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No. 8 North Peters street, (near French Market) between Ursulines and Hospital.
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Repairing done neatly and cheap. All work warranted.
Frank Miller's Harness Oil always on hand
Country orders solicited. 32-3m
ILLUSTRATED BUSINESS CARDS,
Twenty-four varieties to the 1000,
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IN COVINGTON, BY
A. Schrieber, Jr.,
[POOLE'S OLD STAND.]
GREAT BARGAINS.
Goods sold at New Orleans prices.
Large stock of
DRY GOODS AND GROCERIES
with a choice selection of the great
STAPLE ARTICLES,
FLOUR, BACON, SUGAR,
COFFEE, and so on, to
the end of human
wants.
RUST-PROOF OATS
Always on hand.
TRY US ONCE!
Covington, Sept. 28, 1878.
H. J. SMITH'S
RETAIL GROCERY STORE
DRY GOODS,
HATS,
SHOES,
CROCKERY
And a General Assortment for City and
Country use, at the lowest
cash prices.
Covington, La.
Highest prices paid for Wool, Hides,
Chickens, etc. &c., &c.
A. S. KOTTWITZ,
(Formerly of Monticello, Miss.)
DEALER IN
General Merchandise.
Groceries, Hardware, Books, Shoes, Hats,
Saddlery, Clothing, Dry Goods, etc.
Will pay the highest market price for
Cotton, Hides, Wool and Country Pro-
duce, or liberal advances made on same.
COVINGTON, LA.
CHARLES HEINTZ
(Agent.)
MERCHANT,
Receives continual supplies of well selected
DRY GOODS and choice
FAMILY GROCERIES,
Which will be sold at low figures.
Country produce taken in ex-
change for goods, at market price.
In connection with the general
Mercantile business of this house, the
proprietor has established a neat **BAR**
ROOM, where he will keep the finest of
Wines, Liquors, Lager Beer, Cigars, etc.
constantly on hand and at prices to suit
the times.
COVINGTON, LA.
JOHN THEOBALD,
Blacksmith and Wheelwright,
GENERAL ARTISAN IN IRON AND WOOD
He also has
CARRY-LOGS, WAGONS,
AND BUGGIES
Of all kinds for sale cheap for cash.
If the cash is not convenient he will
be willing to take stock.

J. E. SMITH,
COVINGTON, LA.—DEALER IN
General Merchandise.
Consisting of all the great staple
articles of
DRY GOODS AND GROCERIES,
Hardware and Crockery,
And indeed every article in demand as
suited to this market.
The Highest Price paid for
Country Produce.
This Old Reliable House receives
and forwards goods free of storage.
JUST RECEIVED
AND IN STORE,
A NICE ASSORTMENT OF NEW
FURNITURE
Which I offer to sell at
CITY PRICES.
Call at once and suit yourself.
J. E. SMITH.
Wm. C. Warren.
DRY GOODS & GROCERY
MERCHANT.
Is always on hand and prompt to
accommodate customers.
COVINGTON, LA.
JULES PECHON,
DEALER IN
GENERAL MERCHANDISE,
Groceries, Dry Goods, Hats, Etc.,
Covington, La.
The highest price paid for country
produce.
Feb. 1, 1877. **JULES PECHON.**
MRS. C. VOGEL,
RETAIL DEALER
IN
GROCERIES, DRY GOODS,
HATS, SHOES,
WINES, LIQUORS, &c., &c.
COVINGTON, LA.

