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Professional Cards.

MORROGH & MOUTON,
Attorneys at Law,
Office in Washington, La.
March 31, 1855.—ly.

Garland & Lastrapes,
Attorneys at Law,
Office in Washington, La.
March 31, 1855.—ly.

WILL punctually attend to all business entrusted to them, in the different Courts of the Fifteenth Judicial District.

B. A. Martel & P. D. Hardy,
Attorneys at Law,
Office at Opelousas. [April 8th, 1855.

THEODOSE S. ROBIN,
Attorney at Law and Justice of the Peace,
Office in Opelousas. [February 24, 1855.—ly.

WILL punctually attend to all business entrusted to them, in the different Courts of the Fifteenth Judicial District.

William Mouton,
Notary Public,
IN AND FOR THE PARISH OF ST. LANDRY.
Office in Washington, La.
March 31, 1855.—ly.

F. L. Boutte, Public Cr. &c.
OFFERS his services to the Administrators of Estates, the Auctioneers and the public of this Parish. His charges will be very moderate.

MARK HOLLIER,
PAINTER AND GLAZIER
OFFERS his services to the public. All orders for work will be promptly attended to, and his prices will be moderate.

HEZEKIAH HAYS,
PARISH SURVEYOR.
RESPECTFULLY offers his services as such to his friends and the public in general. Office, corner of Court and South streets, Opelousas. [June 9th, 1855.—ly.

Pierre Gosselin,
Joiner and Cart-Wright.
OFFERS his services to the citizens of the Parish of St. Landry. His charges will be moderate, for CASH only.

LOUIS VATTER,
Cabinet-maker, and Joiner,
RESPECTFULLY offers his services to the public of the Parish of St. Landry. His charges will be very moderate. Apply to Mr. Follin, in Opelousas, or at the office of this paper.

DR. PILATE offers his services as dentist to the public of St. Landry. All his works in plugging and inserting of artificial teeth are warranted and performed by the latest and most approved process.

GROCERIES.
A FINE Assortment of Family Groceries—Wines, Brandies, Whiskey, of different qualities; Beer, Scotch Ale, Porter;—Corn, Oats, Cow Peas, &c. cheap for cash.

WATCHMAKER'S SHOP.
MRS. MEDICIS has the honor to announce to the public of this Parish and the neighboring parishes that she has just made arrangements with a good watchmaker who will be constantly at her store, for the purpose of cleaning and repairing clocks and watches, as also all the articles of jewelry.

EUGENE BERCIER,
Collector for the Parish of St. Landry,
Office—Opposite the Court House, in the one occupied by Messrs. Martel & Hardy, Opelousas, August 24th, 1855.

Mercantile Cards, &c.

SHWARTZ & KAUFMAN,
OPELOUSAS.

HAVE just received by the late boats, a complete assortment of Spring and Summer Dry Goods, comprising mostly Silks, Barges, Gingham, Jacons, Swiss muslins, plain and embroidered, Curtains, embroidered and damasked, Shoes for ladies, gentlemen, boys and negroes, ready made clothing, Hats of all kinds, Saddlery, Hardware, Cutlery, all of which they will sell as low as any store of the place, and upon favorable conditions.

They respectfully solicit a share of the public patronage.
March 21st, 1855.

FASHIONABLE STORE!

THE undersigned just from New Orleans, offers for sale, at reasonable prices, his splendid stock of Fashionable Ready made clothing for summer, pantaloons, studs, paletots, vests, &c., new goods for ladies, muslins, jacquets, borges, tissue silks, &c., a fine assortment of brocade, flounced dresses and others, silk and coarse hats, shoes, boots, for gentlemen, ladies and children, hardware, crockery, ware, and a complete assortment of coarse and fine calicoes, a fine assortment of groceries and perfumery.

Call and examine before going elsewhere.
S. GARRIGUES.
Opelousas, April 28th, 1855.

NEW GOODS!

