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an dealer in all kinds of
GROCERIES & PROVISIONS
Corner of Third & Laurel Streets.
LIBERAL CASH ADVANCES ON SUGAR & COTTON. oct 2-y.

A. MONTAN & Bro.,
GROCERS—Corner Church and Third Streets, Baton Rouge, La.

JOSHUA BEAL,
GENERAL PRODUCE DEALER,
&c.—House on Church, between 3rd and Lafayette streets. oct 5-y.

DAVIDSON & McHATTON,
Attorneys at Law,
OFFICE ON LAUREL STS., BATON ROUGE.

J. M. & J. E. ELAM,
Attorneys and Counselors at Law.
aug 27-y. Baton Rouge, La.

Dr. G. W. DEARING,
OFFERS his professional services to the public. Office on Church Street, two doors East of Waddill's Drug Store. Residence on St. Hypolite St., between church and north streets. may 7-y.

Dr. G. H. MANN,
Surgeon and Mechanical Dentist
Baton Rouge, La.
Gratuitous Services to the poor every afternoon from 2 to 5 P. M.

REFERENCES.
Pro. Geo. B. Wood, University Pa.; Dr. P. Enders; Prof. J. Henry, Sec. S. Institute, Dr. Thos. J. Buffington; Dr. B. F. Harney, U. S. A.; Geo. A. Pike; Rev. W. H. Crenshaw; Wm. Markham, Esq., Harney House may 1.

TIMOTHY FAY, M. D.,
AND
SOLOMAN FAY, Dentists.
HAVE REMOVED their office from over Quiggins' back to their residence on Lafayette street, nearly opposite the HARNEY HOUSE.

Their terms are cash, and must be paid at the last sitting of the patient, unless other arrangements have previously been made.

REFERENCES.
Dr. B. F. Harney, United States Army, Dr. C. R. French, Judge J. J. Burke, Dr. J. P. McGimsey, Drs. H. & J. Perkins, Dr. F. M. Hereford, Jas. N. Brown, Esq., Dr. P. M. Enders, Rev. J. Woodbridge, Dr. S. G. Laycock, Judge M. G. Penn, Rt. Rev. Bishop Leonidas Polk, Prof. J. L. Riddell, of the Branch Mint New Orleans. ang 11-y.

GEORGE A. PIKE,
Regularly Commissioned Auctioneer.
WILL attend promptly to the sale of all kinds of Real, and Personal Estate—Houses, Lots, Lands, Dry Goods, Hardware, Groceries, Furniture, &c., &c. To be found at all times on Third Street at the Comet Office.

E. MCKITTRICK,
Architect & Builder.
IS now prepared to take all contracts in his line of business, and will execute with neatness and dispatch.
N. B. All kinds of Job Work attended to. Plans and specifications given gratis when required.
Shop on Main St., between Florida and Convention Streets.

THEO. GOLDMANN,
WATCHMAKER AND JEWELLER
HARNEY HOUSE ROW.

Carpets Rugs and Druggists.
JUST received per Ship Sarah J. a splendid assortment of English Super, and three Ply Carpets, also a few pieces at very low prices, together with Rugs and Printed Druggists.
sept 16-y. W. D. PHILLIPS.

MECHANICAL & Co.,
JOHN L. WOLFE,
FURNITURE WAREHOUSES,
Corner of Church & Penitentiary sts.

HAS now on hand a large and varied stock of Furniture, consisting in part of—BUREAUS, SIDEBOARDS, ARMOIRES, various patterns TABLES, CHAIRS, &c. BESTRADS, CRIBS, CRADLES, COUCHES and WILLOW WAGGONS, all of which are of the latest fashions. All kinds of manufacturing and repairing at the shortest notice.

All the business of an undertaker attended to, and in the best style.
Callings made at the shortest notice, and also a nurse furnished. Sept 20-y.

J. GOULDEN,
ORNAMENTAL PAINTER.
HAVING established his shop in Baton Rouge, takes this opportunity of informing the citizens of Baton Rouge, and its vicinity that I am now prepared to do all kinds of work in my line of business: House, Sign, and Ornamental P. ining Flag and Banner Painting, Gilding, Graining, Glazing, Marbling and Wall Coloring. On reasonable terms, and on short notice. By a strict attention to business, I hope to gain a liberal share of patronage. Shop on Third street opposite Holt's Stable.

