude, and opens such a field for fraud and speculation that it has few friends.

One of the first aims and ends of the late Convention was to still the clamour from this hot bed of enthusiasm for Banking facilities, but it is a matter of extreme doubt whether the present Legislature will create any enactment for such a purpose, and it is a matter of still greater doubt whether the people are as eager for such a law as formerly.

The practical operations of Free Banking in N. York, where it has been in existence several years, seems not to have borne the test or to exhibit in its returns so handsome a report as its theory promised; in consequence of which, and a desire to "butter their bread on the right side," the hard monied old fogies would rather hold off until others too have given it a test. This is all very well!—"It is better to bear the ills we have than fly to those we know not of."—high rates of interest and great depreciation of produce at times consequent upon the stringency of the money market are evils which it was hoped would be arrested by this new system, and there is but little doubt in my mind, that if it is properly bolstered, it will be highly popular and successful. As the example is set in the Empire State however, it is not calculated to win over new friends. The Governor's last message is rather caustic in its comments on the system and declares that "the Banks evade the law requiring them to do their business in a certain place and circulate their notes through brokers in distant cities." "Further legislative restraints he says are necessary to save the public from frauds and losses. In some instances bills have been obtained upon insufficient security by fraudulent representations."

The State of Massachusetts three years ago passed an act establishing Free Banks, but I do not believe any have yet been incorporated. The reason is simply that the banking facilities of the State are sufficient for the transaction of all the wants of business; but in New York, the great accommodations of Banks and the millions of sound currency in circulation there, was inadequate to the wants of the stock-jobbing, intriguing financiers,—he wanted a more extended latitude for his brilliant operations and the free banking law supplied it. The late reports however of the banks is no proof against the success of the institution, for there it has had to contend against a large surplus of capital, and the accredited safety and liberality of the best chartered institutions in the world; besides which, it has fallen into hands who have better use of their legitimized shin plasters than the depreciated securities they have deposited in lieu of them. It will be conceded on all sides eventually that a general banking law is much better adapted to the requirements of trade than special charter and many now regard the basis of Federal or State stock security more safe than specie.

Illinois and Indiana have both adopted the new system, and in the articles of the first but little stringency could have been observed, for in one of its towns there exists a banking institution having for its capital certificates of deposite of Page, Bacon & Co., private bankers of St. Louis, men though of great reputed wealth and doing a heavy exchange business with California, would be "swamped" if a San Juan steamer was lost, or a crisis in commercial affairs occurred.

Your Legislature I see has rejected by a vote of the chair a bill for the incorporation of banks.—Though boasting of Democratic rule it is to be hoped that it will become wiser at its next session and have its eyes more clearly opened to the wants of the community. The Bank of Commerce at Galveston cannot and does not afford facilities for the west or east. The west I know is now suffering in consequence of a want of these facilities and commerce and trade is much retarded on the same account. Inconveniences and losses are thus daily sustained in all the largest towns and it is a matter of surprise that greater exertion was not made for a passage of the bill. It is an undeniable fact that you cannot get along at present without employing foreign State paper which is much more liable to subject you to losses than if the Bank was in your own midst.

What do you know of the solvency of the Hartford, (Conn.) Bank? I expect there is no less than $100,000 of it circulating in Texas, and I infer this much on that account, that if the Bank cannot find at home sufficient proportionate circulation to its capital that it is no worthy reflection on the institution that its paper is sent so far abroad. Take Sam Slick's classic advice "mens tuus ego." The Metropolitan Hotel of N. York city has a Bank connected with it situated in the western part of the State, gotten up solely with the view to furnish notes to the Hotel. Its stock is chiefly held by the Messrs. Leland's, after whom it is called and the notes are used for their convenience in furnishing change to travellers and paying for marketing and servants hire, a mode of circulation which guarantees their being long kept afloat.

The designed issue of circulation so far away from a Bank's place of business is no evidence of its solvency and should be regarded more with suspicion than otherwise. Discard such paper from your State. Do not attempt it as Mississippi did in 1847 by a special enactment of the Legislature, but let public opinion rule it out and let institutions with a safe basis be established, amongst you.

The steamship Albatross arrived here on the 21st bringing intelligence of the conclusion of a contract by A. G. Sloo, Esq., for right of way across the Isthmus of Tehuantepec, with the exclusive privilege of navigating the Coatzacoalcos, of which it is believed is susceptible to a greater length than has yet been attempted. The same steamship brought a California mail via Mexico and Vera Cruz, seven days quicker time than has been made. A mail contract has been made with our Government for its regular transmission. I learn Mr. Samuel Morgan, of N. York, has that part of the line from this to Vera Cruz, which I suppose will be executed by our friends Harris & Morgan. Yours, SAND-BAR.

Honey Locust.—We were not aware till now that the honey locust grew wild in western Texas. We are now informed that it is occasionally found in the Guadalupe bottom.

At a called meeting of Indianola Lodge, No. 84 of F. & A. Masons, at their Lodge Room in city of Indianola, county of Calhoun, and State of Texas, on the 5th day of March, A. D. 1853, A. L. 5853, The following preamble and resolutions were adopted, to wit:

"Whereas we, the W. M. Wardens and Brethren of F. & A. Masons, have heard, with deep and fraternal regret, of the death of our esteemed and worthy brother, R. D. McCulloch, who was a member of our Lodge and died at Gonzales, on Wednesday morning, the 2d day of March, A. D. 1853, A. L. 5853, therefore

"*Resolved*, That we sympathize with the bereaved family of our late brother, and tender to them our sincere and heart felt condolence.

"*Resolved*, That we will wear the usual masonic badge of mourning for thirty days, thereby showing our respect for the memory of our deceased brother.

"*Resolved*, That a copy of the proceedings of this Lodge be published in the Indianola Bulletin, published in this city, and forwarded to the editors of the Oseola Independent, a newspaper published at Oseola, Mo., with a request to publish the same, and also that a copy be presented by the Secretary of this Lodge to the family of our deceased brother.

WM. P. MILBY, W. M.

SILAS P. LAMKIN, SEC'Y.

At a meeting of Gonzales Lodge No. 30, held at Gonzales on March 3d, A. D. 1853, A. L. 5853, the following preamble and resolutions were adopted.

Whereas our worthy Brother, R. D. McCulloch, of Indianola, whilst passing through Gonzales, was on the morning of the 2nd inst., suddenly called by the Grand Architect of the Universe to appear before Him, therefore, in token of our high esteem for our beloved Brother,

Resolved, That the burial of the deceased be conducted by Gonzales Lodge No. 30, with the ancient forms and ceremonies, peculiar to the Masonic Order.

Resolved, That this Lodge tender to the relatives of the deceased our deepest sympathy in their painful bereavement.

Resolved, That we tender to Indianola Lodge, No. 84, our heart-felt regret for the loss sustained in the decease of this worthy member of their Lodge, and that this Lodge, and the Masonic Fraternity generally, mourn this dispensation of Providence, which has deprived us of a brother, and masonry of an ornament.

Resolved, That the Secretary furnish a copy of this preamble and resolutions to the relatives of the deceased, a copy to the Secretary of Indianola Lodge No. 84, and forward a copy to the editor of the Indianola Bulletin for publication.

By order of the Lodge
EDWARD MALLOCH,
Sec'y G. L. No. 30.

DISTRICT COURT.

Under the new act our District Court meets as follows:

In the county of Victoria on the first Mondays in March and September, and may continue in session two weeks.

In the county of Calhoun on the second Mondays after the first Mondays in March and September, and may continue in session two weeks.

In the county of Jackson on the fourth Mondays after the first Mondays in March and September, and may continue in session one week.

In the county of Lavaca on the fifth Mondays after the first Mondays in March and September, and may continue in session two weeks.

In the county of Gonzales on the seventh Mondays after the first Mondays in March and September, and may continue in session two weeks.

In the county of De Witt on the ninth Mondays after the first Mondays in March and September, and may continue in session two weeks.

In the county of Goliad on the eleventh Mondays after the first Mondays in March and September, and may continue in session two weeks, or until the business is disposed of.

NEW ORLEANS MARKETS.

Picayune Office,
March 3, 1853.

Cotton—The demand was fair and 8000 bales were sold at steady prices.

Ordinary.....	6¼@7¼	G. Middling...	9¼@9¾
Low Middling..	8 @8¼	Middling Fair.	10¼@—
Middling.....	8¾@9¼	Fair.....	11 @—

Tobacco—128 hhds. Admitted, Clarksville, were sold at about 5½c. and 130 at—.

Sugar—The market unusually dull, and the sales barely reached 500 hhds. Inferior and Common having declined ¼c. Fair to fully Fair 3¾@4¼c.

Molasses—1000 bbls. were sold at 18@24c.

Flour—Sales 3000 bbls. embracing 100 bbls. unbranded at $4; 400 Ohio at $4 12; 200 at $4 15; 100 at $4 20; 900 and 400 St. Louis at $4 25; 300 Extra Illinois at $4 60; 100 at $4 75; and 300 Extra Missouri at about $4 50.

Bacon—Sales 112 casks Sides, in two lots, at 8c. 131 in four lots at 8¼c. and 10 casks Shoulders at 6¼c.

Lard—Sales 50 bbls. No. 2 at 8c. 60 at 8¼c. 37 No. 1 at 8¼c. and 82 prime at 9c.

Coffee—Sales 2012 bags Rio, of which 1312 at 9¾c. 500 at 9¾c. 100 at 9¼c. and 100 at 9¼c.

Rice—44 tierces were sold at 4¼c.

MANIFEST.

Per Steamship Texas from N. O. March 4th.

Passengers.—T. Phelps, Woolford, Mine, H. G. Powel, Mr. Tate and lady, Miss Tate and sister, Lyle lady and children, Mr. Tontant and lady, Mr. Tontant, Mr. Mealy, H. Martin, Weeks, Abbott, Shepbard, Kan, Devine, Rogers, Buckman, Bee, Ertes, McHenry, Deauio, Adams, 15 on deck, 10 negroes.

Consignees.—*Indianola*—Baldridge Sparks & Co. H. B. Cleavland, S. A. White & Co. J. H. Dale, A. Fromme. *Lavaca*—W. H. Kerr, Fulton & Hensley, R. M. Forbes & Co, J. W. Randell.

[Communicated.]

DIED,

At New Orleans, Feb. 13th 1853, Col. Geo. W. White, aged 32 years.

Col. White was, during the Republic of Texas an officer in her Navy.

When the war broke out with Mexico, he raised a company, joined the Washington Regiment La. Volunteers, under Gen. P. F. Smith. Gen. Scott ordering home the six month men, he returned to New Orleans, raised a batallion and joined the army under Gen. Scott.

When Yucatan asked for help he raised a Regiment and went to her assistance. After his return he went to California. Hearing of the butchery of Col. Crittenden's party, he returned to the *States* to join the liberating party of Cuban despotism; but learning that he could be at that time of no assistance, waited to bide his time. He was a true Republican of the Stamp of 1776. *Peace to his remains.*

In Gonzales, March 2d, 1853, of consumption, Mr. RODERICK D. McCULLOCH, aged about 39 years, formerly of St. Clair county, Mo., and late of the McCulloch House, Indianola. Mr. M. was a consistent christian and died full of hope.

Messrs. Editors—You will please announce Alexander G. Coffin as a candidate for the office of City Marshall.

☞ We are authorized to announce W. G. WOODMAN as a candidate for Constable of Precinct No. 2.

The State of Texas,
County of Calhoun.

To the Sheriff of Calhoun county Greeting.

Whereas Casimir Villeneuve, and Matilda, his wife, have this day filed a petition in the district court of Calhoun county, as plaintiffs, vs. James Lumbard, or Lewis L. Lumbard, as defendant, charging said defendant with having executed his certain promissory note to Matilda Villeneuve, of date the 17th day of October, 1850, and payable two years after date, for the sum of four hundred dollars, and to secure the payment of said note mortgaged to the said Matilda Villeneuve a certain ten pin alley in the town of Indianola, and that said note has since become due and is unpaid, and the said note has been lost or mislaid.

And whereas plaintiffs have filed an affidavit, stating that James or Lewis L. Lumbard is a transient person, &c. These are therefore to command you to cite the said James or Lewis L. Lumbard, by publication in the Indianola Bulletin, a newspaper published in the county of Calhoun, for four successive weeks, to appear at the next term of the Hon. district court of the county of Calhoun to be holden at the court house in the town of Indianola on the second Monday after the first Monday in March, 1853.

Test J. H. Davis, clerk of the District court of Calhoun county.

{L. S.} Given under my hand and the seal of the District court, at the District court clerk's office in the town of Indianola this 9th day of March A. D. 1853.

J. H. DAVIS, Clerk D. C. C. C.
p. GEO. W. WOODMAN, Dp'y.

TO MEN OF ENTERPRISE!

The Coffee House and Ten Pin Alley, situated on Main street, in the most business part of the city of Indianola, will be sold at a bargain, should immediate application be made. Being the only Alley in the city, it will without a doubt, if properly attended to, make money. The Bar at present, has a liberal share of the public patronage. A Lease of the house until the 1st of May next, with the privilege of another year, will be transferred, should the purchaser desire it.

To those who desire to enter into business of this kind, I would say, as did Jonah when about to enter the whale's mouth, "Here is a fine opening." For further information enquire at the office of this paper. March 10, 1853-3-tf.

A List and Description of Deserters from the U. S. Army.

1. Corpl. Chs. S. Schwarz, "J." R. mt. riflem., 23 years old, with hazel eyes, dark hair, fair complexion, 5 feet 8 inches in hight, born at Philadelphia, Morocco finisher by occupation, enlisted at New York on Oct. 1st, 1851, deserted from Ft. Merrill, Texas, on March 2d, 1853. He took with him a large bay horse in fine condition, cavalry saddle, bridle, blanket and U. S. rifle, the horse being branded I
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2. Pvt. Jno. S. Norris, of the "J" reg't, mt. riflem., 31 years old, with black eyes, dark hair, dark complexion, 5 feet 8 inches high, born at New York, lately been clerk, enlisted at New York, July 1st, 1852, deserted from Fort Merrill, Texas, on March 2d, 1853. He took with him a tall, light sorrel horse, branded as above, with a pack saddle, bridle, &c.

3. Pv't. Wm. Pressler, of the "J." R. mt. riflem., 21 years old, with blue eyes, light hair, fair complexion, 5 feet 7 inches high, born in Germantown, Ohio, occupation, a boot maker, enlisted at Dayton, Ohio, on Aug. 20th, 1851, deserted from Fort Merrill, on March 2d, 1853. He took with him a strawberry roan mustang stallion horse, with red mane and tail, branded as above, with pack or teamsters and saddle.

Also, two bay horses missing, supposed to have been taken by the above men; horses being branded as above.

Thirty dollars reward will be paid for the apprehension of either of the above men, and a liberal reward for the horses.

3] J. P. HATCH,
B. Capt., U. S. A., commanding J Rifles.

Election Notice.

To the Stockholders of the Indianola and Victoria Turnpike Road Company.

At a meeting of the board of Commissioners of said Company in the City of Indianola, on Monday the 7th of March, 1853, there being the requisite amount of stock taken,—it was

Resolved, That an election for five Directors be held at the Court House, in said city, on Friday the 11th day of March, 1853, at candle light.

By order of the Board,
CHAMBERS ETTER, President.
Henry J. Huck, Sec'y pro tem.

To Carpenters.

The subscribers will receive sealed proposals till Tuesday, March 15th, at 10 o'clock, a. m. for righting up, blocking, repairing and inside ceiling of the church in Indianola; the contractor to furnish all the material and do the work for a given sum, payable on the completion of the work. Specifications to be seen at the store of C. Etter & Co. Payment guaranteed.

CHAMBERS ETTER,
March, 10, '53-3-1t. F. E. HUGHES.

Sugar and Molasses.

Per Schooner Magnolia direct from plantation, 25 hhds. sugar, a superior article for retail, 60 bbls. molasses. A. FROMME.
Indianola March, 10 1853.

Dried Fruit.

6 BBLS. superior dried Pippin Apples, just received from Ky., per steamship Louisiana and for sale low by WHITE & SOUTHERN.
Indianola March, 10 1853.

Powder Horn Retreat.

This Establishment recently opened, is now prepared to receive visitors. The bar is supplied with the best of Liquors and Wines. Dinners and Pic Nics for parties got up at short notice.

A fine band of music will be in attendance every Sunday from 3 o'clock P. M. to 12 M.

☞ The omnibus leaves Indianola every Sunday at 3 o'clock P. M. for Powder Horn.

Call and see the Establishment.
GEO. RACHOW & CO.
March, 10 1853-3-3m.

Dissolution.

The partnership heretofore existing between J. T. Coates and W. C. Lyles, under the name and style of J. T. Coates & Co., is this day dissolved by mutual consent. J. T. Coates by his agent, withdraws from the concern, and W. C. Lyles will carry on the business hereafter in his own name. All persons indebted to T. S. Coates or J. T. Coates & Co. on account of said business as formerly existing, will make payment to W. C. Lyles, and all debts contracted by either party as above named upon the faith of the aforenamed business will be paid by W. C. Lyles.

Witnesses, W. D. Kelley, Geo. C. Bullock. } J. T. COATES, for T. S. COATES, W. C. LYLES.
Indianola, March 4, 1853-3-3w.

Administrators' Sale.

Notice is hereby given that on the first Tuesday in April, A. D., 1853, (being the 5th day of April,) at the court house door in the town of Indianola, between the hours of 10, A. M. and 4 P. M., I will proceed to sell to the highest bidder on a credit of twelve months, the following real estate, belonging to the estate of John Speer, deceased, to wit: all the property in the city of Lavaca, being part of Lots No. 4, 5 and 9 and all of 10, in Block 5, included in the boundaries which will be fully given on the day of sale. The property is known as Speer's property, and on the Lots aforesaid is situated a large three story house with back buildings, also a store house—the whole property is to be sold. I will also sell the following lots in the town of Saluria—Lot 5, in Block two hundred and ninety-five, Lot 5, in Block two hundred and ninety-five, Lots 6 and 7, in Block one hundred and six. I will also sell Lots No. 6, 7 and 8, in Block 2, Tier B, in the town of Portavallo, (Decrow's Point,) also three hundred and twenty acres of land lying opposite Clinton, in DeWitt county, on the Guadalupe river. The purchaser to giving bond and security with a mortgage on the property to secure the purchase money.

Sale made by order of the county court of Calhoun county, at its February Term, A. D., 1853.

T. A. CAMPBELL,
March 10, 1853-3-4t. Administrator

Indianola City Election.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of the third section of an act of the Legislature of the State of Texas, approved February 7, 1853, entitled "*An Act to incorporate the City of Indianola*," the undersigned, Chief Justice of the county of Calhoun, will proceed to hold an election at the court house in said city of Indianola, on Saturday, March 12, 1853, for one Mayor, one Recorder, and eight Aldermen, of said city, to continue in office until the regular annual election in January, 1854, and until their successors are duly qualified.

Section 3, of said act provides, that "At the first election for Mayor, Recorder and Aldermen every resident of the City shall be entitled to vote who has resided six months therein previous to the election, and who has paid a State and County tax."

Section 4, provides that—"No person shall hold the office of Mayor or Recorder, unless he be a qualified voter for members of the Legislature." To be a qualified voter for members of the Legislature requires the person to be, 1st, a citizen of the United States; 2ndly, that he shall have been "twelve months within the State, the last six months of which within the town, city, county or district in which he offers to vote."

Said election, in other respects, will be conducted according to the law regulating elections—the result declared by the Chief Justice and certificates issued to the persons elected.

J. BEAUMONT,
March 3, '53-2-2t Chief Justice, C. C.

VALUABLE PROPERTY!

For Sale at Public Auction.

The undersigned, being in a bad state of health and wishing to circumscribe his business, in order to travel with his family for health, will sell to the highest bidder, at public auction, on Saturday, the 16th day of April next, at the Court house in the town of Gonzales, the following property situated in said town:

My well known Tavern stand, on the Public square, in block No. 19. Lots No. 1 and 2, in block 28, with a good dwelling house, kitchen and other buildings, also, a superior well. Lots No. 5 and 6, in block 28, 50 feet front on the public square, extending back 40 varas in the south-west corner of block No. 19, with the improvements. Seven lots on the public square, on the east side of block No. 19, each having thirty feet front on the public square, and extending back 80 feet. Five lots on the east side of block No. 20, having each 12 varas front, and extending back 157 feet. Two lots, each containing three acres, being the east half of outer lot No. 3, in range No. 1, east of Water street, each having seventy-eight varas front on the northern avenue. One acre and a half, off of the west end of outer lot No. 1, range No. 1, east of Water street, with about 55 varas front on the Inner street. One lot containing two acres, immediately east of and adjoining the preceeding one and a half acre lot, having about 60 varas front on the town, and extending back 156 varas, with a first rate dwelling and two brick chimneys.—Also: three valuable tracts of land, of 500 to 750 acres each, near Gonzales. A lot of fine horses and mules, and six yoke of oxen.

The terms of the sale are: one-fourth cash paid on the day of sale, one-fourth in twelve months, one-fourth in two years, and the balance in three years. The purchaser will either give mortgage on the property purchased to secure the payment of the purchase money, or, if preferred, a bond for title will be given by me, conditioned for deed on payment of purchase money, or I will take other satisfactory security.

The above mentioned property is the most valuable in the town. The Tavern stand rents for $600 per annum, the Corner lot rents for $372 per annum, and the Dwelling house on block No. 28 will rent for $200 per annum. Some of the unimproved lots are eligibly situated for mercantile houses and business in general. The lots on the Northern avenue and on Water street, for private residences, cannot be surpassed for beauty and convenience.

Persons wishing to purchase will attend sale a 10 o'clock, P. M., Saturday, the 16th day of April next, and they will get bargains, for I am determined to sell, being convinced that the only hope I have of recovering my health, is by traveling.

C. S. BROWN. Gonzales, Texas.

Carriage Repository.

The subscriber has just received and opened at his store, Main street, Indianola, a lot of most beautiful and splendid

Carriages,
Rockaways,
Buggies, &c.,

which he offers for sale low.
March 3, '53-2. JOHN. A. SETTLE.

AUCTION SALE.

Will be offered for sale at public auction, on *Saturday, the 19th inst.*, at the Government Depot in Indianola, Two Six Mule Teams, with Harness complete. Also two good, strong road Wagons; and at the same time and place, a lot of Condemned Subsistence stores.

Terms Cash.

E. B. BABBITT, Bv. Maj.
A. Q. M. and A. C. S.

As. Q. M. Office,
Indianola March 1, 1853.

Just landed from steamer Perseverance a large consignment of Groceries, consisting of Flour, Potatoes, fine and common Tobacco, white and brown Sugar, Lard, Mackerel, Raisins, Soap, Candles, &c., and for sale low for cash by

WHITE & SOUTHERN.
Indianola, March 7, '53-2.

H. RUNGE & CO.,

INDIANOLA.

Have constantly on hand, an assortment of groceries, liquors, dry goods, clothing, shoes, and boots, crockery, nails, iron, cooking stoves, hardware, carpenters tools, furniture, chairs, bedsteads, tables, bureaus, kitchen safes, etc. Ploughs and corn shellers, a general assortment of rough and dressed lumber, window sash, &c. Which have been imported direct from New York and New Orleans, and which are offered low for cash. Cotton, hides, and deer skins, always bought at market prices for goods or cash.

ELECTION NOTICE.

An election is hereby ordered to be held in the respective precincts of Calhoun county, on Saturday, March 12th, 1853, for one constable in precinct No. 1, in place of J. H. Stuart, resigned, one justice of the peace in precinct No. 2, in place of Bernardo Segui, sr., resigned, and one constable in the same precinct, in place of Charles M. Creamer, deceased.

T. R. Threlkeld, presiding officer pre't No. 1.
John Henry Brown, " " 2.

J. BEAUMONT,
Indianola, Feb. 24, '53. Chief Justice

For Sale.

A DWELLING house, containing eight rooms, not quite finished, with two lots, and a very fine large new cistern, situated in the lower part of town, very desirable for a private residence, will be sold very low for cash. Apply to

WM. H WOODWARD, or
W. J. HOWERTON.
Indianola, Feb. 12th, 1853.—3t.

BERNARDO SEGUI, Jr.,
Wholesale & Retail Grocer,
FORWARDING
AND
COMMISSION MERCHANT,
Indianola, Texas.
Feb. 14, 1853-3t-4t.

Wagoning & Blacksmithing.

SEGUIN, TEXAS.

The subscriber has established in connection in the town of Seguin, the Blacksmithing, Wagon-making & Saddlery business, in all their branches, and invites a liberal patronage.

March 3, '53-2-1y. J. R. WINTZ.

Administrator's Notice.

Letters of administration having been granted to the subscriber as administrator of the estate of Henry Kuntz deceased, all persons indebted to said estate are hereby requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims against said estate, will present them for allowance; otherwise they may be precluded from having any benefit in the same. W. M. VARN

ARANAMA COLLEGE.

THIS Institution, under the care and supervision of the Presbytery of Western Texas, has been located at Goliad.

The Preparatory Department will be opened for the reception of pupils on the first Monday of July next. A large and commodious building, well adapted to the purpose of an Academy, is in readiness, and board can be had in its immediate vicinity, at moderate prices.

The Trustees have secured for this Department the services of Mr. C. Shive, A. B., a gentleman of high literary and scientific attainments, of tried moral worth, and capacity for teaching.—The public may rest assured that every effort will be made by the founders of the Institution, to render it worthy of the patronage of those who wish to secure for their children a thorough education, and moral training and discipline.

COURSE OF INSTRUCTION.

English Department.—McGuffey's series of Readers; Penmanship; Mitchell's Geography; Willard's History; Bullion's English Grammar; Logic and Rhetoric.

Composition, Elocution and Letter Writing, will be required alternately each week during the whole course.

Classical Department.—Bullion's Latin Grammar and Reader; Cæsar's Commentaries; Virgil, Sallust; Cicero's Orations; Bullion's Greek Grammar; Jacob's Greek Reader; Xenophon's Anabasis.

Mathematical Department.—Mental and Larger Arithmetic; Algebra; Geometry; Plane and Spherical Trigonometry; Mensuration and Surveying. The entire course by Davies.

Philosophical Department.—Natural Philosophy; Chemistry and Geology, by Comstock; Astronomy; Moral and Mental Philosophy.

Tuition, per session of five months, $20.

The course of instruction will be modified to suit those who expect to finish their education in the Academy. Further details may be obtained on application to either of the undersigned Trustees.

Rev. S. F. Cocke, Mr. F. Beaumont,
" John T. Cane, " P. R. Flemming,
" John McCrae, " W. B. Miller,
" J. F. Hillyer, " A. H. Phillips,
Julius A. Robbins.

Goliad, May 27, 1852. [18:1y-*Vic. Adv.*

WM. S. GLASS,

Attorney and Counsellor at Law,
VICTORIA,
march 10-3-1y. TEXAS

WILEY T. ROGERS,

ATTORNEY AT LAW,
HALLETSVILLE, LAVACA COUNTY, TEXAS.
Will Practice in the Courts of Lavaca and adjoining Counties.
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POTATES and GREEN APPLES.

JUST received per schooner Gazelle, direct from New York
150 bbls. Potatoes,
75 bbls Green Apples,
5 firkins Butter, an extra article,
10 boxes Buckwheat,
5 boxes Champ. Cider,
which we offer for sale low. H. RUNGE & CO.
Indianola, Jan. 4th, 1853.

E. P. BENNETT, M. D. T. M. HAWKS, M. D.

Drs. Bennett & Hawks.

HAVING associated themselves together in the practice of Medicine, offer their professional services to the citizens of Lavaca county. Where a consultation is necessary no extra charge will be made. Office in the Hallettsville Drug Store. Dec. 9, 1852-42

NEW FIRM.

S. A. WHITE and S. F. SOUTHERN (late of Kentucky) have this day entered into copartnership, for the purpose of transacting a

RECEIVING, FORWARDING, General Agency and Commission Business,
under the firm of

WHITE & SOUTHERN.

They occupy the large Warehouse, Wharf and Sheds, formerly occupied by S. A. White & Co. in Indianola, Texas. The business of the firm will be transacted exclusively by S. F. Southern, who will give his personal attention to the business. Patrons of the house may rely upon the most active exertions being used to obey their orders and instructions; and his experience for more than twenty years in business, he hopes, will enable him to give general satisfaction.

WHITE & SOUTHERN.
Indianola, Texas, Jan. 27th, 1853. [51.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

THE subscriber having been appointed administrator of the estate of Charles A. Purchase deceased. All persons indebted to said estate are hereby requested to make immediate payment; and those having claims against said estate, will present them for allowance, otherwise they may be precluded from having any benefit in the same.

[51:6w] AUGUSTUS FROMME,
Indianola, Feb. 9th, 1853. Administrator.

THE RED HOUSE,

26 miles above Indianola, and 13 below Victoria, Stage stand for Allen's tri-weekly line.

THE subscriber, having enlarged and improved his Stand, is prepared to render the travelling public comfortable, and solicits their patronage.

JOHN POLLAN.
Indianola, Feb. 17th, 1853—52:6w.

LAVEER HOUSE,

CORNER OF MAIN AND ADDISON STREETS, INDIANOLA,
J. C. BULLOCK, Proprietor.

THE proprietor of this establishment, having erected a new and commodious house, and fitted it up with a splendid marble billiard table and the best of wines, liquors, cigars, &c., invites the patronage of his friends and the public, and hopes to give general satisfaction.

Indianola, Feb. 17, 1853—52.

Administrator's Sale.