THE undersigned has just returned from New Orleans, with a complete assortment of Spring Goods, such as:—Jacons, Barges, Embroidered and plain Swiss Muslins, also a fine assortment of English and French Embroideries, an assortment of Ribbons of all quality, a great assortment of men's Ready made Clothing; the whole very well selected and in the latest style, Straw and Panama Hats, which he offers for sale at moderate prices. F. HALFF.
Grand Coteau, April 21st, 1855.—ff.

Removal.

MR. PEFERKORN, Boot and Shoe Maker, respectfully informs the public and his customers, that he has removed his Boot & Shoe Shop, on Main street, between Landry and Yellow streets, late office of the Telegraph, where he is ready to receive all orders, for cash only.

He takes this occasion to invite all those who are indebted to him to take into consideration his late misfortune, and to come and settle the quickest possible.

Opelousas, April 28th, 1855.

75 BALES OF HAY, for sale, cheap for cash, by DEBALLON & CARRIERE.
Washington, June 23d 1855.

THE GEM
FANCY & FAMILY GROCERY STORE,
No. 23 BARONE STREET.—NEW ORLEANS.
E. L. BERCIER, Agent.

A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF FINE COGNAC, WINES AND LIQUORS,
Champagne of the best brands, and other fine wines, Superior Old Brandy and other liquors. Superior Cognac, and a variety of other articles of the very best quality always on hand, at low prices.

TAKEN UP during the present Spring upon the plantation of Judge Overton, and now, in his possession, near Opelousas, a bright bay Horse, about 15½ hands high, three white feet, no brands perceptible.

By proving property and paying charges, the horse may be reclaimed.
Opelousas, May 12th, 1855.

FOR SALE,
TWO ALEMBOCS nearly new, with their accessories, one containing 75 gallons, and the other about 20.

For the conditions apply to the undersigned or at the office of the Courier.
B. I. SALLES.
Opelousas, Jan. 20th 1855. ff.

FOR SALE.
A large number of Donks, benches, bedsteads, &c., for a school. Apply at the office of this paper.
Opelousas, December 23d, 1854.

LIME! LIME!!

THE undersigned having bought stone for the fabrication of lime in Pine Prairie, informs the public that he has now on hand, 1,000 barrels of lime, equal in quality, if not superior, to the celebrated lime of Thomaston, which he will sell cheap, and that he will continue the trade on a large scale.
CHARLES LUTZ.
Pine Prairie, January, 6th, 1855.

PIANOS.

THE undersigned respectfully informs his friends and the public of Opelousas and vicinity, that he will tune Pianos and repair all kind of musical instruments on moderate terms.

All orders addressed to him or left at the office of the Courier, will be met with prompt attention.
J. GRIMMER.
Grand Coteau, April 14th, 1855.—19

A special term of the District Court of the Parish of St. Landry, will be holden at this place, on the third Monday of October next, by the Hon. Albert Voorhis, Judge of the 14th Judicial District, for the trial of recused cases.

A. GARRIGUES, Clerk of the District Court.
Opelousas, Sept. 8th, 1855.

For Sale.
The house and lot occupied by Mr. Arvise forming the corner of Market and Bellevue streets, together with a lot of household furniture, kitchen utensils, a lot of Groceries, a lot of Books and good many other articles too numerous to detail. Apply for particulars to
E. BERCIER.
Opelousas, Sept. 29th, 1855.

Judicial Sales, &c.

SHERIFF'S SALE.
STATE OF LOUISIANA,
District Court,
Parish of St. Landry,
No. 7459.

BY virtue of a writ of fi. fa., issued in the above entitled suit, by the District Court, in and for the Parish of St. Landry, and to me directed, will be exposed to public sale, for cash, at the Court House of this Parish, on Saturday, the 6th day of October, A. D. 1855, commencing at the hour of 11 o'clock, A. M., and continuing from day to day, if necessary, all the right, title, interest and demand of Mark W. Harwell & Co., in and to the following described property, seized to satisfy said writ to-wit:

Two hundred and sixty acres of land, bounded North by land of E. B. Scott, South by A. Boutte, East by said land and West by Miss Denise Wherque.
J. B. DAVID, Sheriff.
Sheriff's office, St. Landry, August 25th, 1855.