ASBURY REGER,
House, Sign, and Ornamental PAINTER.

Shop on Third st. next door to Lafon's Bakery. ANY orders given me for House, Sign, or Ornamental Painting, Paper Hanging and Glazing, will meet with prompt attention. As I am permanently located in Baton Rouge, and as it is to my interest to give general satisfaction, I shall constantly study to do it.

W. F. TUNNARD,
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALER, IN CARRIAGES, HARNESS, &c.

THE SUBSCRIBER'S stock of Buggies, Rockaways, Barouches, Coaches, &c. has been selected by himself, and comprises every variety. To his already complete assortment, he is daily making additions. Persons will find it to their advantage, to call and examine his stock.

W. F. TUNNARD,
Carriages, Harness, Whips, &c.
THE Subscriber's assortment of Carriages, Harness, whips, &c. is now complete, and he in it an examination of his stock before purchasing in New Orleans, as he guarantees his prices as low as any in the South.

Ware room corner of Third and Florida Streets. Manufacturing and repairing in superior style at the old established stand corner of Main and Church Streets. Jan. 28th, 11 W. F. TUNNARD.

Steam Engines & Sugar Mills

BATON ROUGE FOUNDRY.
THE subscribers are fitting up Four Steam-Engines, as follows:

One Engine 12 inches cylinder, 4 ft. stroke, with Sugar-Mill. Rollers 4 ft. long, 26 in. diameter, with wrought iron shafts.

One do 11 inches cylinder, 4 feet, stroke with sugar-mill. Rollers 4 ft. long, 26 in. diameter.

One do 12 inches cylinder, 4-foot stroke, with sugar-mill. Rollers 4 feet long, 26 in. diameter.

One 10 inches cylinder engine 3 1-2 stroke, suitable for a saw-mill or a medium size sugar mill.

We are now extending the buildings connected with the Foundry, and increasing the machinery, and are enabled to do all kind of work in our line that may be confided to us. The patronage of the public is respectfully solicited. HILL & HENDERSON.

LIVERY STABLE,
Third Street, Baton Rouge, La.

HAVE always on hand and in good order. Carriages, Cabs, Buggies, and saddle-horses, with which the public can be accommodated on the most reasonable terms. Horses and Vehicles can be had at any hour of night or day at the old stand of J. Holt. R. C. HUTCHISON.

MAIL STAGE

From Baton Rouge to Clinton
LEAVE Baton Rouge every Sunday, Tuesday, and Friday at 5 A. M. and arrives at Clinton at 3 P. M. same day. Leaves Clinton Monday, Wednesday and Saturday A. M., and arrives at Baton Rouge same day at 4 P. M. Fare to Jackson \$2. Clinton \$2 1-2. Having engaged an experienced driver of sober habits, we hope by strict attention to the business to meet the patronage of the Public.
aug 3-y. R. C. HUTCHISON.

To Planters.

AIKIN'S Corn and Cotton Cultivator. This truly useful agricultural improvement, has been fully tested by highly respectable and practical planters who utter a trial, say that by its use, in the cultivation of Corn, Cane, or Cotton, there is a saving of at least one third the labor to man and horse over the common plow. It's a new invention, Patented March 20, 1849. Planters are invited to call and examine it. A supply on hand and for sale by. F. W. TUNNARD.

CARPET & RUGS.

THE subscriber has just received from New York, a large assortment of Ingrain, Three Ply, and Brussels Carpets, all of which will be sold at low prices. sept 23, W. D. PHILLIPS.

OYSTER SALOON,
Corner of Repentance & North Boulevard St.

BY LAMIS.
LAMIS has re-opened his Oyster saloon, for the season. He will be there himself during "Oyster Hours" to see that the animals are baked, fried, steamed and fringed in the most approved manner. LAMIS offers a reward of \$5,000 to any man in Christendom who can do up oysters browner than he does. Oct. 2. 11

Lime for Sugar Making.
CAN be had of JOSHUA BEAL, oct 14-y. opposite Harney House.