BY an order of the *Hon.* Probate Court of Calhoun county, granted at the Feb. term, 1853, the undersigned, Administrator of the estate of Henry Kuntz, deceased, will offer at public sale, at the court house door, in the town of Indianola, on the first Tuesday in April, 1853, a house and 2 lots, on one of which said house is situated, on Main street, in the town of Indianola, known as lots No. 4 and 5, in Block No. 3. Terms of sale cash. W. M. VARNELL,
Feb. 17, 1853-52-4t. Administrator.

Land for Sale.

THE subscriber will sell low, for cash or negroes a valuable tract of land, situated on the East side of Navadad river, thirty miles above Texana, in the lower edge of Lavaca county, containing 356 acres, 25 acres being under good fence. On the premise there is a good Dwelling House with all the necessary out houses. Also a lot of hogs and corn which I will sell with the place, if desired. T. F. ROYSTER.
Texana, Jan. 8th, 1853. [48:tf

250,000 feet lumber, just received per schooners Fakir, Hiram E. Bishop, and Rosalie; this with our previous stock on hand gives us a complete assortment of all kinds to select from, which we offer for sale.

H. RUNGE & CO.
Indianola, Jan. 18th, 1853. [48:tf

CRESCENT

STEAM MARBLE WORKS, Monuments, Tombs, Grave Stones, Mantel Pieces, Table Tops, &c.

ALL orders addressed to this establishment will be well executed, carefully boxed, and shipped to any given point in Texas, at as reasonable rates as any Factory of the kind in the United States.

JOHN CAVANAUGH,
222 Camp street, New Orleans.
[50-1y.

500 Willow Baskets.

IMPORTED direct pr Bark Republic, from Hamburg, which we offer to dealers in the country at importers prices. H. RUNGE & CO.

Texana New Goods.

THE subscribers have just received a new and splendid assortment of *Summer Goods*, consisting of a general assortment in all the department of

DRY GOODS,
BOOTS AND SHOES,
HATS AND CLOTHING,
HARDWARE, CUTLERY.
Also, a full supply of
GROCERIES AND PRODUCE,

Consisting in St. Louis Flour, Bacon, *Clear Sides, Hams,* Salt, Sugar, Molasses, Lard, &c.,

Liberal advances made on Cotton or other produce, shipped to our friends at New Orleans or New York from this point.

CLARK L. OWEN & CO.
Texana, June 8, 1852. [18:tf

GLOBE HOUSE,

VICTORIA, TEXAS.

THE public are respectfully informed that this well known and long established House is again open for the accommodation of *Travelers* and *Boarders.* The Proprietor has thoroughly repaired and renovated his House, and added additional rooms for the use of Families and Ladies. His

TABLE

will be supplied with all the necessaries of life, and as many of the luxuries as can be procured in the Victoria market.

There is conveniently attached to the House a good

STABLE AND HORSE LOT,

of suitable size, with a well of excellent water for the use of the stable. His stable is well stored with corn, fodder and hay, and will be faithfully attended by careful and experienced hostlers.

The Proprietor feels thankful to the public for past favors, and trusts by strict attention and industry in his business to merit and receive a liberal share of public patronage.

He flatters himself that his charges are extremely moderate and liberal. J. L. NICKELSON.
Victoria, Sept. 23, 1852. 31:6m

CUBAN OYSTER SALOON.

FRANCISCO E. BRAVO, respectfully informs his friends and the public that he has recently refitted the above establishment in a style unsurpassed by none in town, and is now prepared to furnish Oysters in every style to those who may honor him with a call.

The best of Wines and liquors always on hand.
Indianola, Dec. 16, 1852–43–3m.

HENRY C. COOK. CHAS. A. HARPER.

Cook & Harper,

Attorneys at Law and General Land Agents.
INDIANOLA, TEXAS.
Dec. 23d, 1852. [44—1y

Land Agency.

JOHN S. MENEFEE,

Texana, Jackson co., Texas.

Will attend to Selling Lands, Paying Taxes, Examining Titles, &c., on reasonable terms.

—REFER TO—
Mr. H. Stuart, Galveston,
Mr. John Henry Brown, Indianola,
Hon. Guy M. Bryan, Brazoria,
Mr R. M. Forbes, Lavaca,
Messrs. Logan & Sterne, Victoria,
" C. L. Owen & Co., Texana [44:6m

NOTICE!!! All persons indebted to us are earnestly requested to come forward and settle up; as the first of the new year is at hand, we wish to close our books.

CHAMBERS ETTER & CO.
Dec. 20th, 1852—45: tf.

GOSHEN BUTTER, English Diary Cheese and Holl'd Buckwheat, just received from New York, and for sale, low, by
CHAMBERS ETTER & CO.
Dec. 29th, 1852, 45: tf.

A. O. COOLEY, Attorney at Law and General Land Agent, Fredericksburg, Texas. *References;* Hon. William E. Jones and Major M. Erskine, Seguin; John Twohig and H. M. Lewis, San Antonio; E. D. Lane, Fredericksburg. 35-1y

DR. JAYNE'S

CELEBRATED FAMILY MEDICINES.

H. RUNGE & CO., *Agents in Indianola,* have constantly on hand an assortment of these well known Medicines, viz; Expectorant, Hair Tonic, Alterative Carminative Balsam, Vermifuge, Sanative and Ague Pills. The character of these Medicines is to well established to leave any doubt about their effect, if taken asdirected in the Almanacs, which are furnished gratis to the public, and for which they are invited to call.

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Bagging and Rope.

We have in store and for sale low, for cash or produce, a superior lot of K'y Bagging and Rope.
CHAMBERS ETTER & CO.
Dec. 29th, 1852—45: tf.

To Stock Raisers and Shippers.

THE subscribers have the pleasure to announce that their new and magnificent Wharf, at Powder Horn Bayou, is now completed, so that the largest steamships and sail vessels entering Matagorda Bay can at all times receive and discharge freight upon it without the trouble, delay, expense, and damage of lightering. They have constructed in connection with it, a large and convenient pen for shipping live stock, with the railroad car running into it, by which cattle, horses, mules or sheep can be shipped on to the vessels at the wharf with safety, speed, and great convenience. Grass and water is abundant within one and two miles of the wharf.

BALDRIDGE, SPARKS & CO.
Indianola, Dec. 2d, 1852. [41]tf

Cash Notice!

I HAVE determined from this day forward not to sell a *dimes* worth of goods on credit. I am very desirous of closing my books and would earnestly request those indebted to me to come forward and either pay their bills or settle them by note.

Grateful for past favors, I hope by adhering strictly to the *cash system* to offer such inducements as will merit a continuance of the same. I keep a general assortment of Groceries and Western Produce, Dry Goods, Hats, Boots, Shoes, ready made Clothing, &c., Wholesale & Retail.

THOS. D. WOODWARD.
Indianola, Nov. 25, 1852.

20 BBLS Oliver's extra Whiskey, for sale by
sep *HUCK & OGSBURY.*

For Sale.

550 ACRES of Land on Rocky Creek, Lavaca county, about 4 miles from Petersburg, and well improved.
Apply to HENRY BEAUMONT.
Indianola, Feb. 12, 1852. tf

Dr. John Bull's celebrated Sarsaparilla

FOR sale by BENNETT & SANFORD,
nov11 [38] Halletsville, Texas.

WOODEN WARE—Painted Buckets, Painted and Cedar Tubs, Brass Bound Cedar Buckets, cedar and painted churns, milk piggins, clothe pins, axe handles, scrub brushes, iron and brass wire seives, &c. In store and for sale low by
C. ETTER & CO.
Indianola, April 22, 1852.

JERRY SMITH, JR.,

LUMBER AND SHIPPING AGENT
INDIANOLA, TEXAS. [26:tf

Groceries.

50 bbls Flour.
30 bags Rio Coffee.
30 boxes Star Candles.
5 hhds. Sugar.
8 firkins fresh Goshen Butter.

Together with Potatoes, Onions, Mackrel, Codfish, Bacon sides, Molasses, Lard and Sperm Oil, fresh Raisins and Figs, &c., &c.; received per J. L. Day and Perseverance, and for sale by
44: 2w.] BALDRIDGE, SPARKS & CO.

NOTICE.

THE subscriber hereby notifies his friends and the public, that he intends closig his business in this city.

Thankful for all marks of patronag hitherto enjoyed, he hopes all those who are indbted to him will call and settle up accounts or notes.

The remaining stock on hand wi be sold low for cash, or on short terms for approved notes and acceptances. JAOB MAAS.
Indianola, Jan. 27, 1853–49.

PEISER & BROTHER

Are in the Field, with the following

GOODS,

Which were purchased at such remarkable low prices that the closest buyers cannot help proclaiming

Cheap! Cheaper than the Cheapest!!!!!!

Our Stock consists of the following which will be sold very low:

Dry Goods,

Bleached and brown sheetings and shirtings; cottonade; checks; hickory stripes; denims; kentucky jeans; linseys; kerseys; tweeds; satinets; casimeres; blankets; flannels; prints; ginghams; delaines; alpacas; merinos; cashmeres; silks; lawns; jaconet; mull; swiss and book muslins; thread and bobinet laces; veils; hosiery; diapers; toweling; table cloths; gloves; mitts; linen; curtains; handkerchiefs; lace; jaconet and swiss edgings and insertings; umbrellas; bonnets; buttons; pins; needles; tapes; genuine spool thread; sewing silks; bonnet ribbons; artificial flowers; with every article belonging to Dry Goods.

Clothing.

Cottonade, kentucky jeans, satinet and casimere pants; coats; sacks; cloaks; vests; shirts; drawers; suspenders; flannels; gurnseys; under shirts; &c.

Boots & Shoes.

Men's, women's youths' and misses' brogans; russets; ladies' walking buskins; slippers; gaiters; mud, fishermen's and dress boots; rubbers; leggins; and all kinds of children's shoes.

Hats & Caps.

Beaver, moleskin, seal, angola, mexican brush, jenny lind, pearl, casimere and wool hats; cloth, glazed, plush, military and navy caps.

Saddlery.

Men's and women's saddles; bridles; martingales; halters; heads and reins; girths; circingles; bridle bitts; stirups; stirup irons; hames; collars; webbing; whips; buckles; needles; tacks; thread; silks; leathers.

Hardware & Cutlery.

Knives and forks; pocket, pen and butcher knives; razors; scissors; spoons; locks; latches; bolts; hinges; files; screws; chisels; augurs; planes; saws; brace and bitts; gimlets; trace and log chains; sad irons; andirons; pots; ovens; stew pans; shovel and tongs; fenders; anvils; vices; bellows; stoves; pipes; tin ware; &c., &c.

Crockery Ware,

In original assorted crates, suited to the country trade; plates; dishes; teas; coffees; tea and coffee pots; pitchers; bowls; basins; ewers; chambers; &c.

Glass Ware.

Tumblers; goblets; wines; lamps; sugars; creams; salts; molasses jugs; castors; candlesticks; decanters; lanterns; preserve dishes, &c., &c.

Groceries.

Flour; coffee, sugar; lard; molasses; butter; cheese; hams; bacon; soaps; oils; shot; powder; lead; apples; peaches; potatoes; onions; spices; starch; indigo; vinegar; candles; rice; sardines; mackerel; codfish, &c., &c.

Liquors.

Brandies, Otard & Dupuy's; champaigne; rum; whiskey; gin; st. julian; claret; hock; cordials; &c.

Teas.

Imperial, gunpowder, sourhong, pouchong, oolong, young hyson, &c., &c.

Preserves.

Jellies; jams; prunes; peaches; fruits; apricots; pears; strawberries; raspberries; currants; gages; pickled and brandy fruits.

Cigars,

Imported from Havana, varying in price from $8 to $75 per thousand. American in abundance.

Fruits.

Raisins, figs, currants, nuts, candies.

Drugs & Medicines.

Castor oil; olive oil; quinine; Brandreth's and Moffat's pills; cream tartar; borax; rhubarb; nitre; magnesia; with a whole supply of plantation medicines.

Paints & Oils.

White lead; black lead; venetian red; spanish brown; chrome; green; &c. Oils, plain & boiled.

Stationery.

Foolscap; letter paper; post and all kinds of writing paper; steel pens; ink; sands; inkstands; blotters; pencils; slates; quills; blank books; hymns; bibles; novels; romances; visiting cards.

Clocks & Watches,

Of the most celebrated make, and warranted good time pieces.

Furniture.

Tables; chairs; rockers; wash stands; stools in a very great variety.

Jewelry & Fancy Goods.

Breastpins; ear-rings; bracelets; cuff-pins; lockets; card cases; gold and silver spectacles; silver spoons and forks; napkin rings; finger rings; dressing cases; work boxes; perfumed cushions; lily white; perfume; cologne; hair oil; salts; powder; powder puffs; spy glasses; thermometers; fancy hair pins; fancy knitting needles; &c., &c.; together with such an endless variety of Fancy Goods that it would be too tedious to enumerate them.

Cash Advances on cotton, sugar hides, skins, &c., &c., consigned to our friends in New Orleans, New York, or Europe.

PEISER & BROTHER,
[34] Indianola.

SPICE DRYED BEEF—Beef Tongues and Bologne Sausage, a fine assortment, in store and for sale by C. ETTER & CO.

DRUG STORE.

BENNETT & SANFORD,

HALLETSVILLE, TEXAS,

HAVE just received a new and fresh supply of Drugs, Medicines, Dye-Stuffs, &c., which they offer for sale at their Store. [38]tf

DR. WM. D. KELLEY,

RESPECTFULLY tenders his services to the citizens of Indianola and vicinity. Having had several years experience in the practice, he hopes to be able to give entire satisfaction.

Special attention given to Obstetrics and the diseases of females.

He can be found at the McCulloch House.
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WM. H. DALLAM. P. E. HUGHES.

Drs. Dallam & Hughes,

INDIANOLA, TEXAS.

WILL give their undivided attention to the various branches of their profession in Indianola and its vicinity. [1:1y.

For Sale.

ONE Fourth of League No. 21, West of the Bernard, granted to Amos Rallis, on Caney in Matagorda county. Apply to
HENRY BEAUMONT, *Indianola.*
Or HENRY THORPE, *Matagorda.*
Indanianola, Feb. 12, 1851. [1:tf

For Sale.

4428 ACRES Land, on west side of Caranchua Bay, in Calhoun county.
600 Acres on Sand Point, opposite Indianola.
640 Acres on east side Caranchua Bay.
4428 Acres in forks of Caranchua Creek, on tide water and well timbered, in Jackson county.
4428 Acres, survey No. 4, West side of Colorado River, in Matagorda county.
Apply to HENRY BEAUMONT.
Indianola, Feb. 12, 1852. [1:tf

150 *BBLS. WHISKEY AND BRANDY.* We have received on consignment a lot of Boyles' Rose Whiskey, Monongahela Whiskey, and Brandy, which we offer lower than they can be brought for from New Orleans. Apply to
Oct. 7. H. RUNGE & CO.

Lumber.

90,000 FEET OF LUMBER just received per Schr. Flummerfelt from Mobile, completing our already large stock.
sep 9 H. RUNGE & CO.

H. W. BATEMAN. L. E. SALLES.

New Fancy Store,

Corner of Fromme & Main Streets—formerly occupied by Huck & Ogsbury.

BATEMAN & SALLES would respectfully invite the attention of the ladies and gentlemen of Indianola and the country generally to the opening of their stock of *FANCY GOODS*, which was selected with the utmost care. Call and examine our stock before purchasing elsewhere, and no pains will be spared in exhibiting the goods. Our stock consists of satin dechine, plaid and gros de rhin and black silks, fancy embroidered silk cicilia tissues, printed turcoise, plain and figured muslin delains, plain french and english merinos, plain, figured and fancy muslin robes, pink, white, blue and black crape, white, black & figured bobinets, and a general assortment of embroidery, such as sleeves, cuffs, collars, capes and chemisettes, berthes, and a complete assortment of laces and trimmings for ladies' dresses; also, bonnet and other ribbons, neck ties, light, dark and black kid gloves for ladies and gentlemen: also, beaver, cashmere and egyptian fillet mitts and gloves, ladies' fine cambric handkerchiefs, several fine watered silk mantillas, very richly trimmed, embroidered tippet and cashmere shawls, pearl & black silk & cotton hose, swiss, mull, book and figured muslins; swiss and cambric edgings and insertings, and a great many other articles, too tedious to mention; yet we have a good stock of staple and domestic goods, french, english and american prints, fine plaid and plain oil ginghams, linseys, fine blue and black cloths, casimeres plain and gold mixed, and a good assortment of fashionable clothing, gentlemen's neck ties, apron stocks, silk and cotton half hose; also a small lot of choice bed blankets of best lambs' wool, and a complete assortment of the choicest perfumery for the ladies uses. Please give us a call, even if you do not purchase—it will cost nothing.

A complete assortment of ladies' gentlemen's and children's shoes.

P. S. Our terms are invariably cash, as we intend selling very low. Our prices can but induce every one to buy. BATEMAN & SALLES.
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San Antonio & Victoria papers copy.

BALDRIDGE, SPARKS & CO.,

Indianola, Texas,

HAVING established themselves at their new *POWDER HORN WHARF*, with a view of prosecuting a *Wholesale Business*, respectfully solicit the attention of Merchants and Planters of the interior to their LARGE STOCK OF GOODS, which they have recently selected in the Eastern markets with great care and at low rates. They flatter themselves that with the heavy supply they have on hand, the experience they have had in the Trade, and facilities they are enabled to afford, that they can make it to the interest of purchasers to patronise them instead of going to New Orleans, offering as they do, rates as low, and terms as accommodating. Their Stock consists, in part, as follows:

STAPLE & FANCY GOODS.

Plain and fancy silks and satin d'soi; berages; delanes; mouslins; cashmeres; embroideries; tarletons; ginghams; lawns; cambrics; muslins; laces; edgings; trimmings; cords; velvets; etc., etc.—Cloths; casimeres; vestings; satinets; tweeds; jeans; kerseys; linseys; 500 pcs prints; sheetings; shirtings; osnaburgs; bed and apron checks; ticking; denims; drills; stripes; flannels; table and curtain damask; toweling; diaper; 500 pair French & American blankets; ladies' silk and cotton hosiery; gentlemen's do; ladies' and gentlemen's kid, silk, buck and cotton gloves, mitts, &c.; collars; sleeves; chemizettes; linen cambric; French, works, handkerchiefs; cravats; shawls; etc.

CLOTHING.

The heaviest stock ever brought to the bay, of every cut and quality, adapted to the season.

HARDWARE.

Pocket, traveling and table cutlery; carpenters' and blacksmiths' tools of every kind; ox, log and trace chains; iron; steel; nails; butts; hinges; screws; castings; stoves; tea kettles; waffle irons; jack screws; and screw drivers.

GROCERIES.

50 hhds sugar; 100 sacks coffee; molasses; rice; teas; tobacco; dried fruits; pepper; ginger; spice; pickles; preserves; pie fruits; lobsters; sardines; clams; sauces; codfish & herrings; and a large stock

WESTE N PRODUCE.

Without enumerating farther, we simply say, that our stock of *Boots & Shoes, Hats & Caps, Glass & Queensware, Woodenware, Fancy Articles and Stationery*, is full and complete, and that we will take great pleasure in showing them.

We again invite the attention of purchasers before buying elsewhere. We will pay the highest price for Cotton, Peltries, and Pecans.

LUMBER.

In connection with our business, we have placed on two fine schooners, the "Arispe" and "Mary & Susan," and with them we hope to keep a fine supply of all kinds Building Materials, which we will afford lower than has ever been sold on the Bay at any previous time.

CASH ADVANCES.

We will make liberal cash advances on cotton and other produce consigned to our friends in New York and New Orleans.

BALDRIDGE, SPARKS & CO.
Indianola, Oct. 21, 1852.

S. A. WHITE. S. F. SOUTHERN.

WHITE & SOUTHERN,

Receiving, Forwarding
and
COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
INDIANOLA, TEXAS.

LIBERAL advances made on shipments to our correspondents in New Orleans and N. York.

Galveston News, San Antonio Texan and New Orleans Delta will please insert their card till forbid, and forward bills.
Feb. 3d, 1853.–50.

TOBACCO.

No. 59 Camp Street, New Orleans.

THE subscriber keeps on hand fine stocks of black heavy Tobacco, selected with great care expressly for the Mexican trade, either in hhds. or bales of 100 lbs. each. Prices varying as in quality. Also a great variety suited for Cigars. 60 days will be given where satisfactory references is given in this city.

[37]1y THOS. K. PRICE.

STOVES.

JUST received a lot of nonpareil cooking and parlor Stoves of assorted sizes, which we offer for sale low. H. RUNGE & CO.
October 7.

NEW STORE.

INDIANOLA, TEXAS.

THE subscriber, having removed his stock of Goods from Lavaca to Indianola, respectfully informs his friends and the public that he has taken the eligible stand on the corner opposite the Post Office, where he will keep always on hand a full and complete assortment of

Dry Goods, Clothing, Groceries, Hardware, Queensware, and General Merchandise.

—ALSO—

Flour, Bacon, Lard, and Western Produce generally, all of which he will sell at lowest market prices. He invites all to call and examine his stock. J. H. DAVIS.
Indianola, Sept. 30, 1852. 32:tf

CHAMBERS ETTER & CO.,

INDIANOLA, TEXAS,

Wholesale and Retail Dealer in Dry Goods, Clothing, Hats, Boots and Shoes, Hardware, Cutlery, Crockery, &c.

GROCERIES AND WESTERN PRODUCE

WILL make liberal advances on Cotton or other produce shipped to his friends in New York, Philadelphia or New Orleans.
Indianola, Feb. 12, 1852. [1:tf

Lavaca Male Institute.

JAMES C. ROWAN,
PRINCIPAL,

RESPECTFULLY informs the citizens of Lavaca, Indianola and neighborhood that the above Institution has been opened for general instruction in the following departments:—Greek and Latin, Geometry, Alegebra, Arithmetic, Book Keeping, Commercial Arithmetic, Geography, Mapping, History, Writing, Composition and Elocution, &c.

This institution is designed to be *permanent*, and therefore affords the citizens an opportunity for educating their youth, accurately and thoroughly, in any or all of the above branches.

The Principal insures to Parents and Guardians who may favor him with their Patronage, a rapid progress and utmost attention to the moral and intellectual requirements of the pupils committed to his charge.

MONTHLY SESSIONS.

Attendence from 9, A. M. to 12 M., and from 2 P. M. to 5 1-2 P. M.

March 3, 1853–2–tf.

SASH, DOOR, BLIND AND MOULDING FACTORY.

BAGDAD, West Florida.

THE undersigned, having purchased of Messrs. Forsyth & Simpson their interest in the above establishment, are prepared to execute, at short notice, all orders in their line. They expect to keep constantly on hand, at their factory and with their agents, an assortment of Doors, Sashes, Blinds and Mouldings, comprising all the various kinds most in use troughout the South.

A list of prices will be furnished upon application to their agents:

A. P. SIMPSON, New Basin, Covington Landing, New Orleans.
R. T. HOWELL & CO., Mobile, Aa., or to
BRONNUM & AVENY,
Bagdad, West Florida.

Post office address: Pensacola, Florida.
A list of prices may be seen at this office.

Matagorda Sugar.

JUST received per Sloop ——, from Caney River, twelve hogsheads best Texas Sugar, which I will sell at New Orleans prices.

JOHN H. DALE.
Indianola, March 3, '53–2

J. H. & J. SELKIRK,

Daguerreotype Operators

And Dealers in Daguerreotype Stock,
MATAGORDA, TEXAS.
Dec. 9, 1852. [42] 1y

W. T. ROGERS. B. B. WALKER.

ROGERS & WALKER,

Attorneys and Counsellors at Law,
AND
GENERAL LAND AGENTS,
Hallettsville, Lavaca County, Texas.

WILL attend promptly to all business entrusted to their care in the Courts of the Tenth Judicial District, and the Supreme Court at Austin. Especial attention will be given to buying and selling Land, and examining titles in Western Texas. Dec. 9, 1852–42

NEW FALL AND WINTER GOODS.

WE are just in receipt per schooners Hazard, Reindeer, Desdemona, President, and brig Lavaca, of our extensive stock of Fall and Winter Goods, direct from Philadelphia, New York and Boston, comprising Dry Goods, Clothing, Hats, Caps, Boots, Shoes, Bonnets, Saddlery, Hardware, Cutlery, Crockery, Glassware, Groceries, Iron, Steel, Stoves, &c., which we are now opening and offering to the trade at extreme low prices. We would advise our old customers and the public generally to call soon and make their purchases early. C. ETTER & CO.
Indianola, Sept. 30, 1852.

House and Lot for Sale.

THE late residence of George W. Palmer, on lot 10, block 4, in Indianola. Apply to
JOHN HENRY BROWN.
Oct. 7, 1852. 33:2m

AUCTIONEER

AND COLLECTOR OF ACCOUNTS.

WILLIS CHAMBERLIN, (Sheriff of Calhoun county,) offers his services to the public as *Collector of Accounts.* All notes, bills, &c., placed in his hands for collection will be attended to with promptness and energy, and returns made without delay.

He also solicits the patronage of the public as a *Licensed Auctioneer*, and will give particular attention to the sale of any consignments of goods or other property with which he may be favored.

References:

C. Etter & Co., J. A. Settle, Aug. Fromme, J. Ashworth, H. Runge & Co., Jacob Maas, S. A. White, J. H. Davis, Huck & Ogsbury, John H. Dale, Peiser & Bro., Wm. P. Milby. [31:tf

STANTON & THOMSON,

Commission Merchants,
New Orleans, Mobile and Texas Packet Agents.
50,tf.] **114 Wall Street, New York.**

GEO. N. WILLIAMSON,

ATTORNEY AT LAW,
Hallettsville, Lavaca co., Texas,

WILL practise in the various Courts of the tenth Judicial District, and in the Supreme Court of the State of Texas. [50–1y.

BALDRIDGE, SPARKS & CO.,

COMMISSION
AND FORWARDING MERCHANTS,
AND
WHOLESALE DEALERS
IN FANCY AND STAPLE DRY GOODS, GROCERIES
AND WESTERN PRODUCE,

Crockery, Glassware, Tin, Iron and Hardware, Boots, Shoes and Clothing, &c., &c.
At the new wharf, Powder Horn Bayou,
INDIANOLA, TEXAS.

WILLIAM P. MILBY. JAMES ASHWORTH.

WILLIAM P. MILBY & CO.,

Licensed Auctioneers,
33:1y INDIANOLA, TEXAS,

PRODUCE OF ALL KINDS WANTED.

THE undersigned will purchase Hides, Skins, Cotton, Wool, Tallow, Wax, Horns, Moss or any other Texas produce at fair rates for cash, or exchange against other merchandize.
sep 2 JACOB MAAS.

Dr. J. H. Baldwin

OFFERS his Professional services to the inhabitants of Indianola and its vicinity.
Office at his residence. [1:1y.

John C. Cleland.

ATTORNEY AT LAW AND NOTARY PUBLIC,
INDIANOLA TEXAS.

OFFICE in the rear of Palmer's confectionery. All instruments of writing executed with neatness and despatch [1:tf.

H. A. Perryman,

ATTORNEY AT LAW,
SEGUIN, TEXAS. [1:1y.

PRIVATE BOARDING, Mrs. Van Vleet, No 63 Barclay street, New York. Charges per day $1 25. [14:1y.

15 SACKS RIO COFFEE, for sale by
sep 2 *HUCK & OGSBURY.*

For Sale.

ONE League of Land No. 2, on highland Bayou in in Galveston county, granted to Administrator of John Austin. Apply to
HENRY BEAUMONT, *Indianola.*
Indianola, Feb. 12, 1852. [1:tf

BAND Iron for Cisterns, for sale by
sep 2 RUNGE & Co.

Matagorda Male & Female INSTITUTE.

THE Principal, Professor J. J. Carolan, having purchased and fitted up the well known commodious and beautifully located building, the Mansion House, situated in the most healthy and desirable portion of the town of Matagorda, and overlooking the Matagorda Bay, designs establishing an Institution (commencing on the *First Monday of January next,*) with the view of furnishing young Ladies and Gentlemen the means of acquiring a thorough and finished education, which, invariably, must contemplate the harmonious development of the intellectual, moral and physical constitution.

For the attainment of this end, an important object of the Principal will be, to teach his pupils to reason logically, to speak and write correctly, as well as to exact strict conformity to the Rules.

Both departments, shall be under the superintendence of the Principal, who shall be aided by competent Assistants, as the wants of the school may demand.

The Female department will be under the immediate supervision of Mrs. Carolan, who will use every energy for the proper development of the mental and moral faculties of all those entrusted to her care.

RATES OF TUITION, PER SESSION OF FIVE MONTHS:

For Spelling, Reading, Writing and First Lessons in Arithmetic,	$12 50
Arithmetic, Geography, English Grammar, History and Elocution,	15 00
Logic, Rhetoric, Mental and Moral Philosophy, Natural Philosophy, Chemistry, Ancient Languages, Mathematics, Civil Engineering and Surveying, &c.	25 00
Music, Piano, Vocal and Instrumental, with the use of the Instrument,	30 00
Matriculation fee,	1 00

The cant "*sum doctissimus,*" has become so common that we have declined saying any thing further of our qualifications, &c., but would respectfully invite our patrons or others who may feel desirous, to examine honorary certificates and testimonials from some of the first Institutions in the United States.

P. S.—A large number of young ladies can be accommodated with board and washing, at the Institute. dec. 23, 1852–44–1y

OX Wagons.—New Pittsburgh Ox Wagon for sale by H. RUNGE & CO.
Indianola, June 10, 1852.

TOWN LOTS FOR SALE.