Professional Cards.
J. M. THOMPSON,
ATTORNEY AT LAW.
Covington, La.
JOHN WADSWORTH,
ATTORNEY & COUNSELOR AT LAW.
Franklinton, La.
Will practice in all the courts of the
Sixth Judicial District, and attend all
the Parish Courts of St. Tammany Par-
ish. July 7 '77
DR. E. R. RANDOLPH,
LATE OF NEW ORLEANS,
Tenders his professional services to
the people of St. Tammany parish and
surrounding country.
Dr. J. F. CHAMBERS,
OFFICE
NEXT DOOR TO INGRAM'S CORNER
Covington, La.
DR. ALONZO GIVENS
Of Mandeville.
Offers his professional services to the
people of St. Tammany.
April 15, '78
Hack Line!
BY ROBERT BADON.
This old and popular carrier, countin-
ing with the Steamer *Camelia*, at Mandev-
ville, Madisonville and Old Landing, is
carrying the U. S. Mail and thereby en-
abled to distance all opposition. Every
one is treated courteously, and charges
are uniform, and no delay on account of
old horses and other vexation. Traveler
desirous of speed and safety, will look
out for Mr. Badon.
COVINGTON, Sept. 15, 1877.
F. Losset,
Blacksmith & Wheelright,
—Will do all sorts of work in—
WOOD and IRON, at short notice
and on accommodating terms.
COVINGTON, LA.
Police Jury Proceedings.
FIRST DAY.
The Police Jury of St. Tammany
parish met at the Courthouse in
Covington, on Monday, the 2d inst.
Present—C. W. Bradley, Presi-
dent; R. Galatas, Pat. Welch, Geo.
H. Gause, Thos. Fitzgerald, C.
Schultz, A. L. Carpenter and Jos.
Dicks.
There being a full attendance, the
Board proceeded to business.
On motion, the reading of the
minutes of last meeting were dis-
pensed with.
The following resolution was
adopted:
Resolved, That the commissioners
of election and deputy sheriffs be
allowed no fees nor charges for their
services at the election held on the
5th of November, 1878.
The bill of Mr. F. B. Martindale,
boarding Messrs. Chevalon and Vial
while detained as prisoners in the
public jail, amounting to \$16 50,
was approved and ordered paid.
The bills of Mr. Isaac Evans, for
making two ballot boxes, \$2 50, and
for stationery for 1877-78, \$5 00,
were approved and ordered paid.
The Coroner was allowed \$10 for
holding an inquest on the body of
Frank Brown, drowned, on the 23d
of November, 1878.
Mr. A. F. Parker, overseer of the
Talacheque road, asked for an ex-
tension of time, as the constant wet
weather has prevented him from
working the road; and that the fol-
lowing named persons, living con-
tiguous to said road, be compelled

to work on it: Thomas Parker,
Calvin Parker, Samuel Tally, Ana-
tol Baham, Polk D. Baham, Henry
Kellar and son, Joseph Davenport,
J. C. Bridges, Adolph Luzzeman,
Roman Flot, Joseph Lanie Wm.
Adelar, N. Quave and Joseph Wa-
ger. Approved.
The committee appointed at the
last meeting to make an estimate of
the probable expenses of the parish
for the year 1879, submitted their
report, as follows:
Pay of Grand and Petit Jury.....\$1,000
Parish Treasurer..... 100
Clerk of Police Jury..... 100
Printing..... 100
Commissions of Tax Collector..... 400
Coroner's fees..... 100
Repairs to the Courthouse..... 250
Repairs to the Jail..... 300
Contingent expenses..... 300
Clerk's fees in Criminal cases..... 150
Sheriff's fees..... 250
Other criminal fees..... 300
Police Jury..... 300
Total.....\$3,680
[Signed] THOS. FITZGERALD,
C. SCHULTZ,
A. L. CARPENTER.
On motion, the report was re-
ceived and committee discharged.
The committee then adjourned
until Tuesday morning, at 9 o'clock.
SECOND DAY.
The Board met pursuant to ad-
journment, all the members being
present.
The Committee on Repairs to the
Courthouse submitted the following
report:
We advertised to receive propo-
sals for ten days, and only one
bid was handed in—that of Isaac
Evans—who proposed to repair the
roof, raise the floors of the Record-
er's and Clerk's offices, put in new
joints where needed, repair the hall
floor with new flooring and joists,
put in the glass where broken, and
put up two porticoes, one in front
and one in the rear of the hall, to
protect it from the weather, for the
price of \$165. The committee re-
port that the work has been per-
formed according to agreement, and
is therefore accepted.
We would further state that we
have made an agreement with the
said Isaac Evans, who proposes to
furnish good round light posts, bot-
tom plank one inch by twelve, heart
pickets four feet long, pointed (saw-
ed of heart lumber,) and repair the
fence around the Courthouse, white-
washing it inside and out, including
the front, for \$67 50.
[Signed] THOS. FITZGERALD,
C. W. BRADLEY.
On motion, the report of the com-
mittee was received and the com-
mittee discharged.
The following warrants were
drawn:
C. W. Bradley, two days and mile-
age, and two days on committee.....\$10 20
P. Welch, two days and mileage,
December session..... 10 00
R. Galatas, two days and mileage,
December session..... 7 40
J. L. Dicks, two days and mileage,
December session..... 8 00
A. L. Carpenter, two days and mile-
age, and one day on committee..... 15 20
G. H. Gause, two days and mile-
age, December session..... 14 00
C. Schultz, two days and mileage,
and one day on committee..... 10 20
Thos. Fitzgerald, two days and
mileage, and two days on com-
mittee..... 17 00
W. B. Cook, for October and No-
vember, as per contract..... 16 66
Isaac Evans, for October and No-
vember..... 16 66
Jno. W. Wadsworth, for October
and November..... 26 66
On motion, the Jury adjourned
to meet on the fourth Monday in
December, 1878.
A true copy of the minutes and
proceedings. ISAAC EVANS,
Clerk.