Mineral Water.
FROM St. Catherine's salt wells in Canada, one tea-spoonful in a glass to common water, makes a drink, in all respects equal to "blue lick water." For sale by H. T. WADDILL.

RICININE—A new and elegant article for the growth and preservation of the hair, can be found at Wm. BOGEL.

Lard Oil.—10 Barrels for sale by THOS. PRENDERGAST.

HAMMOCKS—1 dozen Grass Hammocks—just received and for sale by may 4-y. S. F. BLANCHARD.

Leeches!
500 BEST LEECHES. For sale by H. T. WADDILL.

20 GALLONS of Sewell Taylors best Sazarc Brandy, just received and for sale by S. F. BLANCHARD.

Sugar! a few hds of Prime sugar just suited to the Trade, for sale by feb 12-11. S. M. HART, & Co.

Schiedam Schnapps.
ANOTHER supply of Wolf's Aromatic Schiedam Schnapps, just received and for sale by Wm. BOGEL, Druggist.

At Retail.
FOR the accommodation of those who require but small quantities of corn and Oats, the same can in future be obtained by the dimes worth or larger parcels. JOSHUA BEAL.

CLEAR BACON SIDES—For sale by may 19 ly. JOSHUA BEAL.

Ploughs—100 of the justly celebrated "Clove" Ploughs No. 1 11-2 and 2. just received, and for sale by feb 12-11. S. M. HART, & Co.

New Arrivals.
75 Boxes Star Candles; 25 Boxes Soap; 10 Boxes 8 Lump Tobacco; 10 barrels Prime Sugar. JOSHUA BEAL. aug 24-y. Opposite Harney House.

Just Received from St. Louis.
2255 LBS. Bacon, Sides and Shoulders. For sale by S. F. BLANCHARD.

Brest Pipes, Niple shells, speculatus gum elastic and glass pessaries nipple shields, prepared tracts, ect. ect. For sale at the Drug Store of, Wm. BOGEL.

Jayne's Family Medicines.
PILLS, Expectosant, Alternative, Balsam and Vermifuge. For sale by H. T. WADDILL. aug 18-y.

Star Candles.—50 Boxes Star Candles just received and for sale to the trade at reduced prices. "April 29 ly. JOSHUA BEAL.

CRACKNELL BISCUIT—just received 50 Boxes of the celebrated cracknell biscuit. A choice article for the tea table or invalids.—A handsome present to a wife or sweetheart. Price one dollar and thirty cents per Box—for sale by june 23. JOSHUA BEAL.

CHOICE WINES AND BRANDY.—Just received—25 Boxes good Claret;—15 Boxes very choice Claret;—1 cask superior old Brandy;—1 cask Madeira. Either of the above can be had by the gallon, box, or in bottles. July 8 JOSHUA BEAL.

MOUNT EAGLE TRIPOLI.—This is the best article known for cleaning and burnishing gold, silver, copper, steel, tin and all other metals, also for windows, mirrors and glassware. For sale by july 24 Wm. BOGEL, Druggist.

LATEST CHEAP PUBLICATIONS.—This day received per Steamship Star of the South, all the cheap publications issued from the Press during the month of June. For sale at publisher's prices, by july 10 —J. C. LANOUE.

BARREL LARD.—10 barrels of prime white lard just received and for sale by JOSHUA BEAL.

REMOVAL.—J. C. LANOUE, having removed his BOOK and STATIONERY store from the basement of the Harney House to the large store on Lafayette street known as Mr. Vibbert's old stand, would call the attention of his friends and the public to his stock, the largest in the town. july 26 ly.

BACON—5 casks shoulders, for sale by [may 18th] S. M. HART & Co.

Butter and Cheese.
A FINE lot on hand and for sale low. JOSHUA BEAL.

To the Trade!
Mac and Mac 8 Lump Tobacco, for sale by the package, at 20 cents. Cash on the nail. mar 10 y. JOSHUA BEAL.

WHISKEY!—Just received, 50 Barrels and half barrels of Dean's and Leonards extra rectified whiskey. may 31. JOSHUA BEAL.