AS agent for various owners I am authorised to sell town lots at different points from upper Indianola to Powder Horn Bayou.
11 C. A. HARPER.

Fresh Groceries.

JUST received per schooner Clinton, direct from New York,
22 bags prime green Rio Coffee,
3 do old Java do
25 boxes Soap,
6 boxes Lemon Syrup,
50 boxes and half boxes mr Raisins,
1 case Sardines,
40 bags ground Rock Salt,
8 boxes " Pepper, Ginger and Spice,
10 doz Scotch and Macaboy Snuff,
3 boxes Stoughton Bitters,
12 boxes and barrels Soda Biscuit,
6 bbls Water Crackers,
10 do Pilot and Navy Bread,
10 boxes Clarret Wine,
6 " Chocolate,
12 " assorted Brandy Fruits,
9 dz. " Lobsters,
16 " assorted Pickles,
8 " Pie Fruits,
1 case Canton Ginger,
24 packages choice Wines and Liquors.

The above fresh and seasonable goods are offered to the trade low for cash or produce.
CHAMBERS ETTER & CO.
October 7, 1852. [3:tf

LEMONS & RAISINS.—25 boxes Lemons and 50 boxes Raisins just received per James L. Day, for sale low by H. RUNGE & CO.
Dec. 9, 1852–42

FLOUR.—I am in weekly receipt of the choicest brands Extra St. Louis Flour, Crescent and Albian Mills, in half and whole barrels; also other good brands, which will be sold low for cash. JOHN H. DALE.
Indianola, *Aug.* 12, 1852.

Lumber! Lumber!

WE have constantly on hand, a general assortment of rough and dressed lumber, such as scantling, inch boards, weatherboards, flooring, laths, dressed flooring, ceiling, and shingles. We receive regular supplies from Mobile, and always keep a stock of from one to two hundred thousand feet, enabling us to fill orders for the different kinds.

We also keep an assortment of nails, carpenters tools, paints and window sash, all of which we offer at the lowest price for cash. H. RUNGE & CO.
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20,000 REGALIA CIGARS, for sale by
sep 2 *HUCK & OGSBURY.*

FULTON MARKET BEEF, at retail and by the package, by AUG. FROMME.
Indianola, June 17, 1852.

JOHN T. COATES. W. C. LYLES.

JOHN T. COATES & CO.,

DEALERS IN
Family Groceries and Boat Stores.
INDIANOLA, TEXAS.
Jan. 13, '53–1y.] T. S. COATES, agent.

STAR LINE

WESTERN TEXAS PACKETS

BETWEEN
New York and Matagorda Bay.

THE line is composed of the following splendid vessels, sailing punctually as advertised.

New Ship	Island City,	Capt.	*P. Saunders.*
– Ship	Gulf Stream,	–	*O P Saunders.*
– Brig	Lavaca,	–	*W Greenman.*
– Schr.	Telegraph,	–	*Green.*
– Schr.	Anthem,	–	*Burrows.*
– Schr.	Wm. H. Hazard,	–	*Austin.*
– Schr.	Urbanna,	–	*Liscombe.*
– Schr.	Venice,	–	*Fist.*
– Bark	(now building)	–	*Barber.*

The above vessels are all of the first class, built expressly for the trade, and being of extremely light draft water, will cross the bars without detention. They are commanded by Captains of experience in the trade, who will, with the Agents, exert themselves to accommodate shippers. All goods consigned to the Agents in New York will be forwarded by the Line free of commissions.

Agents STANTON & THOMSON,
50:tf.] 114 Wall street, New York.

Family Groceries.

THE subscriber is now opening near the Government Wharf, Indianola, a fresh supply of Family Groceries, consisting of a complete assortment of every article in this line. Families would do well to call, as he will sell at the lowest cash rates.
47: tf.] JERRY SMITH Jr.

H. S. PARKER. E. F. FLY.

PARKER & FLY,

Attorneys,
47-1y GONZALES, TEXAS.

FOUND.

A POCKET BOOK, containing a sum of money which the owner can have by proving property and paying for this advertisement.
Enquire of W. H. WOODWARD.
Indianola, Jan. 27, 1853–49.

RECEIVED per steamship James L. Day a new supply of heavy Pittsburgh Ox Wagons and Mule Wagons, which we offer for sale low.
H. RUNGE & CO.
Indianola, June 18th, 1853. [48:tf.

THE GREAT KENTUCKY REMEDY.

DR. JOHN BULL'S SARSAPARILLA.

IT is put up in full quart bottles, and contains the strength of six times as much pure Honduras Sarsaparilla as any similar preparation in America. Price, one dollar per bottle, or six bottles for five dollars.

It has been a well established fact, for years past, that Sarsaparilla, when pure and properly prepared, was the only true panacea for all diseases originating from an impure state of the blood, the use of mercury, intoxicating drinks, evil habits in youth, barrenness, &c. We boldly assert, that JOHN BULL'S FLUID EXTRACT OF SARSAPARILLA is the only preparation before the public that is prepared on strictly scientific principles, and of uniform strength. [illegible]

Bull's Sarsaparilla also contains the virtues of [illegible] other valuable medical roots, together forming the best compound, and producing THE GREATEST CURATIVE AGENT IN THE KNOWN WORLD! This medicine, when used according to directions, WILL CURE, WITHOUT FAIL—

Scrofula or King's Evil, Cancers, Tumors, Eruptions of the Skin, Erysipelas, Chronic Sore Eyes, Ringworm or Tetters, Scald Head, Rheumatism, Pains in the Bones and Joints, old Sores and Ulcers, Swelling of the Glands, Syphilis, Dyspepsia, Salt Rheum, Diseases of the Kidneys, Loss of Appetite, Diseases arising from the use of Mercury, Pain in the Side and Shoulders, General Debility, Dropsy, Lumbago, Jaundice, Costiveness, Sore Throat, Bronchitis, Coughs, Colds, Weakness of the Chest, Pulmonary Affections, and all other Diseases tending to produce Consumption, Liver Complaint, Female Irregularities and Complaints, Sick and Nervous Headache, Low Spirits, Night Sweats, Exposure or Imprudence in Life, Chronic Constitutional Disease, and is a Spring & Summer Drink, and General Tonic for the System, and a Gentle and Pleasant Purgative, far Superior to Blue Lick or Congress Water, Salts, or Seidlitz Powders.

READ! READ!! READ!!!

The truly wonderful and remarkable cures that have come under our immediate observation, have more than convinced us that Doctor Bull is a great man, and that his Fluid Extract of Sarsaparilla is the most valuable combination of vegetable extracts that the science of chemistry has yet produced. All success to the Doctor in his new enterprise, say we.—LOUISVILLE COURIER.

We agree with our neighbor of the Courier, [illegible]

The above complimentary notices from the editors of the Louisville Courier and Democrat, [illegible]

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NOTICE TO FEMALES.

John Bull's Sarsaparilla is one of the greatest female medicines now in existence. [illegible]

A BEAUTIFUL CLEAR SKIN.

How we all admire a clear, beautiful, white skin, and a rosy colored cheek! [illegible] Bull's Sarsaparilla is the best cosmetic known. It beautifies the skin by removing every particle of morbid and diseased matter from the blood, making it pure, healthy, and vigorous, giving activity to every pore [illegible] the only effectual remedy. "A word to the wise is sufficient, and a hint is enough for the ladies.

We earnestly invite all persons who are suffering [illegible] John Bull's agent, and get a copy of Bull's Family Journal, GRATIS [illegible] Sarsaparilla [illegible]

Dr. John Bull's Principal Office, 51 Fourth street, Louisville, Ky., where all applications for Agencies must be addressed.

For sale, wholesale and retail, in Indianola at Lewis & Hughes and J. H. Rees' Drugstores. [27:1t

To Arrive.

DAILY expected to arrive by Brig Mary and Barque Trinity from New York and Boston and transhipped per schooner McNeel—

15 casks white and red wines, viz., Sauterne, Port, Bordeaux, Malaga, and Madeira; [illegible] pale and dark Cognac 1842; 2 do do Vintage 1845, as good if not superior to any Cognac ever imported here; 9 Casks of Rye and Bourbon Whiskey; [illegible] Vamar Cream Ale; 1 bbl Alcohol; [illegible] lbs white and black Lead; 100 gals Linseed Oil; 50 kegs cut Nails and Spikes; 25 bags of Soap; [illegible] superior Coffee; 15 Oporto Syrup; 2 do Horse Radish; 15 boxes Raspberry Vinegar; 2 do red Cayenne pepper; 5 do Mustard; 10 do Olive or Salad oil; 5 bbls crushed sugar; 5 do Rice; 2 do Sea [illegible]; 1 do bright Varnish; 20 do smoking Tobacco; assortment of Window Glass, colored [illegible], Wall paper or Tapestry; Glass Tumblers, Copal Varnish, also Duck, Matches, Spices, Saleratus, Indigo, Starch, Woodenware, Hardware, Anchors, Rope, Whale Oil, Boston, Crackers, Spy Glasses, Compasses, Gallins Axes, for sale at very acceptable terms.
sep 2 JACOB MAAS.

NEW STORE.

J. H. DAVIS has just opened in Indianola a large and valuable Stock of Goods, suitable for Fall and Winter—

Dry Goods, Groceries, Hardware and Cutlery, Hats, Caps, Boots and Shoes, Queens & Woodware,

Comprising a very complete assortment of Merchandise, selected with care, expressly for this market, which he offers upon the most favorable terms. Cash advanced on cotton, wool, beef hides, deer skins and pecans, for shipment to New Orleans, New York or Philadelphia, or he will purchase at the highest cash price. [34:tf

20,000 CYPRESS shingles received by schooner "Roan", from the Sabine, which we offer for sale.
H. RUNGE & CO.
Indianola, Feb. 21st, 1853.

Indianola Bulletin.

JOHN HENRY BROWN, EDITOR.

INDIANOLA, TEXAS.

THURSDAY, :::::: MARCH 10, 1853.

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All advertisements must be marked with the number of insertions, otherwise they will be continued until forbid, and charged accordingly.

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Removal.—The Bulletin Office will hereafter be in our new building on Second street, opposite the residence of Capt. H. E. Bochme.

Matagorda Sugar.—The sch't Magnolia, from Caney river, last week, brought down 25 hogsheads Matagorda Sugar, and 40 barrels molasses to Mr. Aug. Fromme, which we find to be a superior article. See advertisement.

☞ By an advertisement in to-day's paper, it will be seen that Mr. Thomas A. Campbell, as administrator, offers for sale some valuable real estate.

☞ We invite attention to the card of the Rotaw House, by Mrs. L. Jones.

School Books.—We are indebted to Mr. James Burke, of Houston, through Messrs. C. Etter & Co., of this place, for copies of various school books, embracing McGuffy's popular Eclectic Series. It is designed to make these works known and adopted in Texas, which has been done already to a great extent, in order to produce uniformity in our schools. We have heard McGuffy's series highly mentioned for several years. The advertisement will be found in the Bulletin.

The books are for sale by C. Etter & Co.

Thanks.—To Gen. Sam Houston for sundry public documents.

To Gen. Rusk for a copy of his Pacific Railroad bill.

To Mr. Alfred Da Costa, steamship Texas, for late papers.

Dinner to Capt. J. Smith.—A complimentary dinner was given on the 3rd inst. at the Alhambra Hotel, by the citizens of Indianola, to Capt. Jeremiah Smith, senior, of the Steamship Louisiana. William H. Woodward presided, assisted by Jno. Henry Brown as vice president. About forty gentlemen sat down to a sumptuous feast; sentiments and good feeling abounded and the best evidence given of the high esteem in which Capt. Smith and his officers are held in this community.

The Turnpike.—A meeting of the citizens of Indianola was held at the court house on Friday night, for the purpose of laying the Turnpike charter before them, and of opening the books for subscription, John Henry Brown presiding and Doctor Hughes acting as Secretary. Messrs. Peiser, Etter, Huck, Thielepape, Varnell and others of our citizens, and Mr. T. Storne of Victoria offered remarks. A second meeting was held Saturday night, Henry Runge in the chair, H. J. Huck Secretary. The result is, that the people have taken hold of the matter in good earnest; enough of the stock has been taken to insure the success of the work, which will be commenced as soon as the contracts can be let.

Grand Raffle.—Mr. L. H. Woods, Jeweller, Main street, Indianola, has gotten up a grand scheme for a raffle on the 4th of April. The scheme embraces—

One Chinese Clock, 1st prize,	$100 00
One double cased Hunting Watch,	80 00
One extra Music Box,	75 00

and divers smaller prizes to make a total of $1,000. There are 500 chances of $2 each. The scheme and prizes may be seen at Mr. Woods' establishment, and offers tempting inducements to those disposed to take an interest in such matters. The articles are guarantied to be of a superior order.

☞ We have received the proceedings of a meeting of what purports to be the "Interbeltwians," but the society will excuse us for declining their publication, as it would be in violation of the course we have and wish still to pursue towards the matters and things therein pitched into.

☞ Supreme Court will adjourn at Galveston on the 12th March.

☞ To be eligible as a Director in the Indianola and Victoria Turnpike Company, which election comes off to-morrow night, requires that the candidate shall have taken 5 shares or $250 of the capital stock.

☞ The District Court will commence its spring session in Indianola on Monday the 21st March, and hold for two weeks.

☞ The steamship James E. De , arrived at this place on yesterday morning. To Mr. Wakefield, her accommodating clerk, we are indebted for late N. Orleans papers.

☞ The steamship Texas, Capt. James Lawless, arrived at Indianola from New Orleans, on Tuesday, with dates to March 4th, from which we make extracts.

District Judge.—The impression generally prevails that the election for Judge of this the tenth district, will come off at the election next August. We learn that this is probably a mistake. The act creating this district was passed in the spring of 1848, to *take effect* on the first of August of that year. Judge Jones was commissioned for six years for the same district, which will run to August, 1854. Or should his time run from the date of the commission, (which could not be as the law creating the district did not take effect till August,) he would still get through the spring courts of 1854, and the August election following would occur before the fall term of the courts. This, we learn from a member of the bar, is the true state of the case, and if so there will be no election this year.—If there is to be an election, however, the people should know it at an early day.

Steamer Colorado Sunk.—We regret to learn by the LaGrange Monument and the Matagorda Tribune, that the steamboat Colorado run on to a snag a few miles below LaGrange, on the 28th Feb., and sunk in three feet water. The machinery and a part of her cargo will be saved. The loss is a great one to her owners. Messrs. Powell & Coen of Matagorda, and to the Colorado Valley generally, and we sincerely lament so sad an accident to men of great enterprize in a good work.

Texana.—On our first page we publish the proceedings of a railroad meeting in Texana, by which it will be seen the people of that place are endeavoring to attract enterprise and attention to the advantages of their town. That Texana has an advantageous position cannot be doubted, and it only requires enterprise to develope the fact. The appropriation to clear out the Lavaca will redound greatly to the advantage of Texana, if the law should be approved by the people, of which there is no doubt.

Matagorda.—The schooner Anthem, Capt. Burrows, cleared at Matagorda, March 7th for New York, with 352 bales cotton and 45 hogsheads of sugar. The Reindeer, Cathcart, was loading for the same destination.

Cuba—Vice President King.—Late arrivals from Havana announce the rapid convalescence of Mr. Wm. R. King. He was staying in a sugar house, near Havana, from which he experienced almost instantaneous relief. He is attended by two nephews and two nieces. The nation will rejoice to learn of his recovery.

The authorities of Havana forcibly broke open and searched the United States mail on the steamships Empire City and Crescent City, to detect if possible who were the patriots of Cuba. Consul Sharkey had sent a manly protest to the Captain General.—Those Cubanos are determined to heap one insult upon another, till brother Jonathan shall get angry and drive them where the Devil drove the hogs, and there will be an end of despotism on that fair Island.—"Whom the Gods will destroy, they first make mad."

Great loss by Fire.—On the night of March 2nd, the Alabama Cotton Press of New Orleans, with 20,000 bales of cotton, was consumed by fire. Loss said to be about $1,900,000. The True Delta says—

"At the lowest computation, 20,000 bales were burned, which, at $40 per bale, will amount to $800,000. A great portion of this cotton was held on foreign account, leaving the probability that the loss will be divided among a great number of Insurance Offices, domestic and foreign.—The loss on the offices in this city, will, from all we can learn, fall most heavily on the "Home Mutual," the "Crescent" and the "Sun Mutual."

The loss of our worthy fellow citizen, John M. Bell, the proprietor of the press, will be from 20,000 to $25,000, he being entirely uninsured. We could not learn whether the sheds and buildings were insured or not, and cannot therefore say on whom the loss will fall."

River Improvement.—The bill appropriating money to clear out our rivers, after many contradictory statements, did actually become a law; but has to be submitted to a vote of the people in August. It appropriates $21,000 to the Lavaca river, sufficient to make it the finest navigable stream in Texas, as high as Texana.

New York Vessels.—At N. York on the 23d February, the schooners Telegraph, Louisa and E. Dellussy were advertised for Indianola and Matagorda bay.

Our Districts.—The new law makes a decided improvement in the arrangement of our Senatorial district, which is now composed of the counties of Calhoun, Jackson, Lavaca, DeWitt, Goliad and Victoria, all contiguous territory having a community of interest. Calhoun and Jackson constitute a representative district, which is also a good arrangement, as the two counties have an identity of interest and feeling.—Victoria and Goliad, also, elect one representative.

To get fees.—There is a certain magistrate within our acquaintance who has been often called upon to swear men to vouchers and divers other papers wanting that kind of authentication; but who found that men generally obtained his services and walked off without paying his legal fee. To prevent this, he has adopted the following form of oath: "You do solemnly swear that the matters and things set forth in this instrument are true *and that you will pay me four bits forthwith*—so help you *God*." He says this form of the oath yields him a nett revenue of $2 50 per day.

Texian Anniversaries.—During the past week, two of the great anniversaries in Texian history have past—the Declaration of Independence on the second, and the fall of the Alamo on the 6th of March. No true son of this proud young State can recur to those events without feelings of pride—an inward glow of manly gratulation that *he, too*, belongs to the State and people by whom and among whom those illustrious achievements were wrought. "*Remember the Alamo!*" was the war cry rung by our invincible van at the charge of San Jacinto. The foe were overcome by the one word "*Alamo*," and hundreds of them on the suppliant knee, exclaimed "*me no Alamo!*" The patriotic Potter had already prophetically said—

"And 'Alamo' shall hereafter be,
In bloodier fields, the battle cry."

The blood of the heroes of the Alamo, hallowed by a righteous cause, ascended to Heaven as holy incense, an offering from the martyrs for their bleeding country.—That holy sacrifice was answered on the field of San Jacinto, where the over-ruling power of God was displayed in the fall of the blood-stained, barbarian hosts before a handful of brave men, battling in defence of their homes and firesides.

Commodore Moore.—Through the kindness of a friend, we have been placed in possession of the report of the survey of Matagorda Bay, made in October, 1841, by Com. Moore, of the Texian Navy, to Dr. Branch T. Archer, Secretary of War. We shall publish the document in a week or two, as one possessing much interest, not only to Matagorda Bay, but to all of middle and western Texas. Com. Moore, both then and in 1848, declared in unequivocal terms the practicability of deepening Matagorda Bar to 20 feet, by which the largest class of ships could enter the Bay, and thus we should possess the best port south of Charleston, and, when taken in connection with our peculiar position with regard to the great empire west and north-west of us, and to the Pacific Railroad, we may claim in all sincerity, that our Bay, as the seat of a great commercial city, would be unrivalled south of Baltimore. This, to some, may doubtless seem visionary; but to those who have carefully investigated the subject, it will appear as the natural sequence to an improvement of the bar as above, and the developement of the vast region to which we have referred as tributary to this Bay. It is unnecessary to say that after crossing the bar, the water is 25 to 30 feet deep for several miles, and 12 to 13 feet deep up to the harbor of Indianola.

VERY LATEST NEWS.

By the Perseverance we have N. Orleans dates to the 5th. Gen. Pierce was inaugurated on 4th: he unofficially announced his cabinet thus—Marcy sec'y state, Guthrie of Ky. treasury, Cushing att'y general, Jeff. Davis war, McClelland of Mich., Dobbin N. C. and Campbell of Penn., to the other posts. Cotton dull in Europe. The insurrection in Milan suppressed and its leaders hung: martial law proclaimed in the city.

No Fair.—The Fair which was to come off at Corpus Christi next May, has been abandoned, in consequence of the formation of a State Agricultural Society at Austin this winter, which has taken charge of the subject of State fairs. They will at a proper time designate the time and place for such exhibition. We should suppose La Grange or Austin would be a desirable place on many accounts. We hope to see the thing encouraged, as well as every other measure calculated to encourage agriculture and stock raising, the foundation of our prosperity as a State.

The Steamship Perseverance, Capt. Tho. Forbes, arrived from New Orleans yesterday. Thus we have had three Steamships to arrive in two days—the Texas, Day and Perseverance. Our thanks are due each for late papers.

☞ In the new charter of the city of Brownsville, on the Rio Grande, it is provided that all persons wishing to vote in the city elections shall register their names with the proper officer three months before the election. This is to prevent the permanent citizens of the place from being overrun by the importation of Mexicans across the Rio Grande on the day of election, and is a wholesome check to frauds. A well-informed gentleman told us that he had no doubt but that if the American population on the Rio Grande were united among themselves, Mexican voters could be bought and brought over the river sufficient to control our State elections, as the Mexicans in immense numbers had no just appreciation of the right of suffrage and could be swayed by intrigue or money.

☞ The roads are again dry and in good order.

Apportionment.—Under the new apportionment the following districts are established:

Calhoun and Jackson, counties one representative.
Victoria and Goliad, one representative.
Lavaca and De Wit, one representative.
Gonzales, one representative.
Guadalupe, one representative.
Caldwell and Hays, one representative.
Calhoun, Jackson, Lavaca De Witt, Goliad and Victoria, one Senator.
Gonzales, Guadalupe, Caldwell, Hays and Comal, one Senator.
Galveston one Senator.
Matagorda, Wharton, Brazoria and Fort Bend, one Senator.
Bexar, one Senator.

Correspondence of the Bulletin.

New Orleans, Feb. 27, 1853.

Dear Sir—The question of Free Banking is much agitated here at this time and two bills have been presented to the Legislature for their incorporation, but such features exist in each as to render them objectionable, even to the best friends of the institution. One gives as a basis of Capital bonds of the General or State Government, the corporation or bonds of any Railroad Company bearing 6 per cent. interest. Although full confidence in all railroad stocks exists still it affords too great a latitude, and opens such a field for fraud and speculation that it has few friends.

One of the first aims and ends of the late Convention was to still the clamour from this hot bed of enthusiasm for Banking facilities; but it is a matter of extreme doubt whether the present Legislature will create any enactment for such a purpose, and it is a matter of still greater doubt whether the people are as eager for such a law as formerly.

The practical operations of Free Banking in N. York, where it has been in existence several years, seems not to have borne the test or to exhibit in its returns so handsome a report as its theory promised; in consequence of which, and a desire to "butter their bread on the right side," the hard monied old fogies would rather hold off until others too have given it a test. This is all very well!—"It is better to bear the ills we have than fly to those we know not of."—high rates of interest and great depreciation of produce at times consequent upon the stringency of the money market are evils which it was hoped would be arrested by this new system, and there is but little doubt in my mind, that if it is properly bolstered, it will be highly popular and successful. As the example is set in the Empire State however, it is not calculated to win over new friends. The Governor's last message is rather caustic in its comments on the system and declares that "the Banks evade the law requiring them to do their business in a certain place and circulate their notes through brokers in distant cities." "Further legislative restraints he says are necessary to save the public from frauds and losses. In some instances bills have been obtained upon insufficient security by fraudulent representations."

The State of Massachusetts three years ago passed an act establishing Free Banks, but I do not believe any have yet been incorporated. The reason is simply that the banking facilities of the State are sufficient for the transaction of all the wants of business; but in New York, the great accommodations of Banks and the millions of sound currency in circulation there, was inadequate to the wants of the stock-jobbing, intriguing financiers,—he wanted a more extended latitude for his brilliant operations and the free banking law supplied it. The late reports however of the banks is no proof against the success of the institution, for there it has had to contend against a large surplus of capital, and the accredited safety and liberality of the best chartered institutions in the world; besides which, it has fallen into hands who have better use of their legitimized shin plasters than the depreciated securities they have deposited in lieu of them. It will be conceded on all sides eventually that a general banking law is much better adapted to the requirements of trade than special charter and many now regard the basis of Federal or State stock security more safe than specie.

Illinois and Indiana have both adopted the new system, and in the articles of the first but little stringency could have been observed, for in one of its towns there exists a banking institution having for its capital certificates of deposite of Page, Bacon & Co., private bankers of St. Louis, men though of great reputed wealth and doing a heavy exchange business with California, would be "swamped" if a San Juan steamer was lost, or a crisis in commercial affairs occurred.

Your Legislature I see has rejected by a vote of the chair a bill for the incorporation of banks.—Though boasting of Democratic rule it is to be hoped that it will become wiser at its next session and have its eyes more clearly opened to the wants of the community. The Bank of Commerce at Galveston cannot and does not afford facilities for the west or east. The west I know is now suffering in consequence of a want of these facilities and commerce and trade is much retarded on the same account. Inconveniences and losses are thus daily sustained in all the largest towns and it is a matter of surprise that greater exertion was not made for a passage of the bill. It is an undeniable fact that you cannot get along at present without employing foreign State paper which is much more liable to subject you to losses than if the Bank was in your own midst.

What do you know of the solvency of the Hartford, (Conn.) Bank? I expect there is no less than $100,000 of it circulating in Texas, and I infer this much on that account, that if the Bank cannot find at home sufficient proportionate circulation to its capital that it is no worthy reflection on the institution that its paper is sent so far abroad. Take Sam Slick's classic advice "mens tuus ego." The Metropolitan Hotel of N. York city has a Bank connected with it situated in the western part of the State, gotten up solely with the view to furnish notes to the Hotel. Its stock is chiefly held by the Messrs. Leland's, after whom it is called and the notes are used for their convenience in furnishing change to travellers and paying for marketing and servants hire, a mode of circulation which guarantees their being long kept afloat.

The designed issue of circulation so far away from a Bank's place of business is no evidence of its solvency and should be regarded more with suspicion than otherwise. Discard such paper from your State. Do not attempt like Mississippi did in 1847 by a special enactment of the Legislature, but let public opinion rule it out and let institutions with a safe basis be established amongst you.

The steamship Albatross arrived here on the 21st bringing intelligence of the conclusion of a contract by A. G. Sloo, Esq., for right of way across the Isthmus of Tehuantepec, with the exclusive privilege of navigating the Coatzacoalcos, of which it is believed is susceptible to a greater length than has yet been attempted. The same steamship brought a California mail via Mexico and Vera Cruz, seven days quicker time than has been made. A mail contract has been made with our Government for its regular transmission. I learn Mr. Samuel Morgan, of N. York, has that part of the line from this to Vera Cruz, which I suppose will be executed by our friends Harris & Morgan. Yours, SAND-BAR.

Honey Locust.—We were not aware till now that the honey locust grew wild in western Texas. We are now informed that it is occasionally found in the Guadalupe bottom.

At a called meeting of Indianola Lodge, No. 84 of F. & A. Masons, at their Lodge Room in city of Indianola, county of Calhoun, and State of Texas, on the 8th day of March, A. D. 1853, A. L. 5853. The following preamble and resolutions were adopted, to wit:

"Whereas we, the W. M. Wardens and Brethren of F. & A. Masons, have heard, with deep and fraternal regret, of the death of our esteemed and worthy brother, R. D. McCulloch, who was a member of our Lodge and died at Gonzales, on Wednesday morning, the 2d day of March, A. D. 1853, A. L. 5853; therefore

"*Resolved*, That we sympathize with the bereaved family of our late brother, and tender to them our sincere and heart felt condolence.

"*Resolved*, That we will wear the usual masonic badge of mourning for thirty days, thereby showing our respect for the memory of our deceased brother.

"*Resolved*, That a copy of the proceedings of this Lodge be published in the Indianola Bulletin, published in this city, and forwarded to the editors of the Oseola Independent, a newspaper published at Oseola, Mo., with a request to publish the same, and also that a copy be presented by the Secretary of this Lodge to the family of our deceased brother.

WM. P. MILBY, W. M.

SILAS P. LAMKIN, SEC'Y.

At a meeting of Gonzales Lodge No. 30, held at Gonzales on March 3d, A. D. 1853, A. L. 5853, the following preamble and resolutions were adopted.

Whereas our worthy Brother, R. D. McCulloch, of Indianola, whilst passing through Gonzales, was on the morning of the 2nd inst., suddenly called by the Grand Architect of the Universe to appear before Him, therefore, in token of our high esteem for our beloved Brother,

Resolved, That the burial of the deceased be conducted by Gonzales Lodge No. 30, with the ancient forms and ceremonies, peculiar to the Masonic Order.

Resolved, That this Lodge tender to the relatives of the deceased our deepest sympathy in their painful bereavement.

Resolved, That we tender to Indianola Lodge, No. 84, our heart-felt regret for the loss sustained in the decease of this worthy member of their Lodge, and that this Lodge, and the Masonic Fraternity generally, mourn this dispensation of Providence, which has deprived us of a brother, and masonry of an ornament.

Resolved, That the Secretary furnish a copy of this preamble and resolutions to the relatives of the deceased, a copy to the Secretary of Indianola Lodge No. 84, and forward a copy to the editor of the Indianola Bulletin for publication.

By order of the Lodge

EDWARD MALLOCH,
Sec'y G. L. No. 30.

DISTRICT COURT.