50 BOXES Carr & Co's celebrated Biscuit for sale by S. F. BLANCHARD.

10 BOXES of sweet French Chocolate; 12 doz. boxes Preston & Merries celebrated Yeast Powders. S. F. BLANCHARD.

Penmanship.
PARENTS and Teachers are invited to call at J. C. LANOUE'S Harney House Row to examine the *Philosophical Theory and Practice of Penmanship.*

The Theory is divided into three parts, Primary, Intermediate and Final. Each part in Four Books.

This work comprises cuts designed to illustrate the manner of holding and conducting the hand and pen; preparatory exercises, which thoroughly train the muscles employed in writing, a classification of letters and words according to their similarity of formation, and instructions accompanying the various exercises in each book. The whole so arranged as to enable the pupils to write over each page twice. Price 25 cents may 12.

TEAS! TEAS!—The largest and best stock of pure Green and Black Teas in Baton Rouge, is that kept by Joshua Beal. Prices for same range from fifty cents to one dollar and a half per pound, and can be had from a single quarter pound package, to one of sixty.

N. B. "That Imperial" which I have been promising to my regular customers for the last ten days, has come to hand. july 12th. JOSHUA BEAL.

Popular School Books.
J. C. LANOUE, Harney House row has just received direct from the publishers, a complete assortment of the most popular school books. Consisting in part of Webster's spelling book; Webster's speller and definer; McGuffey's spelling book.

McGuffey's Series; Tower's Series of Gradual Readers; N. American 1st 2nd class do;

Smith's New Grammar; Tower's Gradual Lessons in do.

SMITH'S GEOGRAPHY.
Smith's 1st book; Smith's quarto or 2nd book; Smith's Geography and Atlas; Mitchell's Primary Geography; Mitchell's School do; Moises quarto do.

DAVISE'S ARITHMETIC.
Colburn's Mental; Davise's Arithmetic; Smith's introductory; Smith's Practical; Smith's New Arithmetic.

DAVISE'S ALGEBRA.
Davise's 1st lessons; Davise's Bourbon; GEOMETRY.

DAVISE'S HISTORY.
Parley's History; Goodrich's U. S.; Goodrich's England; Gurney's U. S.

BOYD'S RHETORIC.
Boyd's Rhetoric; Porter's Rhetorical Readers. Philosophy, Phrenology, Chemistry, Geology, Botany &c. Also all the popular Latin Books.

Coffee.—10 Bags Rio, for sale by feb 27. S. M. HART & Co.

FOR Barry's Tricorythous the best compound ever discovered for the Hair may be had of Wm. BOGEL.

Toilet Soap.
Taylor's and Jules Haule's crystalline soap, Monster and Palm soap, Omnibus, Pencil, Transparent, Floating, Jenny Lind, Guimauve, Amantide, Erasive and other varieties of soap can be had at the Drug Store of Wm. BOGEL.

2243 LBS. Sugar Cured Hams. A Fresh article at twelve and a half cents per pound. S. F. BLANCHARD.

FROM Cincinnati—per Steamer Yuba—50 barrels Flour; 10 Tierces S. & S. Hams. For sale by S. M. HART & Co.

PERFUMERY—All the celebrated French, English and German brands of Cologne at S. F. BLANCHARD.

LADIES' KID GLOVES AT COST.
I HAVE on hand a large assortment of Ladies' Kid Gloves of all colors and sizes which I am prepared to sell at cost. april 20. W. D. PHILLIPS.

Martin's Reports.
WITH Marginal references by Thomas Gibbs Morgan, Counsellor at Law. Four sets of the above work for sale by may 12 'y. J. C. LANOUE.

A VERY LARGE and choice assortment of Glassware, Queensware and Earthenware of new patterns, together with 2500 gallons stoneware at ten cents per gallon for sale by S. F. BLANCHARD.

Liver Complaint,
CAN be effectually cured by the use of Hofflands German Bitters. Price reduced to seventy-five cents, can always be had fresh at the Drug store of April 17. Wm. BOGEL.