Under the new act our District Court meets as follows:

In the county of Victoria on the first Mondays in March and September, and may continue in session two weeks.

In the county of Calhoun on the second Mondays after the first Mondays in March and September, and may continue in session two weeks.

In the county of Jackson on the fourth Mondays after the first Mondays in March and September, and may continue in session one week.

In the county of Lavaca on the fifth Mondays after the first Mondays in March and September, and may continue in session two weeks.

In the county of Gonzales on the seventh Mondays after the first Mondays in March and September, and may continue in session two weeks.

In the county of De Witt on the ninth Mondays after the first Mondays in March and September, and may continue in session two weeks.

In the county of Goliad on the eleventh Mondays after the first Mondays in March and September, and may continue in session two weeks, or until the business is disposed of.

NEW ORLEANS MARKETS.

Picayune Office,
March 2, 1853.

Cotton—The demand was fair and 8000 bales were sold at steady prices.

Ordinary.....	6½@7½	G. Middling...	9¼@9¾
Low Middling..	8 @8¼	Middling Fair.	10¼@—
Middling	8¾@9¼	Fair.....	11 @—

Tobacco—123 hhds. Admitted, Clarksville, were sold at about 5½c. and 120 at—.

Sugar—The market unusually dull, and the sales barely reached 500 hhds. Inferior and Common having declined ¼c. Fair to fully Fair 3¼@4¼c.

Molasses—1000 bbls. were sold at 18@24c.

Flour—Sales 3000 bbls. embracing 100 bbls. unbranded at $4; 400 Ohio at $4 12; 200 at $4 15; 100 at $4 20; 900 and 400 St. Louis at $4 25; 300 Extra Illinois at $4 60; 100 at $4 75; and 300 Extra Missouri at about $4 50.

Bacon—Sales 112 casks Sides, in two lots, at 8c. 131 in four lots at 8½c. and 10 casks Shoulders at 6½c.

Lard—Sales 50 bbls. No. 2 at 8c. 60 at 8¼c. 37 No. 1 at 8¼c. and 82 prime at 9c.

Coffee—Sales 2012 bags Rio, of which 1312 at 9¼c. 500 at 9¾c. 100 at 9¼c and 100 at 9½c.

Rice—44 tierces were sold at 4¼c.

MANIFEST.

Per Steamship Texas from N. O. March 4th.

Passengers.—T. Phelps, Woolford, Mine, H. G. Powel, Mr. Tate and lady, Miss Tate and sister, Lyle lady and children, Mr. Tontant and lady, Mr. Tontant, Mr. Mealy, H. Martin, Weeks, Abbott, Shepbard, Kan, Devine, Rogers, Blackman, Bee, Ertes, McHenry, Dennis, Adams, 15 on deck, 10 negroes.

Consignees.—*Indianola*—Baldridge Sparks & Co. H. B. Clearland, S. A. White & Co. J. H. Dale, A. Fromme. *Lavaca*—W. H. Kerr, Fulton & Hensley, R. M. Forbes & Co. J. W. Randell.

[Communicated.]

DIED,

At New Orleans, Feb. 13th 1853, Col. Geo. W. White, aged 32 years.

Col. White was, during the Republic of Texas an officer in her Navy.

When the war broke out with Mexico, he raised a company, joined the Washington Regiment La. Volunteers, under Gen. P. F. Smith. Gen. Scott ordering home the six month men, he returned to New Orleans, raised a batalion and joined the army under Gen. Scott.

When Yucatan asked for help he raised a Regiment and went to her assistance. After his return he went to California. Hearing of the butchery of Col. Crittenden's party, he returned to the *States* to join the liberating party of Cuban despotism; but learning that he could be of that time of no assistance, waited to bide his time. He was a true Republican of the Stamp of 1776. *Peace to his remains.*

In Gonzales, March 2d, 1853, of consumption, Mr. RODERICK D. McCULLOCH, aged about 40 years, formerly of St. Clair county, Mo., and late of the McCulloch House, Indianola. Mr. M. was a consistent christian and died full of hope.

Messrs. Editors—You will please announce Alexander G. Coffin as a candidate for the office of City Marshall.

☞ We are authorized to announce W. G. WOODMAN as a candidate for Constable of Precinct No. 2.

The State of Texas,
County of Calhoun.

To the Sheriff of Calhoun county Greeting.

Whereas Castaic Villeneuve, and Matilda, his wife, have this day filed a petition in the district court of Calhoun county, as plaintiffs, vs. James Lumbard, or Lewis L. Lumbard, as defendant, charging said defendant with having executed his certain promissory note to Matilda Villeneuve, of date the 17th day of October, 1850, and payable two years after date, for the sum of four hundred dollars, and to secure the payment of said note mortgaged to the said Matilda Villeneuve a certain ten pin alley in the town of Indianola, and that said note has since become due and is unpaid, and the said note has been lost or mislaid.

And whereas plaintiffs have filed an affidavit, stating that James or Lewis L. Lumbard is a transient person, &c. These are therefore to command you to cite the said James or Lewis L. Lumbard, by publication in the Indianola Bulletin, a newspaper published in the county of Calhoun, for four successive weeks, to appear at the next term of the Hon. district court of the county of Calhoun to be holden at the court house in the town of Indianola on the second Monday after the first Monday in March, 1853.

Test J. H. Davis, clerk of the District court of Calhoun county.

{ L. S. } Given under my hand and the seal of the District court, at the District court clerk's office in the town of Indianola this 9th day of March A. D. 1853.

J. H. DAVIS, Clerk D. C. C. C.
p. GEO. W. WOODMAN, Dp'y.

TO MEN OF ENTERPRISE!

The Coffee House and Ten Pin Alley, situated on Main street, in the most business part of the city of Indianola, will be sold at a bargain, should immediate application be made. Being the only Alley in the city, it will without a doubt, if properly attended to, make money. The Bar at present, has a liberal share of the public patronage. A Lease of the house until the 1st of May next, with the privilege of another year, will be transferred, should the purchaser desire it.

To those who desire to enter into business of this kind, I would say, as did Jonah when about to enter the whale's mouth, "Here is a fine opening." For further information enquire at the office of this paper. March 10, 1853-2-tf.

A List and Description of Deserters from the U. S. Army.

1. Corpl. Chs. S. Schwarz, "J." R. mt. rifles., 23 years old, with hazel eyes, dark hair, fair complexion, 5 feet 6 inches in hight, born at Philadelphia, Morocco finisher by occupation, enlisted at New York on Oct. 1st, 1851, deserted from Ft. Merrill, Texas, on March 2d, 1853. He took with him a large bay horse in fine condition, cavalry saddle, bridle, blanket and U. S. rifle, the horse being branded I U S

2. Pvt. Jno. S. Norris, of the "J" reg't, mt. rifles., 31 years old, with black eyes, dark hair, dark complexion, 5 feet 8 inches high, born at New York, lately been clerk, enlisted at New York, July 1st, 1852, deserted from Fort Merrill, Texas, on March 2d, 1853. He took with him a tall, light sorrel horse, branded as above, with a pack saddle, bridle, &c.

3. Pv't. Wm. Pressler, of the "J." R. mt. riflem., 21 years old, with blue eyes, light hair, fair complexion, 5 feet 7 inches high, born in Germantown, Ohio, occupation, a boot maker, enlisted at Dayton, Ohio, on Aug. 20th, 1851, deserted from Fort Merrill, on March 2d, 1853. He took with him a strawberry roan mustang stallion horse, with red mane and tail, branded as above, with pack or teamsters and saddle.

Also, two bay horses missing, supposed to have been taken by the above men; horses being branded as above.

Thirty dollars reward will be paid for the apprehension of either of the above men, and a liberal reward for the horses.

3] J. P. HATCH,
B. Capt., U. S. A., commanding J Rifles.

Election Notice.

To the Stockholders of the Indianola and Victoria Turnpike Road Company.

At a meeting of the board of Commissioners of said Company in the City of Indianola, on Monday the 7th of March, 1853, there being the requisite amount of stock taken,—it was

Resolved, That an election for five Directors be held at the Court House, in said city, on Friday the 11th day of March, 1853, at candle light.

By order of the Board,
CHAMBERS ETTER, President.
Henry J. Huck, Sec'y pro tem.

To Carpenters.

The subscribers will receive sealed proposals till Tuesday, March 15th, at 10 o'clock, a. m. for righting up, blocking, repairing and inside ceiling of the church in Indianola; the contractor to furnish all the material and do the work for a given sum, payable on the completion of the work. Specifications to be seen at the store of C. Etter & Co. Payment guaranteed.

CHAMBERS ETTER,
March, 10, '53-3-1t. F. E. HUGHES.

Sugar and Molasses.

Per Schooner Magnolia direct from plantation. 25 hhds. sugar, a superior article for retail, 60 bbls. molasses. A. Fromme.
Indianola March, 10 1853.

Dried Fruit.

6 bbls. superior dried Pippin Apples, just received from Ky., per steamship Louisiana and for sale low by WHITE & SOUTHERN.
Indianola March, 10 1853.

Powder Horn Retreat.

This Establishment recently opened, is now prepared to receive visitors. The bar is supplied with the best of Liquors and Wines. Dinners and Pic Nics for parties got up at short notice.

A fine band of music will be in attendance every Sunday from 2 o'clock P. M. to 12 M.

☞ The omnibus leaves Indianola every Sunday at 9 o'clock P. M. for Powder Horn.

Call and see the Establishment.

GEO. RACHOW & CO.
March, 10 1853-3-3m.

Dissolution.

The partnership heretofore existing between J. T. Coates and W. C. Lyles, under the name and style of J. T. Coates & Co., is this day dissolved by mutual consent. J. T. Coates by his agent, withdraws from the concern, and W. C. Lyles will carry on the business hereafter in his own name. All persons indebted to T. S. Coates or J. T. Coates & Co. on account of said business as formerly existing, will make payment to W. C. Lyles, and all debts contracted by either party as above noted upon the faith of the aforenamed business will be paid by W. C. Lyles.

Witness, } J. T. COATES, for
W. D. Kelley, } T. S. COATES,
Geo. C. Bullock. } W. C. LYLES.
Indianola, March 4, 1853-3-3w.

Administrators' Sale.

Notice is hereby given that on the first Tuesday in April, A. D., 1853, (being the 5th day of April,) at the court house door in the town of Indianola, between the hours of 10, A. M. and 4 P. M., I will proceed to sell to the highest bidder on a credit of twelve months, the following real estate belonging to the estate of John Speer, deceased, to wit: all the property in the city of Lavaca, being part of Lots No. 4, 5 and 9 and all of 10, in Block 5, included in the boundaries which will be fully given on the day of sale. The property is known as Speer's property, and on the Lots aforesaid is situated a large three story house with out buildings, also a store house—the whole property is to be sold. I will also sell the following lots in the town of Saluria,—Lot 5, in Block two hundred and ninety-five, Lot 5, in Block two hundred and ninety-three, Lots 6 and 7, in Block one hundred and six. I will also sell Lots No. 6, 7 and 8, in Block 2, Tier B, in the town of Port Lavaca, (Decrow's Point,) also three hundred and twenty acres of land lying opposite Clinton, in DeWitt county, on the Guadalupe river. The purchaser to giving bond and security with a mortgage on the property to secure the purchase money.

Sale made by order of the county court of Calhoun county, at its February Term, A. D., 1853.

March 10, 1853-3-4t. A. CAMPBELL, Administrator

Indianola City Election.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of the third section of an act of the Legislature of the State of Texas, approved February 7, 1853, entitled "*An Act to incorporate the City of Indianola*," the undersigned, Chief Justice of the county of Calhoun, will proceed to hold an election at the court house in said city of Indianola, on Saturday, March 12, 1853, for one Mayor, one Recorder, and eight Aldermen, of said city, to continue in office until the regular annual election in January, 1854, and until their successors are duly qualified.

Section 3, of said act provides, that "At the first election for Mayor, Recorder and Aldermen every resident of the City shall be entitled to vote who has resided six months therein previous to the election, and who has paid a State and County tax."

Section 4, provides that—"No person shall hold the office of Mayor or Recorder unless he be a qualified voter for members of the Legislature." To be a qualified voter for members of the Legislature requires the person to be, 1st, a citizen of the United States; 2ndly, that he shall have been "twelve months within the State, the last six months of which within the town, city, county or district in which he offers to vote."

Said election, in other respects, will be conducted according to the law regulating elections—the result declared by the Chief Justice and certificates issued to the persons elected.

J. BEAUMONT,
March 3, '53-2-2t. Chief Justice, C. C.

VALUABLE PROPERTY!

For Sale at Public Auction.

The undersigned, being in bad state of health and wishing to circumscribe his business, in order to travel with his family for health, will sell to the highest bidder, at public auction, on Saturday, the 16th day of April next, at the Court house in the town of Gonzales, the following property situated in said town:

My well known Tavern stand, on the public square, in block No. 19. Lots No. 1 and 2, in block 28, with a good dwelling house, kitchen and other buildings, also, a superior well. Lots No. 5 and 6, in block 28, 50 feet front on the public square, extending back 40 varas in the south-west corner of block No. 19, with the improvements. Seven lots on the public square, on the east side of block No. 19, each having thirty feet front on the public square, and extending back 80 feet. Five lots on the east side of block No. 20, having each 12 varas front, and extending back 157 feet. Two lots, each containing three acres, being the east half of outer lot No. 3, in range No. 1, east of Water street, each having seventy-eight varas front on the northern avenue. One acre and a half, off of the west end of outer lot No. 1, range No. 1, east of Water street, with about 55 varas front on the Inner street. One lot containing two acres, immediately east of and adjoining the preceding one and a half acre lot, having about 60 varas front on the town, and extending back 156 varas, with a first rate dwelling and two brick chimneys.—Also; three valuable tracts of land, of 500 to 750 acres each, near Gonzales. A lot of fine horses and mules, and six yoke of oxen.

The terms of the sale are: one-fourth cash paid on the day of sale, one-fourth in twelve months, one-fourth in two years, and the balance in three years. The purchaser will either give mortgage on the property purchased to secure the payment of the purchase money, or, if preferred, a bond for title will be given by me, conditioned for deed on payment of purchase money, or I will take other satisfactory security.

The above mentioned property is the most valuable in the town. The Tavern stand rents for $600 per annum, the Corner lot rents for $372 per annum, and the Dwelling house on block No. 20 will rent for $200 per annum. Some of the unimproved lots are eligibly situated for mercantile houses and business in general. The lots on the Northern avenue and on Water street, for private residences, cannot be surpassed for beauty and convenience.

Persons wishing to purchase will attend sale at 10 o'clock, P. M., Saturday, the 16th day of April next, and they will get bargains, for I am determined to sell, being convinced that the only hope I have of recovering my health, is by traveling.

C. S. BROWN. Gonzales, Texas.

Carriage Repository.

The subscriber has just received and opened at his store, Main street, Indianola, a lot of most beautiful and splendid

Carriages,
Rockaways,
Buggies, &c.,

which he offers for sale low.

March 3, '53-2. JOHN. A. SETTLE.

AUCTION SALE.

Will be offered for sale at public auction, on *Saturday, the 12th inst.*, at the Government Depot in Indianola, Two Six Mule Teams, with Harness complete. Also two good, strong road Wagons; and at the same time and place, a lot of Condemned Subsistence stores.

Terms Cash.

E. R. BABBITT, Br. Maj.
A. Q. M. and A. C. S.

As. Q. M. Office,
Indianola March 1, 1853.

Just landed from steamer Perseverance a large consignment of Groceries, consisting of Flour, Potatoes, fine and common Tobacco, white and brown Sugar, Lard, Mackerel, Rosin, Soap, Candles, &c., and for sale low for cash by

WHITE & SOUTHERN.
Indianola, March 2, '53-2.

H. RUNGE & CO.,

INDIANOLA.

Have constantly on hand, an assortment of groceries, liquors, dry goods, clothing, shoes, and boots, crockery, nails, iron, cooking stoves, hardware, carpenters tools, furniture, chairs, bedsteads, tables, bureaus, kitchen safes, etc. Ploughs and corn shellers, a general assortment of rough and dressed lumber, window sash, &c. Which have been imported direct from New York and New Orleans, and which are offered low for cash. Cotton, hides, and deer skins, always bought at market prices for goods or cash.

ELECTION NOTICE.

An election is hereby ordered to be held in the respective precincts of Calhoun county, on Saturday, March 12th, 1853, for one constable in precinct No. 1, in place of J. H. Stuart, resigned, one justice of the peace in precinct No. 2, in place of Bernardo Segui, sr., resigned, and one constable in the same precinct, in place of Charles M. Creamer, deceased.

T. R. Threlkeld, presiding officer pre't No. 1.
John Henry Brown, " " 2.

J. BEAUMONT,
Indianola, Feb. 24, '53. Chief Justice

For Sale.

A dwelling house, containing eight rooms, not quite finished, with two lots, and a very fine large new cistern, situated in the lower part of town, very desirable for a private residence, will be sold very low for cash. Apply to

WM. H WOODWARD, or
W. J. HOWERTON.
Indianola, Feb. 12th, 1853.—3t.

BERNARDO SEGUI, Jr.,

Wholesale & Retail Grocer;

FORWARDING

AND

COMMISSION MERCHANT,

Indianola, Texas.
Feb. 14, 1853-3-2-tf.

Wagoning & Blacksmithing.

SEGUIN, TEXAS.

The subscriber has established in connection in the town of Seguin, the Blacksmithing, Wagon-making & Saddlery business, in all their branches, and invites a liberal patronage.

March 3, '53-2-4t. J. R. WINTZ.

Administrator's Notice.

Letters of administration having been granted to the subscriber as administrator of the estate of Henry Kuntz deceased, all persons indebted to said estate are hereby requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims against said estate, will present them for allowance; otherwise they may be precluded from having any benefit in the same. W. H. VARNELL, Adm'r.
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ARANAMA COLLEGE.

THIS Institution, under the care and supervision of the Presbytery of Western Texas, has been located at Goliad.

The Preparatory Department will be opened for the reception of pupils on the first Monday of July next. A large and commodious building, well adapted to the purpose of an Academy, is in readiness: and board can be had in its immediate vicinity, at moderate prices.

The Trustees have secured for this Department the services of Mr. [illegible] C. SHIVE, A. B., a gentleman of high literary and scientific attainments, of tried moral worth, and capacity for teaching.—The public may rest assured that every effort will be made by the founders of the Institution, to render it worthy of the patronage of those who wish to secure for their children a thorough education, and moral training and discipline.

COURSE OF INSTRUCTION.

English Department.—McGuffey's series of Readers; Penmanship; Mitchell's Geography; Willard's *History*; Bullion's English Grammar; Logic and Rhetoric.

Composition, Elocution and Letter Writing, will be required alternately each week during the whole course.

Classical Department.—Bullion's Latin Grammar and Reader; Cæsar's Commentaries; Virgil, Sallust; Cicero's Orations; Bullion's Greek Grammar; Jacob's Greek Reader; Zenophon's Anabasis.

Mathematical Department.—Mental and Larger Arithmetic; Algebra; Geometry; Plane and Spherical Trigonometry; Mensuration and Surveying. The entire course by Davies.

Philosophical Department.—Natural Philosophy; Chemistry and Geology, by Comstock; Astronomy; Moral and Mental Philosophy.

Tuition, per session of five months, $20.

The course of instruction will be modified to suit those who expect to finish their education in the Academy. Further details may be obtained on application to either of the undersigned Trustees.

Rev. S. F. COCKE, Mr. F. BEAUMONT,
" JOEL T. CASE, " P. R. FLEMMING,
" JOHN McCRAN, " W. B. MILLER,
" J. F. HILLYER, " A. H. PHILLIPS,
JULIUS A. ROBBINS.

Goliad, May 27, 1852. [18:1y—Vic. Adv.

WM. S. GLASS,
Attorney and Counsellor at Law,
VICTORIA,
march 10-3-1y. TEXAS

WILEY T. ROGERS,
ATTORNEY AT LAW,
HALLETSVILLE, LAVACA COUNTY, TEXAS.
Will Practice in the Courts of Lavaca and [10] *adjoining Counties.*

POTATES and GREEN APPLES.

JUST received per schooner Gazelle, direct from New York
150 bbls. Potatoes,
75 bbls Green Apples,
5 firkins Butter, an extra article,
10 boxes Buckwheat,
5 boxes Champ. Cider,
which we offer for sale low. H. RUNGE & CO.
Indianola, Jan. 4th, 1853.

M. B. BENNETT, M. D. T. H. HAWKS, M. D.

Drs. Bennett & Hawks.

HAVING associated themselves together in the practice of Medicine, offer their professional services to the citizens of Lavaca county. Where a consultation is necessary no extra charge will be made. Office in the Halletsville Drug Store. Dec. 9, 1852-42

NEW FIRM.

S. A. WHITE and S. F. SOUTHERN (late of Kentucky) have this day entered into co-partnership, for the purpose of transacting a
RECEIVING, FORWARDING, General Agency and Commission Business,
under the firm of
WHITE & SOUTHERN.

They occupy the large Warehouse, Wharf and Sheds, formerly occupied by S. A. White & Co. in Indianola, Texas. The business of the firm will be transacted exclusively by S. F. Southern, who will give his personal attention to the business. Patrons of the house may rely upon the most active exertions being used to obey their orders and instructions; and his experience for more than twenty years in business, he hopes, will enable him to give general satisfaction.
WHITE & SOUTHERN.
Indianola, Texas, Jan. 27th, 1853. [51.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

THE subscriber having been appointed administrator of the estate of Charles A. Purchase deceased. All persons indebted to said estate are hereby requested to make immediate payment; and those having claims against said estate, will present them for allowance, otherwise they may be precluded from having any benefit in the same.
[51:6w AUGUSTUS FROMME,
Indianola, Feb. 9th, 1853. Administrator.

THE RED HOUSE,
26 miles above Indianola, and 13 below Victoria. Stage stand for Allen's tri-weekly line.

THE subscriber, having enlarged and improved his Stand, is prepared to render the travelling public comfortable, and solicits their patronage. JOHN POLLAN.
Indianola, Feb. 17th, 1853—52:6w.

LAVEER HOUSE,
CORNER OF MAIN AND ADDISON STREETS, INDIANOLA,
J. C. BULLOCK, Proprietor.

THE proprietor of this establishment, having erected a new and commodious house, and fitted it up with a splendid marble billiard table and the best of wines, liquors, cigars, &c., invites the patronage of his friends and the public, and hopes to give general satisfaction.
Indianola, Feb. 17, 1853—52.

Administrator's Sale.

BY an order of the *Hon.* Probate Court of Calhoun county, granted at the Feb. term, 1853, the undersigned, Administrator of the estate of Henry Kuntz, deceased, will offer at public sale, at the court house door, in the town of Indianola, on the first Tuesday in April, 1853, a house and 2 lots, on one of which said house is situated, on Main street, in the town of Indianola, known as lots No. 4 and 5, in Block No. 3. Terms of sale cash. W. M. VARNELL,
Feb. 17, 1853-52-4t. Administrator.

Land for Sale.

THE subscriber will sell low, for cash or negroes a valuable tract of land, situated on the East side of Navadad river, thirty miles above Texana, in the lower edge of Lavaca county, containing 536 acres, 25 acres being under good fence. On the premise there is a good Dwelling House with all the necessary out houses. Also a lot of hogs and corn which I will sell with the place, if desired. T. F. ROYSTER.
Texana, Jan. 8th, 1853. [48:tf

250,000 feet lumber, just received per schooners Fakir, Hiram E. Bishop, and Rosalie; this with our previous stock on hand gives us a complete assortment of all kinds to select from, which we offer for sale. H. RUNGE & CO.
Indianola, Jan. 18th, 1853. [48:tf

CRESCENT
STEAM MARBLE WORKS, Monuments, Tombs, Grave Stones, Mantel Pieces, Table Tops, &c.

ALL orders addressed to this establishment will be well executed, carefully boxed, and shipped to any given point in Texas, at as reasonable rates as any Factory of the kind in the United States. JOHN CAVANAUGH, 229 Camp street, New Orleans. [50-1y.

500 Willow Baskets.

IMPORTED direct per Bark Republic, from Hamburg, which we offer to dealers in the country at importers prices. H. RUNGE & CO.

Texana New Goods.

THE subscribers have just received a new and splendid assortment of *Summer Goods*, consisting of a general assortment in all the department of
DRY GOODS,
BOOTS AND SHOES,
HATS AND CLOTHING,
HARDWARE, CUTLERY.
Also, a full supply of
GROCERIES AND PRODUCE,
Consisting in St. Louis Flour, Bacon, *Clear Sides, Hams,* Salt, Sugar, Molasses, Lard, &c.

Liberal advances made on Cotton or other produce, shipped to our friends at New Orleans or New York from this point.
CLARK L. OWEN & CO,
Texana, June 8, 1852. [18:tf

GLOBE HOUSE,
VICTORIA, TEXAS.

THE public are respectfully informed that this well known and long established House is again open for the accommodation of *Travelers* and *Boarders.* The Proprietor has thoroughly repaired and renovated his House, and added additional rooms for the use of Families and Ladies. His
TABLE
will be supplied with all the necessaries of life, and as many of the luxuries as can be procured in the Victoria market.

There is conveniently attached to the House a good
STABLE AND HORSE LOT,
of suitable size, with a well of excellent water for the use of the stable. His stable is well stored with corn, fodder and hay, and will be faithfully attended by careful and experienced hostlers.

The Proprietor feels thankful to the public for past favors, and trusts by strict attention and industry in his business to merit and receive a liberal share of public patronage.

He flatters himself that his charges are extremely moderate and liberal. J. L. NICKELSON.
Victoria, Sept. 23, 1852. 31:6m

CUBAN OYSTER SALOON.

FRANCISCO E. BRAVO, respectfully informs his friends and the public that he has recently refitted the above establishment in a style unsurpassed by none in town, and is now prepared to furnish Oysters in every style to those who may honor him with a call.

The best of Wines and liquors always on hand.
Indianola, Dec. 16, 1852-43-3m.

HENRY C. COOK. CHAS. A. HARPER.

Cook & Harper,
Attorneys at Law and General Land Agents.
INDIANOLA, TEXAS.
Dec. 22d, 1852. [44—1y

Land Agency.
JOHN S. MENEFEE,
Texana, Jackson co., Texas.
Will attend to SELLING LANDS, PAYING TAXES, EXAMINING TITLES, &c., on reasonable terms.
—REFER TO—
Mr. H. STUART, Galveston,
Mr. JOHN HENRY BROWN, Indianola,
Hon. GUY M. BRYAN, Brazoria,
Mr. R. M. FORBES, Lavaca,
Messrs. LOGAN & STERNE, Victoria.
C. L. OWEN & Co. Texana. [44:6m

NOTICE!!! All persons indebted to us are earnestly requested to come forward and settle up; as the first of the new year is at hand, we wish to close our books.
CHAMBERS ETTER & CO.
Dec. 20th, 1852—45: tf.

GOSHEN BUTTER, English Diary Cheese and Holl'd Buckwheat, just received from New York, and for sale, low, by
CHAMBERS ETTER & CO,
Dec. 29th, 1852, 45: tf.

A. O. COOLEY, Attorney at Law and General Land Agent, FREDERICKSBURG, TEXAS. *References;* Hon. William E. Jones and Major M. Erskine, Seguin; John Twohig and H. M. Lewis, San Antonio; E. D. Lane, Fredericksburg. 35-1y

DR. JAYNE'S
CELEBRATED FAMILY MEDICINES.

H. RUNGE & CO., *Agents in Indianola*, have constantly on hand an assortment of these well known Medicines, viz; Expectorant, Hair Tonic, Alterative Carminative Balsam, Vermifuge, Sanative and Ague Pills. The character of these Medicines is to well established to leave any doubt about their effect, if taken as directed in the Almanacs, which are furnished gratis to the public, and for which they are invited to call.
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Bagging and Rope.

We have in store and for sale low, for cash or produce, a superior lot of K'y Bagging and Rope.
CHAMBERS ETTER & CO.
Dec. 29th, 1852—45: tf.

To Stock Raisers and Shippers.

THE subscribers have the pleasure to announce that their new and magnificent Wharf, at Powder Horn Bayou, is now completed, so that the largest steamships and sail vessels entering Matagorda Bay can at all times receive and discharge freight upon it without the trouble, delay, expense, and damage of lightering. They have constructed in connection with it, a large and convenient pen for shipping live stock, with the railroad car running into it, by which cattle, horses, mules or sheep can be shipped on to the vessels at the wharf with safety, speed, and great convenience. Grass and water is abundant within one and two miles of the wharf.
BALDRIDGE, SPARKS & CO.
Indianola, Dec. 2d, 1852. [41]tf

Cash Notice!

I HAVE determined from this day forward not to sell a *dimes* worth of goods on credit. I am very desirous of closing my books and would earnestly request those indebted to me to come forward and either pay their bills or settle them by note.

Grateful for past favors, I hope by adhering strictly to the *cash system* to offer such inducements as will merit a continuance of the same. I keep a general assortment of Groceries and Western Produce, Dry Goods, Hats, Boots, Shoes, ready made Clothing, &c., Wholesale & Retail. THOS. D. WOODWARD.
Indianola, Nov. 25, 1852.

20 BBLS Oliver's extra Whiskey, for sale by sep *HUCK & OGSBURY.*

For Sale.

550 ACRES of Land on Rocky Creek, Lavaca county, about 4 miles from Petersburg, and well improved. Apply to HENRY BEAUMONT.
Indianola, Feb. 12, 1852. [tf

Dr. John Bull's celebrated Sarsaparilla

FOR sale by BENNETT & SANFORD, nov11 [38] Halletsville, Texas.

WOODEN WARE—Painted Buckets, Painted and Cedar Tubs, Brass Bound Cedar Buckets, cedar and painted churns, milk piggins, clothes pins, axe handles, scrub brushes, iron and brass wire seives, &c. In store and for sale low by C. ETTER & CO.
Indianola, April 22, 1852.

JERRY SMITH, JR.,
LUMBER AND SHIPPING AGENT
INDIANOLA, TEXAS. [26:tf

Groceries.
450 bbls Flour.
30 bags Rio Coffee.
30 boxes Star Candles.
5 hhds. Sugar.
8 firkins fresh Goshen Butter.
Together with Potatoes, Onions, Mackrel, Codfish, Bacon sides, Molasses, Lard and Sperm Oil, fresh Raisins and Figs, &c., &c.; received per J. L. Day and Perseverance, and for sale by
44: 2w.] BALDRIDGE, SPARKS & CO.

NOTICE.

THE subscriber hereby notifies his friends and the public, that he intends closing his business in this city.

Thankful for all marks of patronage hitherto enjoyed, he hopes all those who are indebted to him will call and settle up accounts or notes.

The remaining stock on hand will be sold low for cash, or on short terms for approved notes and acceptances. JACOB MAAS.
Indianola, Jan. 27, 1853-49.

PEISER & BROTHER
Are in the Field, with the following
GOODS,

Which were purchased at such remarkable low prices that the closest buyers cannot help proclaiming

Cheap! Cheaper than the Cheapest!!!!!

Our Stock consists of the following which will be sold very low:

Dry Goods.
Bleached and brown sheetings and shirtings; cottonade; checks; hickory stripes; denims; kentucky jeans; linseys; kerseys; tweeds; satinets; cassimeres; blankets; flannels; prints; ginghams; delaines; alpacas; merinos; cashmeres; silks; lawns; jaconet; mull; swiss and book muslins; thread and bobinet laces; veils; hosiery; diapers; toweling; table cloths; gloves; mitts; linen; curtains; handkerchiefs; lace; jaconet and swiss edgings and insertings; umbrellas; bonnets; buttons; pins; needles; tapes; genuine spool thread; sewing silks; bonnet ribbons; artificial flowers; with every article belonging to Dry Goods.

Clothing.
Cottonade, kentucky jeans, satinet and cassimere pants; coats; sacks; cloaks; vests; shirts; drawers; suspenders; flannels; gurnseys; under shirts; &c.

Boots & Shoes.
Men's, women's youths' and misses' brogans; russets; ladies' walking buskins; slippers; gaiters; mud, fishermen's and dress boots; rubbers; leggins; and all kinds of children's shoes.

Hats & Caps.
Beaver, moleskin, seal, angola, mexican brush, jenny lind, pearl, casimere and wool hats; cloth, glazed, plush, military and navy caps.

Saddlery.
Men's and women's saddles; bridles; martingales; halters; heads and reins; girths; circingles; bridle bitts; stirups; stirup irons; hames; collars; webbing; whips; buckles; needles; tacks; thread; silks; leathers.

Hardware & Cutlery.
Knives and forks; pocket, pen and butcher knives; razors; scissors; spoons; locks; latches; bolts; hinges; files; screws; chisels; augurs; planes; saws; brace and bitts; gimlets; trace and log chains; sad irons; andirons; pots; ovens; stew pans; shovel and tongs; fenders; anvils; vices; bellows; stoves; pipes; tin ware; &c., &c.

Crockery Ware,
In original assorted crates, suited to the country trade; plates; dishes; teas; coffees; tea and coffee pots; pitchers; bowls; basins; ewers; chambers; &c.

Glass Ware.
Tumblers; goblets; wines; lamps; sugars; creams; salts; molasses jugs; castors; candlesticks; decanters; lanterns; preserve dishes, &c., &c.

Groceries.
Flour; coffee, sugar; lard; molasses; butter; cheese; hams; bacon; soaps; oils; shot; powder; lead; apples; peaches; potatoes; onions; spices; starch; indigo; vinegar; candles; rice; sardines; mackerel; codfish, &c., &c.

Liquors.
Brandies, Otard & Dupuy's; champaigne; rum; whiskey; gin; st. julian; claret; hock; cordials; &c.

Teas.
Imperial, gunpowder, sourhong, pouchong, oolong, young hyson, &c., &c.

Preserves.
Jellies; jams; prunes; peaches; fruits; apricots; pears; strawberries; raspberries; currants; gages; pickled and brandy fruits.

Cigars,
Imported from Havana, varying in price from $8 to $75 per thousand. American in abundance.

Fruits.
Raisins, figs, currants, nuts, candies.

Drugs & Medicines.
Castor oil; olive oil; quinine; Brandreth's and Moffat's pills; cream tartar; borax; rhubarb; nitre; magnesia; with a whole supply of plantation medicines.

Paints & Oils.
White lead; black lead; venetian red; spanish brown; chrome; green; &c. Oils, plain & boiled.

Stationery.
Foolscap; letter paper; post and all kinds of writing paper; steel pens; ink; sands; inkstands; blotters; pencils; slates; quills; blank books; hymns; bibles; novels; romances; visiting cards.

Clocks & Watches,
Of the most celebrated make, and warranted good time pieces.

Furniture.
Tables; chairs; rockers; wash stands; stools in a very great variety.

Jewelry & Fancy Goods.
Breastpins; ear-rings; bracelets; cuff-pins; lockets; card cases; gold and silver spectacles; silver spoons and forks; napkin rings; finger rings; dressing cases; work boxes; perfumed cushions; lily white; perfume; cologne; hair oil; salts; powder; powder puffs; spy glasses; thermometers; fancy hair pins; fancy knitting needles; &c., &c.; together with such an endless variety of Fancy Goods that it would be too tedious to enumerate them.

☞ Cash Advances on cotton, sugar hides, skins, &c., &c., consigned to our friends in New Orleans, New York, or Europe.

PEISER & BROTHER,
[34] Indianola.

SPICE DRYED BEEF—Beef Tongues and Bologne Sausage, a fine assortment, in store and for sale by C. ETTER & CO.

DRUG STORE.
BENNETT & SANFORD,
HALLETSVILLE, TEXAS.

HAVE just received a new and fresh supply of Drugs, Medicines, Dye-Stuffs, &c., which they offer for sale at their Store. [38]tf

DR. WM. D. KELLEY,

RESPECTFULLY tenders his services to the citizens of Indianola and vicinity. Having had several years experience in the practice, he hopes to be able to give entire satisfaction.

Special attention given to Obstetrics and the diseases of females.

He can be found at the McCulloch House.
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WM. H. DALLAM. F. E. HUGHES.

Drs. Dallam & Hughes,
INDIANOLA, TEXAS.

WILL give their undivided attention to the various branches of their profession in Indianola and its vicinity. [1:1y.

For Sale.

ONE Fourth of League No. 21, West of the Bernard, granted to Amos Ralls, on Caney in Matagorda county. Apply to
HENRY BEAUMONT, *Indianola.*
Or HENRY THORPE, *Matagorda.*
Indianola, Feb. 12, 1851. [1:tf

For Sale.

4428 ACRES Land, on west side of Caranchua Bay, in Calhoun county.
600 Acres on Sand Point, opposite Indianola.
640 Acres on east side Caranchua Bay.
4428 Acres in forks of Caranchua Creek, on tide water and well timbered, in Jackson county.
4428 Acres, survey No. 4, West side of Colorado River, in Matagorda county.
Apply to HENRY BEAUMONT.
Indianola, Feb. 12, 1852. [1:tf

150 *BBLS. WHISKEY AND BRANDY.* We have received on consignment a lot of Boyles' Rose Whiskey, Monongahela Whiskey, and Brandy, which we offer lower than they can be brought for from New Orleans. Apply to
Oct. 7. H. RUNGE & CO.

Lumber.

90,000 FEET OF LUMBER just received per Schr. Flummerfelt from Mobile, completing our already large stock.
sep 9 H. RUNGE & CO.

H. W. BATEMAN. L. B. SALLES.

New Fancy Store,
Corner of Front & Main Streets—formerly occupied by Huck & Ogsbury.

BATEMAN & SALLES would respectfully invite the attention of the ladies and gentlemen of Indianola and the country generally to the opening of their stock of *FANCY GOODS*, which was selected with the utmost care. Call and examine our stock before purchasing elsewhere, and no pains will be spared in exhibiting the goods. Our stock consists of satin dechine, plaid and gros de thin and black silks, fancy embroidered silk cicilia tissues, printed turcoise, plain and figured muslin delains, plain french and english merinos, plain, figured and fancy muslin robes, pink, white, blue and black crape, white, black & figured bobinets, and a general assortment of embroidery, such as sleeves, cuffs, collars, capes and chemisettes, berthes, and a complete assortment of laces and trimmings for ladies' dresses; also, bonnet and other ribbons, neck ties, light, dark and black kid gloves for ladies and gentlemen; also, beaver, cashmere and egyptian fillet mitts and gloves, ladies' fine cambric handkerchiefs, several fine watered silk mantillas, very richly trimmed, embroidered tippet and cashmere shawls, pearl & black silk & cotton hose, swiss, mull, book and figured muslins; swiss and cambric edgings and insertings, and a great many other articles, too tedious to mention; yet we have a good stock of staple and domestic goods, french, english and american prints, fine plaid and plain ginghams, linseys, fine blue and black cloths, casimeres plain and gold mixed, and a good assortment of fashionable clothing, gentlemen's neck ties, apron stocks, silk and cotton half hose; also a small lot of choice bed blankets of best lambs' wool, and a complete assortment of the choicest perfumery for the ladies uses. Please give us a call, even if you do not purchase—it will cost nothing.

☞ A complete assortment of ladies' gentlemen's and children's shoes.

P. S. Our terms are invariably cash, as we intend selling very low. Our prices can but induce every one to buy. BATEMAN & SALLES.
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☞ San Antonio & Victoria papers copy.

BALDRIDGE, SPARKS & CO.,
Indianola, Texas,

HAVING established themselves at their new *POWDER HORN WHARF*, with a view of prosecuting a *Wholesale Business*, respectfully solicit the attention of Merchants and Planters of the interior to their LARGE STOCK OF GOODS, which they have recently selected in the Eastern markets with great care and at low rates. They flatter themselves that with the heavy supply they have on hand, the experience they have had in the Trade, and facilities they are enabled to afford, that they can make it to the interest of purchasers to patronise them instead of going to New Orleans, offering as they do, rates as low, and terms as accommodating. Their Stock consists, in part, as follows:

STAPLE & FANCY GOODS.
Plain and fancy silks and satin d'soi; berages; delanes; mouslins; cashmeres; embroideries; tarletons; ginghams; lawns; cambrics; muslins; laces; edgings; trimmings; cords; velvets; etc., etc.—Cloths; cassimeres; vestings; satinets; tweeds; jeans; kerseys; linseys; 500 pcs prints; sheetings; shirtings; osnaburgs; bed and apron checks; ticking; denims; drills; stripes; flannels; table and curtain damask; toweling; diaper; 500 pair French & American blankets; ladies' silk and cotton hosiery; gentlemen's do; ladies' and gentlemen's kid, silk, buck and cotton gloves, mitts, &c.; collars; sleeves; chemizettes; linen cambric; French, works, handkerchiefs; cravats; shawls; etc.

CLOTHING.
The heaviest stock ever brought to the bay, of every cut and quality, adapted to the season.

HARDWARE.
Pocket, traveling and table cutlery; carpenters' and blacksmiths' tools of every kind; ox, log and trace chains; iron; steel; nails; butts; hinges; screws; castings; stoves; tea kettles; waffle irons; jack screws, and screw drivers.

GROCERIES.
50 hhds sugar; 400 sacks coffee; molasses; rice; teas; tobacco; dried fruits; pepper; ginger; spice; pickles; preserves; pie fruits; lobsters; sardines; clams; sauces; codfish & herrings; and a large stock

WESTE N PRODUCE.
Without enumerating farther, we simply say, that our stock of *Boots & Shoes, Hats & Caps, Glass & Queensware, Woodenware, Fancy Articles and Stationery*, is full and complete, and that we will take great pleasure in showing them. We again invite the attention of purchasers before buying elsewhere. We will pay the highest price for Cotton, Peltries, and Pecans.

LUMBER.
In connection with our business, we have placed on two fine schooners, the "Artispe" and "Mary & Susan," and with them we hope to keep a fine supply of all kinds Building Materials, which we will afford lower than has ever been sold on the Bay at any previous time.

☞ **CASH ADVANCES.**
We will make liberal cash advances on cotton and other produce consigned to our friends in New York and New Orleans.
BALDRIDGE, SPARKS & CO.
Indianola, Oct. 21, 1852.

S. A. WHITE. S. F. SOUTHERN.

WHITE & SOUTHERN,
Receiving, Forwarding
and
COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
INDIANOLA, TEXAS.

LIBERAL advances made on shipments to our correspondents in New Orleans and N. York.

☞ Galveston News, San Antonio Texan and New Orleans Delta will please insert their card till forbid, and forward bills.
Feb. 3d, 1853.-50.

TOBACCO.
No. 59 Camp Street, New Orleans.

THE subscriber keeps on hand fine stocks of black *heavy* Tobacco, selected with great care expressly for the Mexican trade, either in hhds. or bales of 100 lbs. each. Prices varying as in quality. Also a great variety suited for Cigars. 60 days will be given where satisfactory references is given in this city.
[37]1y THOS. K. PRICE.

STOVES.

JUST received a lot of nonpareil cooking and parlor Stoves of assorted sizes, which we offer for sale low. H. RUNGE & CO.
October 7.

NEW STORE.
INDIANOLA, TEXAS.

THE subscriber, having removed his stock of Goods from Lavaca to Indianola, respectfully informs his friends and the public that he has taken the eligible stand on the corner opposite the Post Office, where he will keep always on hand a full and complete assortment of
Dry Goods, Clothing, Groceries, Hardware, Queensware, and General Merchandize.
ALSO,
Flour, Bacon, Lard, and Western Produce generally, all of which he will sell at lowest market prices. *He* invites all to call and examine his stock. J. H. DAVIS.
Indianola, Sept. 20, 1852. 32:tf

CHAMBERS ETTER & CO.,
INDIANOLA, TEXAS,
Wholesale and Retail Dealer in Dry Goods, Clothing, Hats, Boots and Shoes, Hardware, Cutlery, Crockery, &c.
GROCERIES AND WESTERN PRODUCE.

WILL make liberal advances on Cotton or other produce shipped to his friends in New York, Philadelphia or New Orleans.
Indianola, Feb. 12, 1852. [1:tf

Lavaca Male Institute.
JAMES C. ROWAN,
PRINCIPAL,

RESPECTFULLY informs the citizens of Lavaca, Indianola and neighborhood that the above Institution has been opened for general instruction in the following departments:—Greek and Latin, Geometry, Algebra, Arithmetic, Book Keeping, Commercial Arithmetic, Geography, Mapping, History, Writing, Composition and Elocution, &c.

This institution is designed to be *permanent*, and therefore affords the citizens an opportunity for educating their youth, accurately and thoroughly, in any or all of the above branches.

The Principal insures to Parents and Guardians who may favor him with their Patronage, a rapid progress and utmost attention to the moral and intellectual requirements of the pupils committed to his charge.

MONTHLY SESSIONS.
Attendance from 9, A. M. to 12 M., and from 2 P. M. to 5 1-2 P. M.
March 3, 1853-2-tf.

SASH, DOOR, BLIND AND MOULDING FACTORY.
BAGDAD, West Florida.

THE undersigned, having purchased of Messrs. Forsyth & Simpson their interest in the above establishment, are prepared to execute, at short notice, all orders in their line. They expect to keep constantly on hand, at their factory and with their agents, an assortment of Doors, Sashes, Blinds and Mouldings, comprising all the various kinds most in use troughout the South.

A list of prices will be furnished, upon application to their agents:
A. P. SIMPSON, New Basin, Covington Landing. New Orleans.
R. T. HOWELL & CO., Mobile, Ala., or to
BRONNUM & AVENY, Bagdad, West Florida.
Post office address: Pensacola, Florida.
A list of prices may be seen at this office.

Matagorda Sugar.

JUST received per Sloop ——, from Caney River, twelve hogsheads best Texas Sugar, which I will sell at New Orleans prices.
JOHN H. DALE.
Indianola, March 3, '53-2

J. H. & J. SELKIRK,
Daguerreotype Operators
And Dealers in Daguerreotype Stock,
MATAGORDA, TEXAS.
Dec. 9, 1852. [42] 1y

W. T. ROGERS. E. B. WALKER.

ROGERS & WALKER,
Attorneys and Counsellors at Law,
AND
GENERAL LAND AGENTS,
Hallettsville, Lavaca County, Texas.

WILL attend promptly to all business entrusted to their care in the Courts of the Tenth Judicial District, and the Supreme Court at Austin. Especial attention will be given to buying and selling Land, and examining titles in Western Texas. Dec. 9, 1852-42

NEW FALL AND WINTER GOODS.

WE are just in receipt per schooners Hazard, Reindeer, Desdemona, President, and brig Lavaca, of our extensive stock of Fall and Winter Goods, direct from Philadelphia, New York and Boston, comprising Dry Goods, Clothing, Hats, Caps, Boots, Shoes, Bonnets, Saddlery, Hardware, Cutlery, Crockery, Glassware, Groceries, Iron, Steel, Stoves, &c., which we are now opening and offering to the trade at extreme low prices. We would advise our old customers and the public generally to call soon and make their purchases early. C. ETTER & CO.
Indianola, Sept. 30, 1852.

House and Lot for Sale.

THE late residence of George W. Palmer, on lot 10, block 4, in Indianola. Apply to
JOHN HENRY BROWN.
Oct. 7, 1852. 33:2m

AUCTIONEER
AND COLLECTOR OF ACCOUNTS.

WILLIS CHAMBERLIN, (Sheriff of Calhoun county,) offers his services to the public as *Collector of Accounts*. All notes, bills, &c., placed in his hands for collection will be attended to with promptness and energy, and returns made without delay.

He also solicits the patronage of the public as a *Licenced Auctioneer*, and will give particular attention to the sale of any consignments of goods or other property with which he may be favored.

References:
C. Etter & Co., J. A. Settle, Aug. Fromme, J. Ashworth, H. Runge & Co., Jacob Maas, S. A. White, J. H. Davis, Huck & Ogsbury, John H. Dale, Peiser & Bro., Wm. P. Milby. [31:tf

STANTON & THOMSON,
Commission Merchants,
New Orleans, Mobile and Texas Packet Agents.
50,tf.] **114 Wall Street, New York.**

GEO. N. WILLIAMSON,
ATTORNEY AT LAW,
Halletsville, Lavaca co., Texas.

WILL practise in the various Courts of the tenth Judicial District, and in the Supreme Court of the State of Texas. [50-1y.

BALDRIDGE, SPARKS & CO.,
COMMISSION
AND FORWARDING MERCHANTS,
AND
WHOLESALE DEALERS
IN FANCY AND STAPLE DRY GOODS, GROCERIES AND WESTERN PRODUCE,
Crockery, Glassware, Tin, Iron and Hardware, Boots, Shoes and Clothing, &c., &c.
At the new wharf, Powder Horn Bayou,
INDIANOLA, TEXAS.

WILLIAM P. MILBY. JAMES ASHWORTH.

WILLIAM P. MILBY & CO.,
Licensed Auctioneers,
33:1y INDIANOLA, TEXAS.

PRODUCE OF ALL KINDS WANTED.

THE undersigned will purchase Hides, Skins, Cotton, Wool, Tallow, Wax, Horns, Moss or any other Texas produce at fair rates for cash, or exchange against other merchandize.
sep 2 JACOB MAAS.

Dr. J. H. Baldwin

OFFERS his Professional services to the inhabitants of Indianola and its vicinity.
☞ Office at his residence. [1:1y.

John C. Cleland.
ATTORNEY AT LAW AND NOTARY PUBLIC,
INDIANOLA TEXAS.

OFFICE in the rear of Palmer's confectionery. All instruments of writing executed with neatness and despatch [1:tf.

H. A. Perryman,
ATTORNEY AT LAW,
SEGUIN, TEXAS. [1:1y.

PRIVATE BOARDING, Mrs. Van Vleet, No 63 Barclay street, New York. Charges per day $1 25. [14:1y.

15 SACKS RIO COFFEE, for sale by sep 2 *HUCK & OGSBURY.*

For Sale.

ONE League of Land No. 2, on highland Bayou in Galveston county, granted to Administrator of John Austin. Apply to
HENRY BEAUMONT, *Indianola.*
Indianola, Feb. 12, 1852. [1:tf

BAND Iron for Cisterns, for sale by sep 2 RUNGE & Co.

Matagorda Male & Female
INSTITUTE.

THE Principal, Professor J. J. CAROLAN, having purchased and fitted up the well known, commodious and beautifully located building, the MANSION HOUSE, situated in the most healthy and desirable portion of the town of Matagorda, and overlooking the Matagorda Bay, designs establishing an Institution (commencing on the *First Monday of January next,*) with the view of furnishing young LADIES AND GENTLEMEN the means of acquiring a thorough and finished education, which, invariably, must contemplate the harmonious development of the intellectual, moral and physical constitution.

For the attainment of this end, an important object of the Principal will be, to teach his pupils to reason logically, to speak and write correctly, as well as to exact strict conformity to the RULES.

Both departments, shall be under the superintendence of the Principal, who shall be aided by competent Assistants, as the wants of the school may demand.

The Female department will be under the immediate supervision of Mrs. Carolan, who will use every energy for the proper development of the mental and moral faculties of all those entrusted to her care.

RATES OF TUITION PER SESSION OF FIVE MONTHS:

For Spelling, Reading, Writing and First Lessons in Arithmetic,	$12 50
Arithmetic, Geography, English Grammar, History and Elocution,	15 00
Logic, Rhetoric, Mental and Moral Philosophy, Natural Philosophy, Chemistry, Ancient Languages, Mathematics, Civil Engineering and Surveying, &c.,	25 00
Music, Piano, Vocal and Instrumental, with the use of the Instrument,	30 00
Matriculation fee,	1 00

The cant "*suus doctissimus*," has become so common that we have declined saying any thing further of our qualifications, &c., but would respectfully invite our patrons or others who may feel desirous to examine honorary certificates and testimonials from some of the first Institutions in the United States.

P. S.—A large number of young ladies can be accommodated with board and washing, at the institute. dec. 23, 1852-44-1y

OX Wagons.—New Pittsburgh Ox Wagon for sale by H. RUNGE & CO.
Indianola, June 10, 1852.

TOWN LOTS FOR SALE.

AS agent for various owners I am authorised to sell town lots at different points from upper Indianola to Powder Horn Bayou.
11 C. A. HARPER.

Fresh Groceries.

JUST received per schooner Clinton, direct from New York,
22 bags prime green Rio Coffee,
3 do old Java do
25 boxes Soap,
6 boxes Lemon Syrup,
50 boxes and half boxes mr Raisins,
1 case Sardines,
40 bags ground Rock Salt,
8 boxes " Pepper, Ginger and Spice,
10 doz Scotch and Macaboy Snuff,
3 boxes Stoughton Bitters,
12 boxes and barrels Soda Biscuit,
6 bbls Water Crackers,
10 do Pilot and Navy Bread,
10 boxes Clarret Wine,
6 " Chocolate,
12 " assorted Brandy Fruits,
9 dz " Lobsters,
16 " assorted Pickles,
8 " Pie Fruits,
1 case Canton Ginger,
24 packages choice Wines and Liquors.
The above fresh and seasonable goods are offered to the trade low for cash or produce.
CHAMBERS ETTER & CO.
October 7, 1852. [33:tf

LEMONS & RAISINS.—25 boxes Lemons and 50 boxes Raisins just received per James L. Day, for sale low by H. RUNGE & CO.
Dec. 9, 1852-42

FLOUR.—I am in weekly receipt of the choicest brands Extra St. Louis Flour, Crescent and Albian Mills, in half and whole barrels; also other good brands, which will be sold low for cash. JOHN H. DALE.
Indianola, *Aug.* 12, 1852.

Lumber! Lumber!

WE have constantly on hand, a general assortment of rough and dressed lumber, such as scantling, inch boards, weatherboards, flooring, laths, dressed flooring, ceiling, and shingles. We receive regular supplies from Mobile, and always keep a stock of from one to two hundred thousand feet, enabling us to fill orders for the different kinds.

We also keep an assortment of nails, carpenters tools, paints and window sash, all of which we offer at the lowest price for cash. H. RUNGE & CO. [1:tf.

20,000 REGALIA CIGARS, for sale by sep 2 *HUCK & OGSBURY.*

FULTON MARKET BEEF, at retail and by the package, by AUG. FROMME.
Indianola, June 17, 1852.

JOHN T. COATES. W. C. LYLES.

JOHN T. COATES & CO.,
DEALERS IN
Family Groceries and Boat Stores.
INDIANOLA, TEXAS.
Jan. 12, '53-1y.] T. S. COATES, agent.

STAR LINE
WESTERN TEXAS PACKETS
BETWEEN
New York and Matagorda Bay.

THE line is composed of the following splendid vessels, sailing punctually as advertised.

New Ship	Island City,	Capt. *P. Saunders.*
– Ship	Gulf Stream,	– *O P Saunders.*
– Brig	Lavaca,	– *W Greenman.*
– Schr.	Telegraph,	– *Green.*
– Schr.	Anthem,	– *Burrows.*
– Schr.	Wm. H. Hazard,	– *Austin.*
– Schr.	Urbanna,	– *Liscombe.*
– Schr.	Venice,	– *Fist.*
– Bark	(now building)	– *Barber.*

The above vessels are all of the first class, built expressly for the trade, and being of extremely light draft water, will cross the bars without detention. They are commanded by Captains of experience in the trade, who will, with the Agents, exert themselves to accommodate shippers. All goods consigned to the Agents in New York will be forwarded by the Line free of commissions.
Agents STANTON & THOMSON,
50:tf.] 114 Wall street, New York.

Family Groceries.

THE subscriber is now opening near the Government Wharf, Indianola, a fresh supply of Family Groceries, consisting of a complete assortment of every article in this line. Families would do well to call, as he will sell at the lowest cash rates.
47: tf.] JERRY SMITH JR.

H. S. PARKER. E. F. FLY.

PARKER & FLY,
Attorneys,
47-1y GONZALES, TEXAS.

FOUND.

A POCKET BOOK, containing a sum of money which the owner can have by proving property and paying for this advertisement.
Enquire of W. H. WOODWARD.
Indianola, Jan. 27, 1853-49.

RECEIVED per steamship James L. Day a new supply of heavy Pittsburgh Ox Wagons and Mule Wagons, which we offer for sale low.
H. RUNGE & CO.
Indianola, June 18th, 1853. [48:tf.

THE GREAT KENTUCKY REMEDY.
DR. JOHN BULL'S
SARSAPARILLA.

IT is put up in full quart bottles, and contains the strength of SIX TIMES as much pure Honduras Sarsaparilla as any similar preparation in America. Price, one dollar per bottle, or six bottles for five dollars.

It has been a well established fact, for years past, that Sarsaparilla, when pure and properly prepared, was the only true panacea for all diseases originating from an impure state of the blood, the use of mercury, intoxicating drinks, evil habits in youth, barrenness, &c. We boldly assert, that JOHN BULL'S FLUID EXTRACT OF SARSAPARILLA is the only preparation before the public that is prepared on strictly scientific principles, and of uniform strength. The Sarsaparilla is purchased without regard to price, and every pound, before being used, is subject to the strictest chemical tests, and its genuineness ascertained before being used.

Bull's Sarsaparilla also contains the virtues of several other valuable medical roots, together forming the best compound, and producing THE GREATEST CURATIVE AGENT IN THE KNOWN WORLD! This medicine, when used according to directions, WILL CURE, WITHOUT FAIL—

Scrofula or King's Evil, Cancers, Tumors, Eruptions of the Skin, Erysipelas, Chronic Sore Eyes, Ringworm or Tetters, Scald Head, Rheumatism, Pains in the Bones and Joints, old Sores and Ulcers, Swelling of the Glands, Syphilis, Dyspepsia, Salt Rheum, Diseases of the Kidneys, Loss of Appetite, Diseases arising from the use of Mercury, Pain in the Side and Shoulders, General Debility, Dropsy, Lumbago, Jaundice, Costiveness, Sore Throat, Bronchitis, Coughs, Colds, Weakness of the Chest, Pulmonary Affections, and all other Diseases tending to produce Consumption, Liver Complaint, Female Irregularities and Complaints, Sick and Nervous Headache, Low Spirits, Night Sweats, Exposure or Imprudence in Life, Chronic Constitutional Diseases; and is a Spring & Summer Drink and General Tonic for the System, and a Gentle and Pleasant Purgative, far Superior to Blue Lick or Congress Water, Salts, or Seidlitz Powders.

READ! READ!! READ!!!

The truly wonderful and remarkable cures that have come under our immediate observation, have more than convinced us that Doctor Bull is a GREAT MAN, and that his Fluid Extract of Sarsaparilla is the most valuable combination of vegetable extracts that the science of chemistry has yet produced. All success to the Doctor in his new enterprise, say we.—LOUISVILLE COURIER.