Jules Haule's Depilatory Powder.
WARRANTED to remove the thickest Hair, in five minutes, without injuring the skin. For sale by Wm. BOGEL.

HUNGARIAN LEECHES.
500 Hungarian Leeches, warranted, just received and for sale by Wm. BOGEL.

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W. S. PIKE, Agt.

Feb. 17th, y. pd

LARD—A few bbls. of inferior Lard, for sale by june 3 th. S. M. HART & Co.

Delays are dangerous.
Why suffer with a cough, cold or any disease of the Throat, Breast and Lungs when a certain cure is so easily effected by using

"WINTERS HOURBOUND CANDY."
This Medicine is a judicious combination of the best expectorants in the Materia Medica. The most stubborn Coughs and Colds yield to it readily, and it is found to give relief even in confirmed cases of Consumption. It is not merely palliative, as many articles of its nature, but possesses great curative qualities. For sale by Wm. BOGEL, Agent.

HYGELIAN PILLS.—Just received 1 gross each, No. 1 & No. 2 of Morrison's celebrated Hygelian Pills for sale by july 23 ly. Wm. BOGEL, Druggist.

Porter and Ale.
A FRESH supply of London Porter and Scotch Ale, received and for sale by mar. 23 JOSHUA BEAL.

Ladies' Dressing Cases.
ONE dozen Ladies' Tin Dressing cases for sale by. J. C. LANOUE. may 12. Harney House Row

WHITE Corn for Meal.—To arrive per Latona this day 100 Sacks prime white Corn. may 31. JOSHUA BEAL.

FRESH Lemons, Raisins, Figs, &c., just received and for sale by S. F. BLANCHARD.

300 LBS. Cooking Butter at 15 cents per pound. A choice lot of Salmon in kits and bbls, this day received and for sale by S. F. BLANCHARD.

FLOUR—100 Barrels fresh ground Flour just received per steamer "Yorktown" direct from the Mill, and for sale in lots or at retail by may 19 ly. JOSHUA BEAL.

COOKING BUTTER.—For sale, a few Kegs Butter suitable for cooking purposes. may 19 ly JOSHUA BEAL.

Mother's Relief.
ONE of those remedies that should be in the hands of every one expecting to become a mother, its virtues can best be known by the use of it. For sale by H. T. WADDILL, Druggist.

TEA! Tea!—Just received per Steamship Tennessee and Empire City direct from New York, a lot of choice family Teas, which in addition to stock on hand comprises one of the best assortments in Baton Rouge, these teas are sold by agency for one of the largest importing houses in New York, and are guaranteed pure or no sale. may 31 JOSHUA BEAL.

Map of Louisiana.
THE new and improved map of Louisiana compiled from the latest and most authentic surveys, both public and private, by G. W. R. Bayley, civil engineer 1853. For sale by J. C. LANOUE. may 12 ly. Harney House Row.

DR. LEIDY'S
Sarsaparilla Vegetable Blood Pills,
PREPARED entirely from Vegetable Extracts, a component part of which is Sarsaparilla. Prepared only under the immediate superintendence of Dr. N. B. LEIDY, Philadelphia. For sale in this city [nov 27-y] H. T. WADDILL.

10 BARRELS extra Brown Sugar this day received and for sale by S. F. BLANCHARD.

Land for Sale.
A Tract of Land containing 640 acres lying on the Omite Road, five miles from the town of Baton Rouge, about 80 acres are cleared, apply to [jan 20 11] W. D. PHILLIPS.

R. R. R.—20 dozen more of Radway's Ready Relief, in large and small bottles, just received by Wm. BOGEL.

Cod Fish! 1000 pounds choice cod fish, just received and for sale by feb 13-11. JOSHUA BEAL.

Ploughs! 50 Hall & Spears, for sale by feb 11-11. THOS. PRENDERGAST.

More Light.
CALL at H. T. Waddill's and see a new Lamp, that gives a better light than oil, without grease, smoke or smell, and well not blow up, as camphine does.

FOR SALE.—A Library of select literary works.—In the collection there are many valuable Law books, State papers, &c. The books may be seen at the State Superintendents office. For particulars enquire at this office. june 16 th.