We agree with our neighbor of the Courier, that Doctor Bull is a great man, and his Sarsaparilla a GREATER one; and we are fully convinced that the Doctor, with his Sarsaparilla, will create a far more enthusiastic excitement East than Barnum did with Jenny Lind. We would not have our readers to understand us as classing the Doctor and his Sarsaparilla with Barnum and Jenny Lind, because all who spend their dollar for a bottle of Bull's Sarsaparilla will get its equivalent; and we have heard it slily hinted that many, after hearing the divine Jenny, and finding their pockets minus from ten to twenty dollars, thought it was paying pretty dear for the WHISTLE. One objection we have to Bull's Sarsaparilla, and ONLY ONE—it is so exceedingly pleasant to the taste, and invigorating to the system, that, once in the habit of using it, it is equal to smoking fine regalias, chewing Langhorne's best, or drinking Walker's mint juleps—YOU CAN'T QUIT IT.—LOUISVILLE DEMOCRAT.

The above complimentary notices from the editors of the Louisville Courier and Democrat, were endorsed by Geo. D. Prentice, Esq., the distinguished editor of the Louisville Journal, in the following flattering notice:—

There is no doubt in the world of the greatness of Doctor Bull, and the excellence of his Sarsaparilla. Some of the most scientific physicians in the city have applauded the Sarsaparilla, and, what is a great deal better, the [illegible] applaud it too. It is having a tremendous sale. The celebrated Jayne has, from the profits of his medicine, built a granite palace in Philadelphia, seven stories high, and Dr. Bull, if he chooses, can very soon build one twice as high as that. It is, we are told, very difficult for him to walk through our streets at all, as he finds himself arrested at every step, by grateful men and women, many of whom have travelled from great distances to look upon their benefactor, and to bless him for their wonderful restoration to health. The Doctor, with all his extraordinary merit, is very modest and retiring; yet we trust that the Eastern cities will, in justice to themselves, give a fitting reception to the distinguished man who has made so glorious a campaign against human diseases as Gen. Scott made against the Mexicans.

NOTICE TO FEMALES.

John Bull's Sarsaparilla is one of the greatest female medicines now in existence. In those [illegible] cases where the constitution is debilitated, the nervous energy is lessened, when the efforts of nature are weak and deficient, or are profuse and overwrought, when the face is pale and colorless, the strength feeble and yielding, the spirit troubled and depressed, the health broken, mind shaken, and consequently, the happiness destroyed—then Bull's Sarsaparilla is a sovereign remedy. It assists Nature in the performance of her duty, [illegible] system, renews permanently the natural energies, removes obstructions, [illegible] blood, and imparts health and happiness. [illegible] generally to adopt the use of this medicine, we would see far less suffering, disease, and unhappiness among them, than now exists; health would take the place of disease, the rosy cheek would succeed the pallid face; we should have smiles instead of tears, and perhaps a happy long life, instead of one cut short by disease, or made miserable by continual suffering and affliction. At that critical period termed "the turn of life," which is often attended with such danger, Bull's Sarsaparilla is invaluable, and is of great beneficial effect. All ladies approaching this period should be apprised of this fact, and avail themselves of this valuable medicine.

A BEAUTIFUL CLEAR SKIN.

How we all admire a clear, beautiful, white skin, and a rosy colored cheek! How often do we see persons but poorly seeing this desideratum, [illegible] recurring to cosmetics, lotions, washes, paints and coloring materials, to restore them to a semblance of what disease has deprived them of, and that, too, with great injury to the skin. Bull's Sarsaparilla is the best cosmetic known. It beautifies the skin by removing every particle of [illegible] and diseased matter from the blood, making it pure, healthy, and vigorous, giving activity to every minute vessel, and changing the yellow and dark complexion to the bloom and freshness of youth. Ladies, abandon the use of paints and mixtures, and use Bull's Sarsaparilla, the only effectual remedy. "A word to the wise is sufficient," and a hint is enough for the ladies.

We earnestly invite all persons who are suffering with any of "the ills that flesh is heir to," to call on Dr. John Bull's agent, and get a copy of Bull's Family Journal, GRATIS; and for the sake of humanity, we hope that a single individual will not be found, [illegible] the Sarsaparilla a TRIAL after reading, and considering, at the same time, that it is impossible for the Doctor to publish the tenth part of the number of certificates of astonishing cures performed by his Sarsaparilla. The amount of testimony voluntarily showered on Dr. Bull's Sarsaparilla, from well-known and distinguished individuals, both in public and private life, has been perfectly overwhelming.

☞ Dr. John Bull's Principal Office, 81 Fourth street, Louisville, Ky., where all applications for Agencies must be addressed.

For sale, wholesale and retail, in Indianola at Lewis & Hughes and J. M. Reuss' Drugstores. 37:1t

To Arrive.

DAILY expected to arrive by brig Mary and Barque Trinity from New York and Boston and tranchipped per schooner McNeel—
15 casks white and red wines, viz: Sauterne, Port, Bordeaux, Malaga, and Madeira, &c.; 5 half pipes pale and dark Cognac 1842; 2 do do Vintage 1815, as good if not superior to any Cognac ever imported here; 9 Casks of Rye and Bourbon Whiskey; 40 bbls Vassar Cream Ale; 1 hhd Alcohol; 5 Cas. Nos. 2500 lbs white and black Lead; 100 gals Linseed Oil; 50 kegs cut Nails and Spikes; 25 boxes of Soap; 20 bags superior Coffee; 15 Oporto Syrup; 2 do Horse Radish; 15 boxes Raspberry Vinegar; 4 do real Cayenne pepper; 5 do Mustard; 10 do Olive or Salad oil; 5 bbls crushed sugar; 5 do Rice; 2 do Spts Turpentine; 1 do bright Varnish; 20 do smoking Tobacco; assortment of Window Glass, colored Paints, Wall Paper or Tapestry; Glass Tumblers, Copal Varnish, Ship Duck, Matches, Spices, Saleratus, Indigo, Starch, Woodenware, Hardware, Anchors, Rope, Whale Oil, Boston, Crackers, Spy Glasses, Chronometers, Collins Axes, for sale at very acceptable terms.
sep 2 JACOB MAAS.

NEW STORE.

J. H. DAVIS has just opened in Indianola a large and valuable Stock of Goods, suitable for Fall and Winter—
Dry Goods, Groceries, Hardware and Cutlery, Hats, Caps, Boots and Shoes, Queens & Woodware,
Comprising a very complete assortment of Merchandize, selected with care, expressly for this market, which he offers upon the most favorable terms. ☞ Cash advanced on cotton, wool, beef hides, deer skins and pecans, for shipment to New Orleans, New York or Philadelphia, or he will purchase at the highest cash price. [4:27

20,000 CYPRESS shingles received by schooner "Rosa", from the Sabine, which we offer for sale.
H. RUNGE & CO.
Indianola, Feb. 21st, 1853.

NEW ORLEANS CARDS.

JOSEPH H. PALMER .... JAMES H. [illegible]

Joseph H. Palmer & Co.,
Importers & Wholesale Dealers in
Foreign and Domestic Dry Goods,
67 Camp street, above Gravier.
[37]ly NEW ORLEANS.

PHILADELPHIA SADDLERY WAREHOUSE,
NO. 6 MAGAZINE STREET, NEW ORLEANS,
MANUFACTORY NO. 18 DECATUR STREET, PHILADELPHIA.
MAGEE & KNEASS,
RESPECTFULLY invite the attention of [illegible] to the Saddlery business, to call and examine their stock of Goods, [illegible]. These goods are not to be surpassed by any establishment in the country.
The stock is very large and well assorted, being mostly of our own manufacture and comprises almost every article of Saddlery, Saddlery Hardware, Trunks, Harness, Leather, Trimmings and Materials, Masonic, I. O. O. F. and Sons of Temperance Regalia in all its varieties.
Principal agents for the Boston Belting Company, for the sale of Belting for Gin and Mill Bands, Hose and all description of India Rubber Goods. [1:ly.

J. B. STEEL,
New Orleans Stationers' Warehouse,
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Between Gravier and Poydras Streets, nearly opposite Commercial Place.
BOOKS—Comprising the works of the best standard authors in the various departments of Literature.
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JUST RECEIVED AND FOR SALE AT
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Rockwell's Spanish and Mexican Law in relation to Mines and Titles of Real Estate, in force in California, Texas and New Mexico, and the Territories acquired under the Louisiana and Florida Treaties, when annexed to the United States.
Schmidt's Law of Spain and Mexico.
White's Land Laws of Spain, Mexico & California.
Domat's Civil Law—Translated by Cushing.
Cooper's Institutes of Justinian.
[illegible]
Robinson's Louisiana Reports—12 vols.
Revised Laws and Charters, by Gregg & Pond.
English Laws and Equity Digest—5 vols.
English Laws and Equity Reports—5 vols.
Robinson's Reports, complete in 2 vols. either in complete sets or any of the volumes separate.
[illegible] Code of Practice, new edition.
Benjamin & Slidell's Digest, new and improved edition, enlarged.
Deslix's Digest, being a continuation of Benjamin & Slidell's.
Deslix's Louisiana Supreme Court General Index.
American State Papers, relative to Public Lands—

AUGUSTUS BLOCK. HENRY BLOCK
A. & H. BLOCK,
WHOLESALE GROCERS,
NO. 3 FRONT STREET,
THREE DOORS BELOW THE CORNER OF CANAL STREET,
NEW ORLEANS.
KEEP CONSTANTLY ON HAND
A FULL SUPPLY OF GROCERIES
OF EVERY DESCRIPTION.
REFERENCES:
Messrs. Bender, Williams & Co. Messrs. J. Burnside & Co. Messrs. McMahon & Pearsall. Mr. R. Richards. [1:ly.

JOSEPH LITTLEJOHN. SAMUEL HENDERSON
Littlejohn & Henderson,
Wholesale Grocers,
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(CORNER OF NATCHEZ.)
NEW ORLEANS. [1:ly.

RICHARD M. ELLIS & CO.,
Commission Merchants,
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NEW ORLEANS. [1:ly

CHAS. A. KELLOGG & CO.,
IMPORTERS AND DEALERS IN
FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC
HARDWARE,
BUILDERS' MATERIALS AND MECHANICS' TOOLS,
Carpenters' and Coopers' Tools of all kinds.
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J. H. BURGEN,
DEALER IN NEW AND SECOND HAND
FURNITURE,
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NEW ORLEANS. [1:ly.

CHARLES C. GAINES,
IMPORTER OF FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC
HARDWARE,
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S. ROBB & CO.,
(*Late Robb & Fairbairn.*)
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL
SADDLERY AND TRUNK
Warehouse,
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Wills & Rawlins,
NO. 11 AND 13 GRAVIER STREET,
CORNER OF TCHOUPITOULAS.
NEW ORLEANS.
AGENTS for the sale of all qualities of *Virginia Manufactured Tobacco*, keep always on hand a large and desirable stock, which they invite country merchants to examine.
JOSIAH WILLS [1:ly] ED. A. RAWLINS.

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No. 53 Camp Street,
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DEALERS IN FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC
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A. F. DUNBAR & CO.,
MANUFACTURERS AND WHOLESALE DEALERS IN
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A LIKELY NEGRO WOMAN for sale low for cash. Apply to
WHITE & SOUTHERN.
Indianola, Feb. 12, 1853—52—tf.

50,000 FEET of Cypress Lumber—a very fine lot just received per schooner flying Dragon, consisting of inch, 1½ and 2 inch boards, clear stuff suitable for cisterns, doors, window sash, etc., which we offer for sale.
Feb. 17, 1853—52. H. RUNGE & Co.

THOS. E. CONVERSE .... WM. P. CONVERSE, JR.
CONVERSE & CO.,
Grocers, & Dealers in Western Produce,
97 Tchoupitoulas, corner of Lafayette Street,
NEW ORLEANS.
CALL the attention of Dealers and Consumers to their very extensive Stock of Goods, consisting in part of the following, which they will sell cheap for cash or city acceptances:
Sugar—brown, loaf, crushed and powdered;
Coffee—Java, Rio, St. Jago, &c;
Bacon—hams, sides and shoulders;
Rice, flour, lard, candles, soap;
Mackerel, shad, salmon;
Tea—imperial, gunpowder, hyson and black;
Pickles and catsups, assorted;
Syrups, brandies, wines, rum, gin and whisky;
Scotch and East India Ale;
London and American Porter & Brown Stout;
Dried apples and peaches;
Cologne and bay water; pepper, spice, cloves;
Nutmegs, cassia, mace; saleratus;
Nitrate soda, carb. soda;
Powder, shot and bar lead; 2,000 bxs tobacco.
100,000 segars, assorted;
Writing, letter and wrapping paper;
Envelopes, wafers, pens, pencils, pen-holders;
Plantation Medicines;
Buckets, tubs, brooms, brushes, washboards;
Blacking, nails, pipes;
Together with every article usually kept by grocers. Orders promptly executed. [38tf

John A. Mitchel,
Commission Merchant,
32 POYDRAS STREET,
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GIVES his undivided attention to the sale of Cotton and the purchase of Merchandise.
He refers in Texas to
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Chambers Etter,
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PRIESTLEY & BEIN,
IMPORTERS AND DEALERS
IN FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC
HARDWARE,
Iron and Steel,
MILL AND GRIND STONES,
PAINTS, OILS, TURPENTINE, CORDAGE, &c.
NOS. 89 & 91 CAMP STREET,
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F. F. FOLGER & CO.,
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NEW ORLEANS.
HARDWARE, CUTLERY, IRON,
STEEL, NAILS, CASTINGS,
Chains, Anchors, Cordage, Axes, Hoes, Mill Stones, Grind Stones,
Paints, Oils, Oakum, Tar, Pitch, Glass, &c. [12

Boarding House.
67 POYDRAS STREET, NEW ORLEANS.
MRS. A. STONE has superior accommodations for permanent and transient boarders.

PAYNE & HENDERSON,
No. 30 and 32 Gravier st.,
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Dealers in Sugar, Coffee, Tea, Candles, Soap, Rice, Starch, Spices, Segars, Tobacco, Wines, Brandies, &c.
FAMILY GROCERIES. [12] PLANTATION SUPPLIES.

HALL & RODD,
General Commission, Receiving and Forwarding Merchants,
No. 4, Front Levee, New Orleans,
GIVE their undivided attention to the Sale of Cotton, Sugar, and all other Produce, the Purchase of Plantation Supplies, Groceries, or other Merchandize. Refer to—
Cook & Harper,
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H. BONNABEL,
Corner of Natchez and Tchoupitoulas Streets,
NEW ORLEANS,
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALER IN
Drugs, Medicines, Foreign & American Chemicals,
Glassware for Drugs and Confectionery, Putty, Perfumery, Varnish and Brushes of all kinds.
AGENT for most of the approved Patent Medicines. Being an Importer, he can furnish the articles in his line at low prices, and guarantees them of the best quality.
☞ Sole Agent for the sale of the Products of the *Southern Chemical Works*, such as Oil Vitriol, Nitric and Muriatic Acid, Aqua Fortis, Copperas, Bisulphite of Lime, &c. This last article is now extensively used by the Planters of Louisiana in the sugar manufacturing, with magnificent results. Full directions given. Sold in barrels of 40 gallons. [38]y

R. Yeatman & Co.,
Cotton and Tobacco Factors,
And General Commission Merchants,
No. 85 Common street,
[37]ly NEW-ORLEANS.

Merchants' Line of Packets,
BETWEEN
N. York & Matagorda Bay,
Composed of the following first class vessels:

Schr. INDIANOLA,	I. Cathcart,	Capt.,	4000 bbls.
" REINDEER,	Cathcart,	"	2500 "
" CLINTON,	T. Smith,	"	2500 "
" DESDEMONA,	J. S. Chattin,	"	1600 "
" W. A. SPAFFORD,	Kent,	"	2000 "

The above having been built or selected expressly for this line, are all new vessels of light draft of water, well adapted to the trade, and being commanded by masters of experience in our coasting trade, shippers may rely upon their passages comparing favorably with any other vessels afloat. Freight will also be taken on the most accommodating terms, and every facility and attention extended to shippers for the prompt dispatch of their goods.
☞ All goods consigned to the agents will be forwarded free of commissions.
N. L. McCREADY & CO., Agents,
36 South street, New York.
Indianola, Dec. 2, 1852.—[41]

Linn, Smith & Co.,
WHOLESALE DRUGGISTS,
NO. 8 SOUTH THIRD STREET,
PHILADELPHIA.
CLAUDIUS B. LINN. HORACE F. SMITH. A. L. OLMSTED.
Drugs and Medicines,
Paints, Oils, Glass, Dye-Stuffs, Varnishes.
Also, Patent Medicines, Medicine Chests, Surgical and Obstetrical Instruments, Chemical Tests, &c. [1:ly.

Augustus Fromme,
COMMISSION AND FORWARDING
MERCHANT,
INDIANOLA, TEXAS. [1:ly.

JOHN SAVERY. WM. SAVERY. ALEX. LAW
JOHN SAVERY & SONS,
Phenix Works Warehouse, No. 54 Cliff Street,
NEW YORK.
MANUFACTURERS AND DEALERS IN
Light and Heavy Hollow Ware,
Tinned and enamelled ware, fry pans, ground wagon boxes, sad irons, fancy dogs, air tight cooking, parlor and box stoves, cylinder boxes, &c., and castings in general. 21:tf.

HARDWARE.
R. RICHARDS, No. 11 Chartres street, Importer and Wholesale Dealer in Foreign and Domestic *Hardware*, has received a very large addition to his previously extensive stock of shelf Hardware, Iron, etc., which he offers to country merchants on the most favorable terms. The following comprises a part of his stock:
500 tons Swede Iron, assorted;
100 tons Hoop, Band, Boiler and Sheet Iron;
20 tons Cast, German and Blister Steel;
200 casks Trace, Log and Ox chains;
150 casks Hoes, assorted, Carolina, Louisiana, Grubbing, etc.;
3000 kegs Nails, assorted, Weymouth and Anchor brands;
1000 dozen Axes, assorted, Collins', Hunt's and other makes;
500 dozen Shovels and Spades, assorted, Ames', Rowland's, and other makes;
150 tons Savery & Co's. Castings, consisting of Pots, Ovens, Spiders, Firedogs, Cauldrons, etc.
Cologne Mill Stones, Mill Irons and Bolting cloths; together with a full assortment of shelf Hardware, cutlery, Guns, etc.
Dec. 9 1852—42.

ARCADE HOTEL,
Magazine, between Natchez and Gravier Streets,
NEW ORLEANS.
R. S. MORSE, Proprietor.
*** The above establishment having been entirely new furnished and repaired throughout, is now ready for the reception of visitors. [38]ly

ARCH'D H. LOWERY,
WHOLESALE GROCER,
121 Front street, New York.
A. M. GENTRY, 32:ly.

N. W. Burtis,
(*Successor to R. C. Wetmore & Co.*)
Importer and Dealer in
CHINA, GLASS AND EARTHENWARE,
NO. 85 WATER STREET,
NEW YORK.
Has constantly on hand the largest stock of the above goods to be found in the Northern market, selected expressly for the Southern trade, which he will sell on as favorable terms as any house in the city. Orders will receive prompt attention. [33 ly

NEW GOODS,
CHAMBERS ETTER & CO.,
INDIANOLA, TEXAS,
KEEPS constantly receiving fresh and seasonable Goods, consisting of
Prints of the latest styles and paterns, Ginghams, Bareges, Muslins, Delanes, Lawns, Linens, Swiss and Bard Muslins, Cambrics, bleached and brown Domestics, Checks, Ticks, Denims, Stripes, Tweeds, Cotton and Linen Drills, Table Cloths and Covers, Flannels, Blankets, Osnaburgs, Lowells, Cottonades, Jeans, Ladies' Hose assorted, Gentlemens' Half Hose, Gloves, Ribbons, Needles, Pins, Tapes, Braids, Cords, Laces, Collars, Handkerchiefs, Cravats, &c., &c.
Clothing,
Cloth, Dress, Frockand Sack Coats, Linen and Check Gingham do., Pantaloons of various kinds, Vests, Drawers, Suspenders, Shirts, &c.
Boots and Shoes,
Comprising a full assortment of Gentlemens', Ladies', Youths', Boys' and Misses' Fine Boots, Gaiters, Slippers, Ties, and, also, Heavy Boots and Brogans.
HATS AND CAPS.
Mens', Boys' and Childrens' Mole, Silk, Kossuth, Mexican, Wool, Palmleaf, Leghorn and Panama Hats.
HARDWARE
AND CUTLERY—Axes, Hatchets, Hammers, Spades, Shovels, Hoes, Augurs, Chisels, Steel, Coffee and Spice Mills, Log, Ox and Trace Chains, Shovels and Tongs, Hemp and Manilla Rope, Iron, Nails, Steel, Butts, Hinges, Screws, Knives and Forks, Pocket Knives, Razors, Sheep Shears, Saws, Files, Castings, Mouse Traps, &c., &c.
GLASS AND QUEENSWARE.
Tumblers, Lamps, Giroldins, Plates, Tea and Coffee Tureens, Ewers and Basons, Bowls, &c.
STATIONERY.
Cap, Letter, Envelope, Note and Bill Paper, Ledgers, Journals, Day and Memoranda Books, Pass and Copy Books, Gold and Steel Pens, School and Miscellaneous Books, Gum Labels, Papeteries, Water Colors, Slates, Card Cases, Pen Makers, Motto Stamps, Wafers, Ink Stands, Wafer Stamps, Pencils, Blue, Black and Red Inks, Sand Boxes, Pearl and Ivory Paper Cutters, Card Racks, Post Office Pen Racks, Bill Files, Eyelet Machines, Pounce and Pounce Bottles, India Rubbers, Quills, Pen-Holders, Buff, Legal and Fancy Envelops, Red and Bronze Sealing Wax, Almanacs, &c.
GROCERIES
AND WESTERN PRODUCE.—Louisiana, Texas, Loaf and Crushed Sugar, Rio, Prime, Green and Old Java Coffee, Rice, Dryed Fruits, Pickles, Soaps, Flour, Potatoes, Preserves, Raisins, Bacon, Lard, Sugar Cured Hams, Candles, Starch, Saleratus, Pepper, Pimetto, Indigo, Ginger, Alspice, Pie Fruit, Smoking and Chewing Tobacco, Macaboy and Scotch Snuff, Cigars of various brands, Sardines, Lobsters, Mackerel, Codfish, Imperial, Young Hyson and Black Teas, &c.
All the above Goods, with many others, will be sold by the subscriber low for cash or produce.
CHAMBERS ETTER & CO.
Indianola, Sept. 30, 1852. [1:tf.

H. RUNGE & CO.,
Commission and Forwarding
MERCHANTS,
INDIANOLA, TEXAS.
HAVE a large and commodious warehouse, and are prepared to receive and forward goods, on terms agreed upon by the different forwarding merchants. Any orders or other business entrusted to them will be promptly attended to. They will make liberal advances on cotton and other produce, shipped or consigned to their friends in New Orleans or New York.
For references they refer to those they have done business for, during the six years they have been established at Indianola. [1:tf.

HENRY CARSTENS,
Architect and Builder.
IS prepaired to take all contracts in his line, and execute them with neatness and despatch. All kinds of jobbing attended to, he will be ready to draw plans and specifications, and is also well acquainted with the arrangement of sugar house and saw mills; putting up sugar mills and engines, he will also give lessons at his house in drawing. Cisterns made to order and kept on hand for sale. [1,1y.

J. A. SETTLE,
RECEIVING, FORWARDING AND COMMISSION MERCHANT,
INDIANOLA, TEXAS.
KEEPS constantly on hand a general assortment of Groceries, Liquors, Provisions, Ship Chandlery, Crockery, Saddlery, and Western Produce. [1:tf.

E. H. VONTRESS. T. F. HUGHES
Vontress & Hughes,
ATTORNEYS AND COUNSELLORS AT LAW,
GEORGETOWN,
WILLIAMSON COUNTY, TEXAS.

FURNITURE WAREHOUSE.
WE have received, by late arrivals from New York, a new supply of *FURNITURE* viz: Cane and Wood Seat Chairs, and Rocking Chairs, Arm Chairs, Childrens' Chairs, Wood and Cane Seat Stools, Wash Stands, Toilet, Reading, Work and Card Tables, Cherry and Walnut Tables, Cradles, Bureaus, high and low post Bedsteads, and Kitchen Safes, making a complete assortment of the different kinds of Furniture, which we offer for sale low. H. RUNGE & CO.
Indianola, June 10, 1852.

GEORGE S. MENEFEE & CO.,
RECEIVING AND FORWARDING
MERCHANTS,
AT THE
New Powder Horn Wharf,
INDIANOLA, TEXAS.
Sept. 16, 1852—30.

J. H. DAVIS,
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALER IN
FANCY AND STAPLE DRY GOODS,
Groceries, Saddlery, Crockery, Glassware, Tinware, Hardware, &c.
Opposite the Post Office, Indianola, Texas.
Sept. 30, 1852.

BRICK! BRICK!—First quality of Brick constantly on hand at my Kiln in Victoria, at the current rates, or will be delivered in Indianola at $14 per one thousand.
C. M. BROWN.
Victoria, June 3, 1852. [17:tf.

GUNNY BAGS for sale by
sep16 H. RUNGE & CO.

FRENCH WINDOW GLASS 10 by 14, for sale by sep 9 *H. RUNGE & CO.*

NEW GOODS.
WE have just received, per schr. Reindeer, from New York, a new supply of HARDWARE, such as castings, chains, axes and nails; also, a large lot of Rope, of assorted sizes, for sale low, by [sep16] H. RUNGE & CO.

ALHAMBRA HOUSE,
C. VILLENEUVE, Proprietor,
INDIANOLA, TEXAS.
RATES OF BOARD:

Board per Month, with Lodging,	$25 00
do do without Lodging,	20 00
Board per Week, with Lodging,	8 00
do Day, do	1 25
One Single Meal,	50
Lodging only,	50

☞ A good Bath-House attached to the establishment, for the enjoyment of the Boarders.
☞ Fish, Oysters and Game in abundance.
☞ His Bar is always supplied with the choicest Wines and Liquors, and a good Billiard Table. [1:ly.

PLANTER'S HOUSE,
Indianola, Texas.
THE undersigned, having leased the above property heretofore so favorably known, and having given it a thorough renovating throughout, besides repapering, painting and furnishing with entire new furniture, is now ready to accommodate those who may favor him with a call. He also pledges himself to spare no pains or expenses whatever to make those calling on him as comfortable as at any other hotel in Western Texas. Families or other persons visiting Indianola, will find the rooms at the Planter's House comfortable, and the table supplied with as good eating as the market and country will afford. But as it is much easier to make promises then to redeem them, please call and examine for yourselves.
WM. M. VARNELL.
Indianola, June 17, 1852. [19:tf.
☞ Western Texan, San Antonio Texan Advocate Victoria, and Galveston News will please copy the above three months, and forward accounts to this office.

HUFF'S HOTEL,
DECROW'S POINT.
THE subscriber takes pleasure in informing his friends, the planters of the country, and the traveling public, that he has opened the above Hotel for their accommodation, and hopes by a close application to business to meet with a liberal share of public patronage.
Decrow's Point is the healthiest place on the Bay, and an excellent place for fishing and bathing; and persons wishing to spend a few months during the summer season on the coast could not select a better place.
The steamships running between New Orleans and Matagorda and Lavaca Bays touch at Decrow's Point.
☞ Terms moderate.
1:1y. JOHN HUFF.

TO INVALIDS AND THE SICK
The Celebrated
COMSTOCK MEDICINES.
1st. THE GREAT PAIN EXTRACTOR (CONNEL'S & DALLY'S) curing all Burns and all External Pains & Sores.
2d. BALM OF COLUMBIA for Staying or Restoring the Human Hair.
3d. HEWE'S NERVE AND BONE LINIMENT and INDIAN VEGETABLE ELIXIR, a cure for all cases of Rheumatism.
4th. MCNAIR'S ACOUSTIC OIL, a certain cure for deafness.
5th. HAY'S LINIMENT, a known cure for the piles.
6th. SPOHN'S SICK HEADACHE REMEDY.
7th. MOTHER'S RELIEF, for all women in the family way.
8th. LONGLEY'S GREAT WESTERN INDIAN PANACEA, for Colds and feverish feelings and preventing fevers, for Asthma, Liver Complaint and Bilious Affections; for Diarrhoa, Indigestion and Loss of Appetite, for Costiveness in females and males, and nervous complaints; for Stomach Affections, Dyspepsia, Piles, Rheumatism, &c. The great point are it is not bad to take, never gives pain, and never leaves one costive.
9th. KOHNSTOCK'S VERMIFUGE (Worm Killer,) for Children, or grown persons.
10th. MRS. BROWN'S GREAT PAIN KILLER. No medicine has been discovered which is so happily adapted to use *internally* as drops to be taken, and yet perform such wonders when applied *externally* as a wash or bath, by friction.—In bottles from 12½ to 50 cents each.
11th. SARNHOLTZ'S ROACH AND BED BUG BANE, for driving away Vermin in a short time.
12th. The celebrated *Lin's Life Pills* and *Temperance Bitters.*
13th. *Dr. Bartholomew's Pink Syrup*, the popular *Expectorant for Coughs, Colds, Influenza, &c.*
14th. *The East India & New-York Hair Dyes* the only sure coloring for the hair.
15th. *Lin's Balm of China*, a Chinese remedy for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, &c.
16th. EXTRACT OF SARSAPARILLA. This article has outlived all other Sarsaparillas, and still gives as great satisfaction as ever.
17th. The celebrated spread *Strengthening Plaster*, made from *Dr. Lin's* recipe, and the most popular in the market.
18th. DR. KLINE'S TOOTH ACHE DROPS. A certain and easy cure for the Tooth Ache.
19th. DR. COMSTOCK has lately bought the right for the United States, of the celebrated *Concentrated* MINERAL WATER, found at the *Salt Springs* of *Dr. Wm. C. Chase*, at *St. Catherines*, *C. W.* This medicine has attained a notoriety and popularity never before equalled by any preparation at that place, and its sale has been commensurated with its merits, which are extraordinary.
All the remedies are fully described in *Almanacs*, to be given to all who call where the Medicines are kept.
NOTICE. All preparations heretofore known as "COMSTOCK'S" or COMSTOCK & CO's, always belonged & now belong EXCLUSIVELY to Dr. Lucius S. Comstock; and though the signature of Comstock & Co. will be continued, this extra label with the fac simile signature of Dr. L. S. C. will in future designate the GENUINE.
ALL OTHERS MUST BE SPURIOUS.
Lucius S. Comstock
The above medicines can be had in this place by LEWIS & HUGHS, also of R. J. CLOW, Port Lavaca, HOLBROOK, Victoria, and S. R. POWEL, Matagorda.
Who are the only dealers in the genuine COMSTOCKS PREPARATIONS.
Indianola, May 13, 1852 [14:y.

LOUDEN & CO'S
Superior Medicines.
THE subscriber has on hand and offers for sale the following valuable Medicines:

Indian Expectorant,	Remedy for Piles,
Oriental Hair Tonic,	Com. Carminative Balsam
Alterative or Sarsaparilla,	Com. Tonic Vermifuge,
Circassian Hair Dye,	Cherokee Liniment,
Female Elixir,	Indian Sanative Pills,
Fever and Ague Pills,	All Healing Salve.

Having been Agent for these Medicines for near two years, and seeing their good effects, takes pleasure in recommending them to the public.
CHAMBERS ETTER & CO.
Indianola, Feb. 12, 1852. [1:tf.

LEWIS & HUGHES,
HAVE just received from the principal Atlantic cities a large and splendid assortment of *Drugs, Medicines, Dye Stuffs, Oils, Paints, Perfumery, Glassware, Fancy Articles, &c., &c.*
Among the many fancy articles may be found Cologne of superior quality, tooth dentrifice, hair oils, fancy soaps, trypherus for the hair, tooth brushes, hair brushes, flesh brushes, wall paper of different qualities, and a large and splendid assortment of Stationery of all kinds.
Country merchants and dealers are requested to call and examine their stock, as they will keep as fresh and genuine articles, and sell them as low as can be procured elsewhere.
Indianola, Oct. 7, 1852.

THOS. D. WOODWARD,
AUCTION AND COMMISSION
MERCHANT,
DEALER IN GROCERIES, WINES AND LIQUORS, WESTERN PRODUCE, ETC.
Will make liberal Advances on Consignments.
Indianola, April 8, 1852. [9:tf.

COTTMAN,
MAIN STREET, INDIANOLA,
KEEPS constantly on hand choice *LIQUORS, WINES, CORDIALS* and Cigars, direct from the importers at New Orleans. Thankful for past favors, he hopes by unremitting attention to his business to merit a share of public patronage.
☞ For sale, two patent water proof tents 25 feet, 15 feet wall.
Indianola, Aug. 12, 1852. 25:1y.
Rec. by the steamer Mexico; Booker's celebrated bands of choice Tobacco, Peytona, Crescent city, & Picayune, warranted by the manufacturers to be unsurpassed in quality; for sale, wholesale and retail, at COTTMAN'S.
Indianola, Dec. 21st, 1852.—44

RICHARD M. SHINN,
Attorney and Counsellor at Law
LOCKHART,
CALDWELL COUNTY, TEXAS.
☞ Will attend *promptly* to all business entrusted to his care. [14:1y.

Allen's Line,
INDIANOLA AND SAN ANTONIO
Mail Stages,
VIA VICTORIA, CUERO, GONZALES, SEGUIN AND NEW BRAUNFELS.
THE undersigned takes pleasure in returning his thanks to the citizens of Indianola and San Antonio for their liberal patronage of his Line during the last year, and he feels gratified in stating to the traveling public that he has now bought out the Mail Line from Indianola to Braunfels, and will run *Tri Weekly* from and to the above named points He has superior Coaches, fine horses, polite and skilful drivers.
With these inducements, together with a sincere desire to deal candidly and fairly with all those who may patronize his Line, he hopes to continue to receive a liberal share of public favor. These Stages will run in connection with the New Orleans boats.
RATES:

From San Antonio to	Seguin,	$3 00
" "	Gonzales,	6 50
" "	Victoria,	10 00
" "	Indianola,	12 50
From Indianola to	Victoria,	4 00
" "	Gonzales,	8 00
" "	Seguin,	10 50
" "	New-Braunfels,	12 50
" "	San Antonio,	12 50

JAMES L. ALLEN, *Proprietor.*
Indianola. [1:tf.

SALTMARSH'S
LINE OF UNITED STATES MAIL STAGES
D. A. SALTMARSH & Co., *Proprietors.*
From Indianola to San Antonio, via Lavaca, Victoria, Yorktown, Sulphur Springs and Eclato.
THE subscriber takes pleasure in announcing that he has on this Line good Troy coaches, with good teams, and polite drivers—leaving Indianola on the arrival of the steamers from New Orleans, for San Antonio and touching at the above points. The country through which this route passes is one of much beauty and interest to the traveler, (including the Sulphur Springs,) and the roads are good.
For further particulars apply at the stage office, Alhambra Hotel, Indianola.
J. R. FRETWELL, Agent.
Indianola, Feb. 1852. [1:tf.

GEO. W. PASCHAL & J. A. PASCHAL
Attorneys and Counsellors
AT LAW.
GEO. W. PASCHAL will reside permanently at *Austin*, and J. A. PASCHAL at *San Antonio.* One of them will regularly attend the Supreme Court at Austin, and the U. S. District Court at Galveston.

Thomas H. Stribling,
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELLOR
AT LAW,
SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS.
Refers to—
Col. John Henry Brown, Indianola.
Logan & Sterne, Victoria.
A. Neill, Esq., Seguin.
John A. Mitchel, 32 Poydras st., New Orleans.

A. S. CUNNINGHAM, *Victoria.* GEORGE M. REID, *Clinton.*
TEXAS.
CUNNINGHAM & REID,
Attorneys at Law,
WILL practice together in the counties of De Witt, Gonzales and Lavaca. [1:tf.

LYTLE & STOCKDALE,
Attorneys and Counsellors at Law
JAMES T. LYTLE, Lavaca, Texas. F. S. STOCKDALE, La Salle.

FOR SALE.—A House and Lot in the town of Indianola, suitable for residence or store, in an eligible part of the town. Apply to
[17:tf.] HENRY BEAUMONT.

DAVID LEWIS. P. E. HUGHES
Lewis & Hughes,
APOTHECARIES AND DRUGGISTS,
(*At the old stand of David Lewis.*)
INDIANOLA, TEXAS.
KEEP a large and well selected assortment of
DRUGS AND MEDICINES,
Oils, Paints, Varnishes, Dye-Stuffs, &c.
Stationery, Books, Blank-Books, Paper, Pens, Ink, Drawing Paper, Drawing Pencils, Water Colors, &c., &c.
Patent Medicines of all kinds, Perfumeries, Soaps, &c. By ordering fresh supplies weekly, we have no old Medicines on hand; and the public may rely that none but pure and fresh Medicines will be sold at this establishment.
To Physicians we say, send in your orders, and they shall be filled to your satisfaction.
1:tf. LEWIS & HUGHES.

DR. ADOLPHUS MYLIUS,
Dr. Med. et Chirurg.
OFFERS his services to the citizens of Indianola and vicinity.

Just Received.
PER steamship Mexico 100 bbls. Potatoes and 10 barrels onions, and for sale by
Indianola, Jan. 13. J. H. DALE.

GOLDEN SYRUP—Four half barrels, a superior article, just received and for sale by
C. ETTER & CO
Indianola, April 23, 1852.

BLACKSMITH'S TOOLS—Three full sets, Bellows, Anvils, Vices, Tongs, Stock and Dies, Hammers, &c., just received direct from New York, and for sale low by C. ETTER & CO.
Indianola, April 23, 1852.

L. H. WOODS,
WHOLSALE AND RETAIL DEALER IN FINE
WATCHES, JEWELRY &
FANCY GOODS,
MOST respectfully announces to the citizens of Indianola, and his friends generally, that he has taken the store under the Masonic Hall, where every thing in his line will be found, as cheap as in any southern market. Not a single article will be sold without a full guarantee which will enable the purchaser to buy with confidence.
His assortment is complete, and he hopes to be encouraged sufficient to justify him in keeping a full supply to all seasons.
A WORD TO THE TRADE.
He has and will keep a general assortment of Watchmaker's tools and materials, all of the best quality.—Time pieces of all kinds repaired and warranted for twelve months, or no charge made.
ENGRAVING done neatly.
Indianola, Jan. 6th, 1853.

Sugar and Molasses.
15 bbls Choice and Prime Sugar
5 do. do. Molasses
for sale low, for cash or produce.
CHAMBERS ETTER & CO.
Dec. 29th, 1852—45: tf.

Late Arrivals.
JUST received per steamships "Mexico", "Louisiana" and "Perseverance"
200 bbls. Flour—St. Louis and Ohio,
50 bbls. Rectif. Whiskey,
10 half bbls. Monongahela Whiskey,
3 Qr. casks superior f. Brandy,
20 Qr. American 4 P. Brandy,
100 bbls. Irish Potatoes,
20 bags prime Rio Coffee,
2 tierces fresh Rice,
50 boxes Buckwheat Flour,
10,000 Regalia Cigars,
together with a general supply of Fancy, Groceries, Dry Goods, Boots, Shoes, Hats, Caps, Wooden ware, Queens ware, &c., &c., which I am selling at the very lowest figures, for *cash*, at wholesale and retail. THO. D. WOODWARD.
Main street, Indianola.
Indianola, Jan. 6th, 1853.

New Orleans and Texas
UNITED STATES MAIL LINE
OF LOW-PRESSURE
STEAMSHIPS.
TEXAS, (1400 tons) Capt. *Jas. Lawless.*
LOUISIANA, (1200 tons) Capt. *J. Smith.*
MEXICO, (1200 tons) Capt. *Place.*
PERSEVERANCE, (900 tons) Capt. *Thos. Forbes.*
THE above new and magnificent Steamships have been built and fitted up with great care and cost especially for this trade; have splendid state-room accommodations for passengers, and for speed and safety are unsurpassed.
One of the above vessels will leave the Powder Horn Wharf at Indianola every Wednesday and Saturday; and Galveston every Thursday morning at 9 o'clock, and Sunday evening, at 4 o'clock.
For freight or passage, apply on board, or to
H. R. BOEHNER, *Indianola.*
HARRIS & MORGAN, *New Orleans.*
Dec., 1852: 44.

Groceries, Wines &c.
JUST received per schooner Gazelle from N. Y.
Old Otard Brandy in ¼ & ⅛ pipes } Duties
Burgundy and Sweet Port, } paid at this
India Madeira, } port.
Champaigne Pts. & Qrts.,
Scotch and Irish Whiskey,
Old Mongl. Whiskey,
Mustard,
Tomatoe and Walnut Ketchup,
True Lemon Syrup,
Asst. Candy,
Pickles, in Boxes and Kegs,
Preserved Peaches and Quinces in cans,
Preserved Lobsters do.
Principes. La Favorita. La Rama. } Segars.
Curiosidad Regalias. La Severita. }
Julia Dean. Morris Baldwin. } Tobacco.
Sugar Pear, Pierre Soule, &c. }
for sale low by [47:tf.] J. A. SETTLE.

W. B. Leigh,
ATTORNEY AT LAW,
SEGUIN, TEXAS.
—REFERENCES:—
W. H. Gordon, Esq., Austin.
Judge L. A. Paschal, San Antonio.
R. M. Forbes, Esq., Port Lavaca.
Col. John Henry Brown, Indianola. [4
John A. Mitchel, 32 Poydras st., N. Orleans.

Blacksmithing.
A. C. ASHWORTH & J. H. FARISH
RESPECTFULLY inform the public that their shop is at present in full operation, and that they are prepared to execute all work pertaining to their line of business with neatness and despatch.
Engines repaired, and Boat Work done with despatch and warranted.
All orders from a distance promptly attended to.
Indianola, July 22, 1852. [24:tf

HUCK & OGSBURY,
AT their stand in Indianola, keep constantly on hand and for sale, low for cash or produce, a general assortment of
GROCERIES AND WESTERN PRODUCE
Flour, Bacon, Sugar, Coffee,
Rice, Cheese, Soap, Candles,
Tobacco of all kinds,
Cigars, " "
Dried Fruits,
Preserves and Sweetmeats,
Buckwheat in kegs and boxes,
Pickles, Figs,
Fish, Mackerel, Cod, Salmon,
Herrings, Sardines,
Starch, Beef,
Wines and Liquors,
Tea of all kinds,
Salt, Spices, Catsups,
Almonds, Syrups,
In a word, a complete assortment of articles in our line.
We are in weekly receipt of fresh supplies by the steamers. We buy none but good articles, and sell at the lowest living rates. We solicit a liberal patronage. [1:tf.

JOHN H. DALE,
WHOLESALE & RETAIL DEALER IN
Groceries and Western Produce,
INDIANOLA, TEXAS.
IS in weekly receipt by the New Orleans steamers of all articles embraced in his line, consisting in part of—
St. Louis Flour, s. c. Hams,
Bacon, Lard, Butter, Cheese,
New Mess Pork, Potatoes,
Dried Apples, Molasses,
Brown, crushed, loaf and powdered Sugars,
Old Rye, Oliver's Extra and Dexter's celebrated Whiskey,
Old Cognac Brandy, Wines,
Pure White Wine Vinegar,
Rice, Coffee, Tea, Salt, Nails,
Soap, Tobacco, Cigars, Candles,
Raisins, Ky. Mustard, Pepper,
Spice, Cloves, Nutmegs, Starch,
Iron and brass bound Buckets,
Sardines, Lobsters, Pickles, Preserves,
Powder, Shot and Lead.
All of which he will sell at the lowest cash rates.
One door south of White & Co.'s Wharf. [1:tf.

J. M. CAMP,
(*Opposite the Post Office,*)
HOUSE JOINER AND UNDERTAKER.
INDIANOLA, TEXAS.
IS prepared to do all work in his line with promptness and in good style. [2:1y.

JAMES A. POAGE,
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELLOR AT LAW,
BASTROP, TEXAS.
Refer to—John Henry Brown, Indianola.

DOORS AND WINDOW SASH.—Just received per schooner Spafford, from New York, a lot of finished pine Doors and Window Sash.
Aug. 25. H. RUNGE & CO.

JOHN HENRY BROWN, *Attorney at Law, Notary Public, and Commissioner of Deeds for the following States of the Union, Indianola, Texas.* Special attention given to the collection of accounts from abroad. All acknowledgments taken before him, or before any notary public, chief justice, county clerk, district or supreme judge, and certified to by him, will be valid in any of the states for which he is commissioner, to-wit: Maine, Connecticut, N. York, Pennsylvania, Ohio, Virginia, Indiana, Kentucky, Illinois, Missouri, Iowa, Wisconsin, Arkansas, Tennessee, Mississippi, Alabama, California, North Carolina.

General Packet.
FOR Matagorda, Pass Cavallo, Indianola and Lavaca.—The splendid A No. 1, Sloop Fairy, Capt. Davis, will ply as a regular Packet between the above ports;—leaving Indianola for Matagorda on the arrival of the steamers from N. Orleans. Apply at the Alhambra Hotel.
Dec. 9, 1852, [42] 3m.

Old Whiskey.
JUST received, on consignment, per steamship Texas, 41 bbls. superior Old Kentucky Whiskey of the best Boyle County make, and for sale low for cash by.
[51-tf.] WHITE & SOUTHERN.

Valuable School Books,
PUBLISHED BY
THOMAS, COWPERTHWAIT & CO.,
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And for sale by Booksellers generally throughout the United States.
SWAIN'S SCHOOL READERS.
The Primary School Reader,
PART 1. Which is intended for beginners, containing lesson upon each of the elementary sounds in the language, exercises in syllabication, etc.
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A treatise on the structure of the English Language, by Samuel S. Greene, M. D., Principal of Phillip's Grammar School, Boston.
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Primary Physiology for the use of schools, and Practical Physiology for the use of families, by Edward Jarvis, M. D., Philadelphia.
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Based on the system of D. Jose de Urcullu.
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An easy introduction to the study of Geography, designed for the instruction of children in schools and families.
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Comprising a description of the present state of the world, and its five great Divisions, embellished with numerous engravings, and illustrated by an Atlas of 28 maps, drawn and engraved for the work.

Bridge on Chocolate!
Thoroughfare between Indianola & Lavaca.
THE road across the marsh on Chocolate is in good order, and will admit the heaviest loaded wagons, and make the distance between Victoria and Indianola, by way of Lavaca, four miles nearer than the present traveled road, and the Proprietors contemplate making a road on a more direct line, saving in distance seven miles or more.
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Carts with two yokes of oxen	.25
Pleasure carriages and two horse buggy's	.30
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Wagons over two horses	.50
Horseman	.20
Footman	.5
Sheep and Hogs	.3
Horses and Cattle	.5

The above rates we hope to be able to reduce by accumulation of the travel.
OGDEN & MILBY.
Indianola, April 29, 1852. [12:tf.

Barbering
AND CHAMPOONING.
(*One Door North of the Alhambra.*)
THE above business is carried on in all its various branches by
MICHAEL DEMONET
Indianola. 1y:1]

JACOB MAAS,
IMPORTER OF FOREIGN AND
DOMESTIC GOODS,
Commission and Forwarding
MERCHANT,
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KEEPS a complete assortment of all the leading articles destined for the common and necessary use, comprising all kinds of
PROVISIONS AND BEVERAGES,
Articles of Dress for both sexes—Naval Materials Hardware, Dry Goods, Building Materials, Paints and Oils, Garden Seeds,
Besides a full assortment of various
GROCERIES,
All sorts of Wines and Liquors, such as American and French Cognac Brandies, Gin, Peach and Apple Brandies, Cordials, Bitters, Rhenish and Champagne Wines, Claret, Port and Madeira Wines, and a variety of other pure spirits, from *common Rectified up to best old Irish Whiskey.*
For sale Wholesale or Retail at the lowest possible figures, *particularly for Cash.* [1:tf.

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Huck & Ogsbury,
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL
GROCERS,
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FOR SALE OR RENT.
A VERY desirable family residence a short distance below town. For further particulars apply to HUCK & OGSBURY.
Indianola, August 26, 1852.

For Sale.
10,500 ACRES of Land in Calhoun county. 13,460 in Lavaca county. 10,700 in Jackson county. 2214 in Matagorda county. 1280 in Gonzales county.
For terms Apply to
HENRY BEAUMONT, Indianola.
Indianola, Feb. 12, 1853. [illegible]

Wm. J. Howerton,
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELLOR
AT LAW,
INDIANOLA TEXAS.
WILL practice in the Tenth Judicial District, and in the Supreme Court of the State.
1:1y.

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Importers & Wholesale Dealers in
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47 Camp street, above Gravier,
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The stock is very large and well assorted, being supply of our own manufacture, and comprises almost every article of

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NEW ORLEANS

S. ROBB & CO.,
(Late Robb & Fairbairn.)
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL
SADDLERY AND TRUNK
Warehouse,
No. 4 Magazine Street.
NEW ORLEANS. [5:

Wills & Rawlins,
NO. 11 AND 13 GRAVIER STREET,
CORNER OF TCHOUPITOULAS.
NEW ORLEANS.

AGENTS for the sale of all qualities of *Virginia Manufactured Tobacco*, keep always on hand a large and desirable stock, which they invite country merchants to examine
JOSIAH WILLS [1:1y] ED. A. RAWLINS.

MARSHALL & JAMES,
No. 53 Camp Street,
NEW ORLEANS.
DEALERS IN FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC
DRY GOODS. [5:

A. F. DUNBAR & CO.,
MANUFACTURERS AND WHOLESALE DEALERS IN
BOOTS, SHOES AND BROGANS
NOS. 54 AND 56 COMMON STREET,
NEW ORLEANS. [5:

A LIKELY NEGRO WOMAN for sale low for cash. Apply to
WHITE & SOUTHERN.
Indianola, Feb. 12, 1853–52–tf.

50,000 FEET of Cypress Lumber—a very fine lot just received per schooner Flying Dragon, consisting of inch, 1¼ and 1½ inch boards, clear stuff suitable for cisterns, doors, window sash, etc., which we offer for sale.
Feb. 17, 1853–52. H. RUNGE & Co.

THOS. B. CONVERSE..........WM. P. CONVERSE, JR.

CONVERSE & CO.,
Grocers, & Dealers in Western Produce,
97 Tchoupitoulas, corner of Lafayette Street,
NEW ORLEANS,

CALL the attention of Dealers and Consumers to their very extensive Stock of Goods, consisting in part of the following, which they will sell cheap for cash or city acceptances:
Sugar—brown, loaf, crushed and powdered;
Coffee—Java, Rio, St. Jago, &c;
Bacon—Hams, sides and shoulders;
Rice, flour, lard, candles, soap;
Mackerel, shad, salmon;
Tea—imperial, gunpowder, hyson and black;
Pickles and catsups, assorted;
Syrups, brandies, wines, rum, gin and whisky;
Scotch and East India Ale;
London and American Porter & Brown Stout;
Dried apples and peaches;
Cologne and bay water; pepper, spice, cloves;
Nutmegs, cassia, mace; saleratus;
Nitrate soda, carb. soda;
Powder, shot and bar lead; 2,000 bxs tobacco.
100,000 segars, assorted;
Writing, letter and wrapping paper;
Envelopes, wafers, pens, pencils, pen-holders;
Plantation Medicines;
Buckets, tubs, brooms, brushes, washboards;
Blacking, nails, pipes;
Together with every article usually kept by grocers. Orders promptly executed. [38-y

John A. Mitchel,
Commission Merchant,
32 POYDRAS STREET,
NEW ORLEANS,

GIVES his undivided attention to the sale of Cotton and the purchase of Merchandise.
He refers in Texas to
Messrs. Proctor & Metcalf, Lockhart.
Dr. C. S. Brown, Gonzales.
Russel Jones, China Grove.
F. Luter, Goliad.
Chambers Etter, } Indianola.
S. A. White & Co.
Brown & Br...

PRIESTLEY & BEIN,
IMPORTERS AND DEALERS IN FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC
HARDWARE,
Iron and Steel,
MILL AND GRIND STONES,
PAINTS, OILS, TURPENTINE, CORDAGE, &c.
NOS. 89 & 91 CAMP STREET,
NEW ORLEANS. [5:

F. F. FOLGER & CO.,
NO. 17 NEW LEVEE, 32 AND 34 TCHOUPITOULAS STS.
NEW ORLEANS.
HARDWARE, CUTLERY, IRON,
STEEL, NAILS, CASTINGS,
Chains, Anchors, Cordage, Axes, Hoes, Mill Stones, Grind Stones,
Paints, Oils, Oakum, Tar, Pitch, Glass, &c. [12

Boarding House.
67 POYDRAS STREET, NEW ORLEANS.
MRS. A. STONE has superior accommodations for permanent and transient boarders.

PAYNE & HENDERSON,
No. 30 and 32 Gravier st.,
NEW ORLEANS.
Dealers in Sugar, Coffee, Tea, Candles, Soap, Rice, Starch, Spices, Segars, Tobacco, Wines, Brandies, &c.
FAMILY GROCERIES. [12] PLANTATION SUPPLIES.

HALL & RODD,
General Commission, Receiving and Forwarding Merchants,
No. 4, Front Levee, New Orleans.

GIVE their undivided attention to the Sale of Cotton, Sugar, and all other Produce, the Purchase of Plantation Supplies, Groceries, or other Merchandize. Refer to—
Cook & Harper,
Baldridge, Sparks & Co., } Indianola.
Chambers, Etter & Co.,
John Henry Brown, [39-y]

H. BONNABEL,
Corner of Natchez and Tchoupitoulas Streets,
NEW ORLEANS,
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALER IN
Drugs, Medicines, Foreign & American Chemicals,
Glassware for Drugs and Confectionery, Putty, Perfumery, Varnish and Brushes of all kinds.

AGENT for most of the approved Patent Medicines. Being an Importer, he can furnish the articles in his line at low prices, and guarantees them of the best quality.

☞ Sole Agent for the sale of the Products of the *Southern Chemical Works*, such as Oil Vitriol, Nitric and Muriatic Acid, Aqua Fortis, Copperas, Bisulphite of Lime, &c. This last article is now extensively used by the Planters of Louisiana in the sugar manufacturing, with magnificent results. Full directions given. Sold in barrels of 40 gallons. [38]y

R. Yeatman & Co.,
Cotton and Tobacco Factors,
And General Commission Merchants,
No. 85 Common street,
[37]1y NEW ORLEANS.

Merchants' Line of Packets,
BETWEEN
N. York & Matagorda Bay,
Composed of the following first class vessels:

Schr. INDIANOLA,	I. Cathcart,	Capt.,	4000 bbls.
" REINDEER,	Cathcart,	"	2500 "
" CLINTON,	T. Smith,	"	2500 "
" DESDEMONA,	J. S. Chattin,	"	1600 "
" W. A. SPAFFORD,	Kent,	"	2000 "

The above having been built or selected expressly for this line, are all new vessels of light draft of water, well adapted to the trade, and being commanded by masters of experience in our coasting trade, shippers may rely upon their passages comparing favorably with any other vessels afloat. Freight will also be taken on the most accommodating terms, and every facility and attention extended to shippers for the prompt dispatch of their goods.

☞ All goods consigned to the agents will be forwarded free of commissions.
N. L. McCREADY & CO., Agents,
36 South street, New York.
Indianola, Dec. 2, 1852.—[41]

Linn, Smith & Co.,
WHOLESALE DRUGGISTS,
NO. 8 SOUTH THIRD STREET,
PHILADELPHIA.
CLAUDIUS B. LINN. HORACE F. SMITH.
A. I. OLMSTED.
Drugs and Medicines,
Paints, Oils, Glass, Dye-Stuffs, Varnishes.
Also, Patent Medicines, Medicine Chests, Surgical and Obstetrical Instruments, Chemical Tests, &c. [1:1y.

Augustus Fromme,
COMMISSION AND FORWARDING
MERCHANT,
INDIANOLA, TEXAS. [1:1y.

JOHN SAVERY. WM. SAVERY. ALEX. LAW

JOHN SAVERY & SONS,
Phenix Works Warehouse, No. 54 Cliff Street,
NEW YORK,
MANUFACTURERS AND DEALERS IN
Light and Heavy Hollow Ware,
Tinned and enamelled ware, fry pans, ground wagon boxes, sad irons, fancy dogs, air tight cooking, parlor and box stoves, cylinder boxes, &c., and castings in general.
21:tf.

HARDWARE.

R. RICHARDS, No. 11 Chartres street, Importer and Wholesale Dealer in Foreign and Domestic *Hardware*, has received a very large addition to his previously extensive stock of shelf Hardware, Iron, etc., which he offers to country merchants on the most favorable terms. The following comprises a part of the stock:
500 tons Swede Iron, assorted;
1100 tons Hoop, Band, Boiler and Sheet Iron;
20 tons Cast, German and Blister Steel;
200 casks Trace, Log and Ox chains;
130 casks Hoes, assorted, Carolina, Louisiana, Grubbing, etc.;
3000 kegs Nails, assorted, Weymouth and Anchor brands;
1000 dozen Axes, assorted, Collins', Hunt's and other makes;
300 dozen Shovels and Spades, assorted, Ames', Rowland's, and other makes;
150 tons Savery & Co's. Castings, consisting of Pots, Ovens, Spiders, Firedogs, Cauldrons, etc.
Cologne Mill Stones, Mill Irons and Bolting cloths; together with a full assortment of shelf Hardware, cutlery, Guns, etc.
Dec. 9, 1852–42.

ARCADE HOTEL,
Magazine, between Natchez and Gravier Streets,
NEW ORLEANS.
R. S. MORSE, Proprietor.
*** The above establishment having been entirely new furnished and repaired throughout, is now ready for the reception of visitors. [88]1y

ARCH'D H. LOWERY,
WHOLESALE GROCER,
121 Front street, New York.
A. M. GENTRY, 32:1y.

N. W. Burtis,
(Successor to R. C. Wetmore & Co.)
Importer and Dealer in
CHINA, GLASS AND EARTHENWARE,
NO. 85 WATER STREET,
NEW YORK.
Has constantly on hand the largest stock of the above goods to be found in the Northern markets, selected expressly for the Southern trade, which he will sell on as favorable terms as any house in the city. Orders will receive prompt attention. [33:1y

NEW GOODS,
CHAMBERS ETTER & CO.,
INDIANOLA, TEXAS,

KEEPS constantly receiving fresh and seasonable Goods, consisting of
Prints of the latest styles and paterns, Ginghams, Bareges, Muslins, Delanes, Lawns, Linens, Swiss and Bard Muslins, Cambrics, bleached and brown Domestics, Checks, Ticks, Denims, Stripes, Tweeds, Cotton and Linen Drills, Table Cloths and Covers, Flannels, Blankets, Osnaburgs, Lowells, Cottonades, Jeans, Ladies' Hose assorted, Gentlemens' Half Hose, Gloves, Ribbons, Needles, Pins, Tapes, Braids, Cords, Laces, Collars, Handkerchiefs, Cravats, &c., &c.

Clothing,
Cloth, Dress, Frockand Sack Coats, Linen and Check Gingham do., Pantaloons of various kinds, Vests, Drawers, Suspenders, Shirts, &c.

Boots and Shoes,
Comprising a full assortment of Gentlemens', Ladies', Youths', Boys' and Misses' Fine Boots, Gaiters, Slippers, Ties, and, also, Heavy Boots and Brogans.

HATS AND CAPS,
Mens', Boys' and Childrens' Mole, Silk, Kossuth, Mexican, Wool, Palmleaf, Leghorn and Panama Hats.

HARDWARE
AND CUTLERY—Axes, Hatchets, Hammers, Spades, Shovels, Hoes, Augurs, Chisels, Steel Coffee and Spice Mills, Log, Ox and Trace Chains, Shovels and Tongs, Hemp and Manilla Rope, Iron, Nails, Steel, Butts, Hinges, Screws, Knives and Forks, Pocket Knives, Razors, Sheep Shears, Saws, Files, Castings, Mouse Traps, &c., &c.

GLASS AND QUEENSWARE.
Tumblers, Lamps, Giroldins, Plates, Tea and Coffee Tureens, Ewers and Basons, Bowls, &c.

STATIONERY.
Cap, Letter, Envelope, Note and Bill Paper, Ledgers, Journals, Day and Memoranda Books, Pass and Copy Books, Gold and Steel Pens, School and Miscellaneous Books, Gum Labels, Papeteries, Water Colors, Slates, Card Cases, Pen Makers, Motto Stamps, Wafers, Ink Stands, Wafer Stamps, Pencils, Blue, Black and Red Inks, Sand Boxes, Pearl and Ivory Paper Cutters, Card Racks, Post Office Pen Racks, Bill Files, Eyelet Machines, Pounce and Pounce Bottles, India Rubbers, Quills, Pen-Holders, Buff, Legal and Fancy Envelops, Red and Bronze Sealing Wax, Almanacs, &c.

GROCERIES
AND WESTERN PRODUCE.—Louisiana, Texas, Loaf and Crushed Sugar, Rio, Prime, Green and Old Java Coffee, Rice, Dryed Fruits, Pickles, Soaps, Flour, Potatoes, Preserves, Raisins, Bacon, Lard, Sugar Cured Hams, Candles, Starch, Saleratus, Pepper, Pimetto, Indigo, Ginger, Alspice, Pie Fruit, Smoking and Chewing Tobacco, Macaboy and Scotch Snuff, Cigars of various brands, Sardines, Lobsters, Mackerel, Codfish, Imperial, Young Hyson and Black Teas, &c.

All the above Goods, with many others, will be sold by the subscriber low for cash or produce.
CHAMBERS ETTER & CO.
Indianola, Sept. 30, 1852. [1:tf.

H. RUNGE & CO.,
Commission and Forwarding
MERCHANTS,
INDIANOLA, TEXAS.

HAVE a large and commodious warehouse, and are prepared to receive and forward goods, on terms agreed upon by the different forwarding merchants. Any orders or other business entrusted to them will be promptly attended to. They will make liberal advances on cotton and other produce, shipped or consigned to their friends in New Orleans or New York.

For references they refer to those they have done business for, during the six years they have been established at Indianola. [1:tf.

HENRY CARSTENS,
Architect and Builder.

IS prepared to take all contracts in his line, and execute them with neatness and despatch. All kinds of jobbing attended to, he will be ready to draw plans and specifications, and is also well acquainted with the arrangement of sugar house and saw mills; putting up sugar mills and engines, he will also give lessons at his house in drawing. Cisterns made to order and kept on hand for sale. [1:1y.

J. A. SETTLE,
RECEIVING, FORWARDING AND COMMISSION MERCHANT,
INDIANOLA, TEXAS.

KEEPS constantly on hand a general assortment of Groceries, Liquors, Provisions, Ship Chandlery, Crockery, Saddlery, and Western Produce. [1:tf.

E. H. VONTRESS. T. F. HUGHES

Vontress & Hughes,
ATTORNEYS AND COUNSELLORS AT LAW,
GEORGETOWN,
WILLIAMSON COUNTY, TEXAS.

FURNITURE WAREHOUSE.

WE have received, by late arrivals from New York, a new supply of *FURNITURE* viz: Cane and Wood Seat Chairs, and Rocking Chairs, Arm Chairs, Childrens' Chairs, Wood and Cane Seat Stools, Wash Stands, Toilets, Reading, Work and Card Tables, Cherry and Walnut Tables, Cradles, Bureaus, high and low post Bedsteads, and Kitchen Safes, making a complete assortment of the different kinds of Furniture, which we offer for sale low. H. RUNGE & CO.
Indianola, June 10, 1852.

GEORGE S. MENEFEE & CO.,
RECEIVING AND FORWARDING
MERCHANTS.
AT THE
New Powder Horn Wharf,
INDIANOLA, TEXAS.
Sept. 16, 1852–30

J. H. DAVIS,
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALER IN
FANCY AND STAPLE DRY GOODS,
Groceries, Saddlery, Crockery, Glassware, Tinware, Hardware, &c.
Opposite the Post Office, Indianola, Texas.
Sept. 30, 1852.

BRICK! BRICK!—First quality of Brick constantly on hand at my Kiln in Victoria, at the current rates, or will be delivered in Indianola at $14 per one thousand.
C. M. BROWN.
Victoria, June 3, 1852. [17:tf.

GUNNY BAGS for sale by
sep16 H. RUNGE & CO.

FRENCH WINDOW GLASS 10 by 14, for sale by sep 9 *H. RUNGE & CO.*

NEW GOODS.

WE have just received, per schr. Reindeer, from New York, a new supply of HARDWARE, such as castings, chains, axes and nails; also, a large lot of Rope, of assorted sizes; for sale low, by [sep16] H. RUNGE & CO.

ALHAMBRA HOUSE,
C. VILLENEUVE, Proprietor,
INDIANOLA, TEXAS.

RATES OF BOARD:

Board per Month, with Lodging,	$25 00
do do without Lodging,	20 00
Board per Week, with Lodging,	8 00
do Day, do	1 25
One Single Meal,	50
Lodging only,	50

☞ A good Bath-House attached to the establishment, for the enjoyment of the Boarders.
☞ Fish, Oysters and Game in abundance.
☞ His Bar is always supplied with the choicest Wines and Liquors, and a good Billiard Table. [1:1y.

PLANTER'S HOUSE,
Indianola, Texas.

THE undersigned, having leased the above property heretofore so favorably known, and having given it a thorough renovating throughout, besides repapering, painting and furnishing with entire new furniture, is now ready to accommodate those who may favor him with a call. He also pledges himself to spare no pains or expenses whatever to make those calling on him as comfortable as at any other hotel in Western Texas. Families or other persons visiting Indianola, will find the rooms at the Planter's House comfortable, and the table supplied with as good eating as the market and country will afford. But as it is much easier to make promises than to redeem them, please call and examine for yourselves.
WM. M. VARNELL.
Indianola, June 17, 1852. [19:tf.

☞ Western Texan, San Antonio; Texas Advocate Victoria, and Galveston News will please copy the above three months, and forward accounts to this office.

HUFF'S HOTEL,
DECROW'S POINT.

THE subscriber takes pleasure in informing his friends, the planters of the country, and the traveling public, that he has opened the above Hotel for their accommodation, and hopes by a close application to business to meet with a liberal share of public patronage.

Decrow's Point is the healthiest place on the Bay, and an excellent place for fishing and bathing; and persons wishing to spend a few months during the summer season on the coast could not select a better place.

The steamships running between New Orleans and Matagorda and Lavaca Bays touch at Decrow's Point.
☞ Terms moderate.
1:1y. JOHN HUFF.

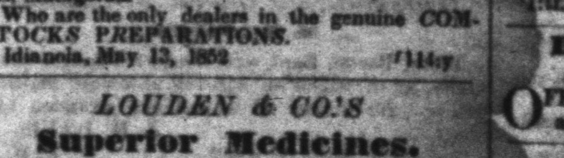
TO INVALIDS AND THE SICK
The Celebrated
COMSTOCK MEDICINES.

1st. THE GREAT PAIN EXTRACTOR (CONNEL'S & DALLY'S) curing all Burns and all External Pains & Sores.
2d. BALM OF COLUMBIA for Staying or Restoring the Human Hair.
3d. HEWE'S NERVE AND BONE LINIMENT and INDIAN VEGETABLE ELIXIR, a cure for all cases of Rheumatism.
4th. McNAIR'S ACOUSTIC OIL, a certain cure for deafness.
5th. HAY'S LINIMENT, a known cure for the piles
6th. SPOHN'S SICK HEADACHE REMEDY.
7th. MOTHER'S RELIEF, for all women in the family way.
8th. LONGLEY'S GREAT WESTERN INDIAN PANACEA, for Colds and feverish feelings and preventing fevers; for Asthma, Liver Complaint and Bilious Affections; for Diarrhoea, Indigestion and Loss of Appetite for Costiveness in females and males, and nervous complaints; for Stomach Affections, Dyspepsia, Piles, Rheumatism, &c. The great point are it is not had to take, never gives pain, and never leaves one costive.
9th. KOLMSTOCK'S VERMIFUGE (Worm Killer,) for Children, or grown persons.
10th. MRS. BROWN'S GREAT PAIN KILLER. No medicine has been discovered which is so happily adapted to use *internally* as drops to be taken, and yet perform such wonders when applied *externally* as a wash or bath, by friction.—In bottles from 12½ to 50 cents each.
11th. SAUNHOLTZ'S ROACH AND BED BUG BANE, for driving away Vermin in a short time.
12th. The celebrated *Lin's Life Pills* and *Temperance Bitters.*
13th. *Dr. Bartholomew's Pink Syrup*, the popular *Expectorant for Coughs, Colds, Influenza, &c.*
14th. *The East India & New-York Hair Dyes* the only *sure* coloring for the hair.
15th. *Lin's Balm of China*, a Chinese remedy for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, &c.
16th. EXTRACT OF SARSAPARILLA. This article has outlived all other Sarsaparillas, and still gives as great satisfaction as ever.
17th. The celebrated spread *Strengthening Plaster*, made from *Dr. Lin's* recipe, and the most popular in the market.
18th. DR. KLINE'S TOOTH ACHE DROPS. A certain and easy cure for the Tooth Ache.
19th. DR. COMSTOCK has lately bought the right for the United States, of the celebrated *Concentrated* MINERAL WATER, found at the Salt Springs of Dr. Wm. C. Chase, at St. Catherines, C. W. This medicine has attained a notoriety and popularity never before equalled by any preparation at that place, and its sale has been commensurated with its merits, which are extraordinary.

All the remedies are fully described in *Almanacs*, to be given to all who call where the *Medicines* are kept.

NOTICE. All preparations heretofore known as "COMSTOCK'S" or COMSTOCK & CO's. always belonged & now belong EXCLUSIVELY to Dr. Lucius S. Comstock; and though the signature of Comstock & Co. will be continued, this extra label with the fac simile signature of Dr. L. S. C. will in future designate the GENUINE.

ALL OTHERS MUST BE SPURIOUS.



The above medicines can be had in this place, by LEWIS & HUGHS, also of R. J. CLOW, Port Lavaca, HOLBROOK, Victoria, and S. R. POWELL, Matagorda.
Who are the only dealers in the genuine COMSTOCKS PREPARATIONS.
Indianola, May 13, 1852 [14:1y

LOUDEN & CO'S
Superior Medicines.

THE subscriber has on hand and offers for sale the following valuable Medicines:

Indian Expectorant,	Remedy for Piles,
Oriental Hair Tonic,	Com. Carminative Balsam
Alterative or Sarsaparilla,	Com. Tonic Vermifuge,
Circassian Hair Dye,	Cherokee Liniment,
Female Elixir,	Indian Sanative Pills,
Fever and Ague Pills,	All Healing Salve.

Having been Agent for these Medicines for near two years, and seeing their good effects, takes pleasure in recommending them to the public.
CHAMBERS ETTER & CO.
Indianola, Feb. 12, 1852. [1:tf.

LEWIS & HUGHES,

HAVE just received from the principal Atlantic cities a large and splendid assortment of *Drugs, Medicines, Dye Stuffs, Oils, Paints, Perfumery, Glassware, Fancy Articles, &c., &c.*

Among the many fancy articles may be found Cologne of superior quality, tooth dentrifice, hair oils, fancy soaps, tryphorus for the hair, tooth brushes, hair brushes, flesh brushes, wall paper of different qualities, and a large and splendid assortment of Stationery of all kinds.

Country merchants and dealers are requested to call and examine their stock, as they will keep as fresh and genuine articles, and sell them as low as can be procured elsewhere.
Indianola, Oct. 7, 1852.

THOS. D. WOODWARD,
AUCTION AND COMMISSION
MERCHANT,
DEALER IN GROCERIES, WINES AND LIQUORS, WESTERN PRODUCE, ETC.
Will make liberal Advances on Consignments.
Indianola, April 8, 1852. [9:tf.

COTTMAN,
MAIN STREET, INDIANOLA,

KEEPS constantly on hand choice
LIQUORS, WINES, CORDIALS
and Cigars, direct from the importers at New Orleans. Thankful for past favors, he hopes by unremitting attention to his business to merit a share of public patronage.

☞ For sale, two patent water proof tents 25 feet. 15 feet wall.
Indianola, Aug. 12, 1852. 23:1y.

Rec. by the steamer Mexico; Booker's celebrated brands of choice Tobacco, Peytons, Crescent city, & Picayune, warranted by the manufacturers to be unsurpassed in quality; for sale, wholesale and retail, at COTTMAN'S.
Indianola, Dec. 21st, 1852.–44

RICHARD M. SHINN,
Attorney and Counsellor at Law
LOCKHART,
CALDWELL COUNTY, TEXAS.
☞ Will attend *promptly* to all business entrusted to his care. [14:1y.

Allen's Line,
INDIANOLA AND SAN ANTONIO
Mail Stages,
VIA VICTORIA, CUERO, GONZALES, SEGUIN AND NEW BRAUNFELS.

THE undersigned takes pleasure in returning his thanks to the citizens of Indianola and San Antonio for their liberal patronage of his Line during the last year, and he feels gratified in stating to the traveling public that he has now bought out the Mail Line from Indianola to Braunfels, and will run *Tri Weekly* from and to the above named points He has superior Coaches, fine horses, polite and skilful drivers.

With these inducements, together with a sincere desire to deal candidly and fairly with all those who may patronize his Line, he hopes to continue to receive a liberal share of public favor. These Stages will run in connection with the New Orleans boats.

RATES:

From San Antonio to	Seguin,	$3 00
" "	Gonzales,	6 50
" "	Victoria,	10 00
" "	Indianola,	12 50
From Indianola to	Victoria,	4 00
" "	Gonzales,	8 00
" "	Seguin,	10 50
" "	New Braunfels,	12 50
" "	San Antonio,	12 50

JAMES L. ALLEN, *Proprietor.*
Indianola. [1:tf.

SALTMARSH'S
LINE OF UNITED STATES MAIL STAGES
D. A. SALTMARSH & Co., *Proprietors.*
From Indianola to San Antonio, via Lavaca, Victoria, Yorktown, Sulphur Springs and Eclato.

THE subscriber takes pleasure in announcing that he has on this Line good Troy coaches, with good teams, and polite drivers—leaving Indianola on the arrival of the steamers from New Orleans, for San Antonio and touching at the above points. The country through which this route passes is one of much beauty and interest to the traveler, (including the Sulphur Springs,) and the roads are good.

For further particulars apply at the stage office, Alhambra Hotel, Indianola.
J. R. FRETWELL, Agent.
Indianola, Feb. 1852. [1:tf.

GEO. W. PASCHAL & J. A. PASCHAL
Attorneys and Counsellors
AT LAW.

GEO. W. PASCHAL will reside permanently at *Austin*, and J. A. PASCHAL at San *Antonio*. One of them will regularly attend the Supreme Court at Austin, and the U. S. District Court at Galveston.

Thomas H. Stribling,
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELLOR
AT LAW,
SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS.
Refers to—
Col. John Henry Brown, Indianola.
Logan & Sterne, Victoria.
A. Neill, Esq., Seguin.
John A. Mitchel, 32 Poydras st., New Orleans.

A. S. CUNNINGHAM, *Victoria.* GEORGE M. REID, *Clinton.*

TEXAS.
CUNNINGHAM & REID,
Attorneys at Law,

WILL practice together in the counties of De Witt, Gonzales and Lavaca. [1:tf.

LYTLE & STOCKDALE,
Attorneys and Counsellors at Law
JAMES T. LYTLE, Lavaca, Texas. F. S. STOCKDALE, La Salle.

FOR SALE.—A House and Lot in the town of Indianola, suitable for residence or store, in an eligible part of the town. Apply to
[17:tf.] HENRY BEAUMONT.

DAVID LEWIS. F. E. HUGHES

Lewis & Hughes,
APOTHECARIES AND DRUGGISTS,
(At the old stand of David Lewis.)
INDIANOLA, TEXAS.

KEEP a large and well selected assortment of
DRUGS AND MEDICINES,
Oils, Paints, Varnishes, Dye-Stuffs, &c.
Stationery, Books, Blank-Books, Paper, Pens, Ink, Drawing Paper, Drawing Pencils, Water Colors, &c., &c.

Patent Medicines of all kinds, Perfumeries, Soaps, &c. By ordering fresh supplies weekly, we have no old Medicines on hand; and the public may rely that none but pure and fresh Medicines will be sold at this establishment.

To Physicians we say, send in your orders, and they shall be filled to your satisfaction.
1:tf. LEWIS & HUGHES.

DR. ADOLPHUS MYLIUS,
Dr. Med. et Chirurg.

OFFERS his services to the citizens of Indianola and vicinity.

Just Received.

PER steamship Mexico 100 bbls. Potatoes and 10 barrels onions, and for sale by
Indianola, Jan. 13. J. H. DALE.

GOLDEN SYRUP—Four half barrels, a superior article, just received and for sale by
C. ETTER & CO
Indianola, April 22, 1852.

BLACKSMITH'S TOOLS—Three full sets, Bellows, Anvils, Vices, Tongs, Stock and Dies, Hammers, &c., just received direct from New York, and for sale low by C. ETTER & CO.
Indianola, April 22, 1852.

L. H. WOODS,
WHOLSALE AND RETAIL DEALER IN FINE
WATCHES, JEWELRY &
FANCY GOODS,

MOST respectfully announces to the citizens of Indianola, and his friends generally, that he has taken the store under the MASONIC HALL, where every thing in his line will be found, as cheap as in any southern market. Not a single article will be sold without a full guarantee which will enable the purchaser to buy with confidence.

His assortment is complete, and he hopes to be encouraged sufficient to justify him in keeping a full supply to all seasons.

A WORD TO THE TRADE.

He has and will keep a general assortment of Watchmaker's tools and materials, all of the best quality.—Time pieces of all kinds repaired and warranted for twelve months, or no charge made.
ENGRAVING done neatly.
Indianola, Jan. 6th, 1853.

Sugar and Molasses.
15 bbls Choice and Prime Sugar
5 do. do. Molasses
for sale low, for cash or produce.
CHAMBERS ETTER & CO.
Dec. 29th, 1852—45: tf.

Late Arrivals.

JUST received per steamships "Mexico", "Louisiana" and "Perseverance"
200 bbls. Flour—St. Louis and Ohio,
50 bbls. Rectif. Whiskey,
10 half bbls. Monongahela Whiskey,
3 Qr. casks superior L. Brandy,
20 Qr. American 4 P. Brandy,
100 bbls. Irish Potatoes,
20 bags prime Rio Coffee,
2 tierces fresh Rice,
50 boxes Buckwheat Flour,
10,000 Regalia Cigars,
together with a general supply of Fancy, Groceries, Dry Goods, Boots, Shoes, Hats, Caps, Wooden ware, Queens ware, &c., &c., which I am selling at the very lowest figures, for *cash*, at wholesale and retail. THO. D. WOODWARD.
Main street, Indianola.
Indianola, Jan. 6th, 1853.

New Orleans and Texas
UNITED STATES MAIL LINE
OF LOW-PRESSURE
STEAMSHIPS.
TEXAS, (1400 tons) Capt. *Jas. Lawless.*
LOUISIANA, (1200 tons) Capt. *J. Smith.*
MEXICO, (1200 tons) Capt. *Place.*
PERSEVERANCE, (900 tons) Capt. *Thos. Forbes.*

THE above new and magnificent Steamships have been built and fitted up with great care and cost especially for this trade; have splendid state-room accommodations for passengers, and for speed and safety are unsurpassed.

One of the above vessels will leave the Powder Horn Wharf at Indianola every Wednesday and Saturday, and Galveston every Thursday morning at 9 o'clock, and Sunday evening, at 4 o'clock.

For freight or passage, apply on board, or to
H. R. BOEHNER, *Indianola.*
HARRIS & MORGAN, *New Orleans.*
Dec., 1852: 44.

Groceries, Wines &c.

JUST received per schooner Gazelle from N. Y.
Old Otard Brandy in ¼ & ½ pipes } Duties paid at this port.
Burgundy and Sweet Port,
India Madeira,
Champaigne Pts. & Qrts.,
Scotch and Irish Whiskey,
Old Mongl. Whiskey,
Mustard,
Tomatoe and Walnut Ketchup,
True Lemon Syrup,
Asst. Candy,
Pickles, in Boxes and Kegs,
Preserved Peaches and Quinces in cans,
Preserved Lobsters do.
Principee. La Favorita. La Rama. } Segars.
Curiosidad Regalias. La Severita.
Julia Dean. Morris Baldwin. } Tobacco.
Sugar Pear. Pierre Soule. &c.
for sale low by [47:tf.] J. A. SETTLE.

W. B. Leigh,
ATTORNEY AT LAW,
SEGUIN, TEXAS.
—REFERENCES:—
W. H. Gordon, Esq., Austin.
Judge L. A. Paschal, San Antonio.
R. M. Forbes, Esq., Port Lavaca.
Col. John Henry Brown, Indianola. [1
John A. Mitchel, 32 Poydras st., N. Orleans.

Blacksmithing.
A. C. ASHWORTH & J. H. FARISH

RESPECTFULLY inform the public that their shop is at present in full operation, and that they are prepared to execute all work pertaining to their line of business with neatness and despatch.

Engines repaired, and Boat Work done with despatch and warranted.

All orders from a distance promptly attended to.
Indianola, July 22, 1852. [24:tf

HUCK & OGSBURY,

AT their stand in Indianola, keep constantly on hand and for sale, low for cash or produce, a general assortment of
GROCERIES AND WESTERN PRODUCE
Flour, Bacon, Sugar, Coffee,
Rice, Cheese, Soap, Candles,
Tobacco of all kinds,
Cigars, " "
Dried Fruits,
Preserves and Sweetmeats,
Buckwheat in kegs and boxes,
Pickles, Figs,
Fish, Mackerel, Cod, Salmon,
Herrings, Sardines,
Starch, Beef,
Wines and Liquors,
Tea of all kinds,
Salt, Spices, Catsups,
Almonds, Syrups,
In a word, a complete assortment of articles in our line.

We are in weekly receipt of fresh supplies by the steamers. We buy none but good articles, and sell at the lowest living rates. We solicit a liberal patronage. [1:tf.

JOHN H. DALE,
WHOLESALE & RETAIL DEALER IN
Groceries and Western Produce,
INDIANOLA, TEXAS.

IS in weekly receipt by the New Orleans steamers of all articles embraced in his line, consisting in part of—
St. Louis Flour, s. c. Hams,
Bacon, Lard, Butter, Cheese,
New Mess Pork, Potatoes,
Dried Apples, Molasses,
Brown, crushed, loaf and powdered Sugars,
Old Rye, Oliver's Extra and Daxter's celebrated Whiskey,
Old Cognac Brandy, Wines,
Pure White Wine Vinegar,
Rice, Coffee, Tea, Salt, Nails,
Soap, Tobacco, Cigars, Candles,
Raisins, Ky. Mustard, Pepper,
Spice, Cloves, Nutmegs, Starch,
Iron and brass bound Buckets,
Sardines, Lobsters, Pickles, Preserves,
Powder, Shot and Lead.
All of which he will sell at the lowest cash rates.
One door south of White & Co.'s Wharf. [1:tf.

J. M. CAMP,
(Opposite the Post Office,)
HOUSE JOINER AND UNDERTAKER.
INDIANOLA, TEXAS.

IS prepared to do all work in his line with promptness and in good style. [2:1y.

JAMES A. POAGE,
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELLOR AT LAW,
BASTROP, TEXAS.
Refer to—John Henry Brown, Indianola.

DOORS AND WINDOW SASH.—Just received per schooner Spafford, from New York, a lot of finished white pine Doors and Window Sash.
Aug. 25. H. RUNGE & CO.

JOHN HENRY BROWN, *Attorney at Law, Notary Public, and Commissioner of Deeds for the following States of the Union, Indianola, Texas. Special attention given to the collection of accounts from abroad.* All acknowledgments taken before him, or before any notary public, and justice, county clerk, district or supreme judge, and certified to by him, will be valid in any of the states for which he is commissioner, to-wit: Maine, Connecticut, N. York, Pennsylvania, Ohio, Virginia, Indiana, Kentucky, Illinois, Missouri, Iowa, Wisconsin, Arkansas, Tennessee, Mississippi, Alabama, California, North Carolina.

General Packet.

FOR Matagorda, Pass Cavallo, Indianola and Lavaca.—The splendid A No. 1, Sloop Fairy, Capt. Davis, will ply as a regular Packet between the above ports;—leaving Indianola for Matagorda on the arrival of the steamers from N. Orleans.
Apply at the Allhambra Hotel.
Dec. 9, 1852, [42] 3m.

Old Whiskey.

JUST received, on consignment, per steamship Texas, 41 bbls. superior Old Kentucky Whiskey of the best Boyle County make, and for sale low for cash by
[51-tf.] WHITE & SOUTHERN.

Valuable School Books,
PUBLISHED BY
THOMAS, COWPERTHWAIT & CO.,
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And for sale by Booksellers generally throughout the United States.

SWAIN'S SCHOOL READERS.
The Primary School Reader,
PART 1. Which is intended for beginners, containing lessons upon each of the elementary sounds in the language, exercises in syllabication, etc.
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The Grammar School Reader,
For the middle classes in Grammar schools.
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For the highest classes in public and private schools, containing exercises in Articulation, pauses, inflections of the voice, also, a complete Glossary of the classical allusions which occur in the Reading lessons.
This popular series of Books was compiled by Wm D. Swan, the well known Principal of the Mayhew School, Boston.
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Or, a course of Reading in Natural History, Science and Literature, designed for the use of schools.
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A treatise on the structure of the English Language, by Samuel S. Greene, M. D., Principal of Phillip's Grammar School, Boston.
Jarvis' Physiology,
Primary Physiology for the use of schools, and Practical Physiology for the use of *families*, by Edward Jarvis, M. D., Philadelphia.
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For the use of common schools.
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Comprising Pinnock's England, Greece, Rome, and France; all revised editions.
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Based on the system of D. Jose de Urcullu.
Mitchell's Primary Geography,
An easy introduction to the study of Geography, designed for the instruction of children in schools and families.
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Or, Secondary Geography with maps, and exercises on the maps.
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Comprising a description of the present state of the world, and its five great Divisions, embellished with numerous engravings, and illustrated by an Atlas of 28 maps, drawn and engraved for the work.

Bridge on Chocolate!
Thoroughfare between Indianola & Lavaca.

THE road across the marsh on Chocolate is in good order, and will admit the heaviest loaded wagons, and make the distance between Victoria and Indianola, by way of Lavaca, four miles nearer than the present traveled road, and the Proprietors contemplate making a road on a more direct line, saving in distance seven miles or more.

RATES OF TOLL.

Carts with two yokes of oxen	25
Pleasure carriages and two horse buggy's	50
Wagons with two yoke of oxen or more	50
Wagons over two horses	50
Horseman	10
Footman	5
Sheep and Hogs	5
Horses and Cattle	5

The above rates we hope to be able to reduce by accumulation of the travel.
OGDEN & MILBY.
Indianola, April 29, 1852. [12:tf.

Barbering
AND CHAMPOONING,
(One Door North of the Alhambra.)

THE above business is carried on in all its various branches by
MICHAEL DEMONEY.
Indianola. 1y:1]

JACOB MAAS,
IMPORTER OF FOREIGN AND
DOMESTIC GOODS,
Commission and Forwarding
MERCHANTS
INDIANOLA, TEXAS.

KEEPS a complete assortment of all the leading articles destined for the common and necessary use, comprising all kinds of
PROVISIONS AND BEVERAGES,
Articles of Dress for both sexes—Naval Materials Hardware, Dry Goods, Building Materials, Paints and Oils, Garden Seeds,
Besides a full assortment of various
GROCERIES.

All sorts of Wines and Liquors, such as American and French Cognac Brandies, Gin, Peach and Apple Brandies, Cordials, Bitters, Rhenish and Champagne Wines, Claret, Port and Madeira Wines, and a variety of other pure spirits, from common *Rectified* up to *best old Irish Whiskey*. For sale Wholesale or Retail at the lowest possible figures, *particularly for Cash.* [1:tf.

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WHOLESALE AND RETAIL
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GENERAL DEPOT
FOR THE SALE OF
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P. & B. pledge themselves to sell their Goods as low as any house in New Orleans, and on terms satisfactory to the purchaser. [1:tf.

FOR SALE OR RENT.

A VERY desirable family residence a short distance below town. For further particulars apply to HUCK & OGSBURY.
Indianola, August 26, 1852.

For Sale.

10,500 ACRES of Land in Calhoun county, 13,460 in Lavaca county, 18,700 in Jackson county, 2214 in Matagorda county, 1280 in Gonzales county.
For terms Apply to
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Indianola, Feb. 10, 1853. [1:tf

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WILL practice in the Tenth Judicial District, and in the Supreme Court of the State. 1:1y.