SHERIFF'S SALE.
STATE OF LOUISIANA,
District Court,
Parish of St. Landry,
No. 6016.

BY virtue of a judgment of the District Court, in and for the Parish of St. Landry, rendered in the above entitled suit, and to me directed, I will expose to public sale, on a credit of twelve months, from the day of sale, at the Court House of this Parish, on Saturday, the 6th day of October, A. D. 1855, commencing at the hour of 11 o'clock, A. M., and continuing from day to day, if necessary, all the right, title, interest and demand of John Canave & Co., in and to the following described property, seized to satisfy said judgment, to-wit:

A certain tract of land, held in common between the parties in the above entitled suit, situated in the Parish of St. Landry, fronting on Bayou Courteau, running back to the Bayou Teche or Lemelle, and containing seventy-seven and eighty-seven hundredths acres or ninety-two hundredths superficial area, more or less. For a further approved personal security for the faithful payment of the price, and the land remaining specially mortgaged till full and final payment of principal and interest, at eight per cent. on purchase money, from maturity until settled.

J. B. DAVID, Sheriff.
Sheriff's office, St. Landry, August 25th, 1855.

SHERIFF'S SALE.
STATE OF LOUISIANA,
District Court,
Parish of St. Landry,
No. 7311.

BY virtue of a writ of fi. fa., issued in the above entitled suit, by the District Court, in and for the Parish of St. Landry, and to me directed, will be exposed to public sale, for cash, at the Court House of this Parish, on Saturday, the 6th day of October, A. D. 1855, commencing at the hour of 11 o'clock, A. M., and continuing from day to day, if necessary, all the right, title, interest and demand of Mark W. Harwell & Co., in and to the following described property, seized to satisfy said writ to-wit:

Two hundred acres of land, bounded North by land of E. B. Scott, South by land of Boutte, East by land of Boutte, West by land of Lestin Lavergne.
J. B. DAVID, Sheriff.
Sheriff's office, St. Landry, August 25th, 1855.

Public Sale.
By the undersigned, Auctioneer, in and for the Parish of St. Landry.

THE public are hereby informed that there will be sold, to the last and highest bidder, by the undersigned, Auctioneer, at the late residence of the late Jacques Lastrapes, distant about 9 miles North-West of the Town of Opelousas, on Tuesday, the 16th of October next, the following described property belonging to the Estate of said Jacques Lastrapes, deceased, late of the Parish of St. Landry, to-wit:

SEVEN VACANT LOTS OF GROUND, situated in Lastrapes' Addition to the Town of Opelousas, on the West side of the coulee Tesson, being Lots numbered, Sixty-seven, Eighty, Thirty-seven, Fifty-three, Six, Seven and Eight, of the plan of said Town.

SEVEN LOTS OF GROUND, situated in Lastrapes' Addition to the Town of Opelousas, on the West side of the coulee Tesson, being Lots numbered, Sixty-five, Sixty-six, Seventy-nine, Forty-nine, Fifty, Twenty-three and Twenty-four, of the plan of said Town.

TWO LOTS OF GROUND, situated in Lastrapes' Addition to the Town of Opelousas, on the West side of the coulee Tesson, being Lots numbered Fifty-eight and Forty-two.—A CERTAIN

Tract of Land, situated West of the Town of Opelousas, having two arpents and the seventh front by the depth of one hundred and three chains and ten links, bounded North by land belonging to the Estate of Charles Lastrapes, South by those of Cyprien Dupre, Eugene Wardelle and Stephen W. Wikoff, East by the corporation line of the Town of Opelousas, and West by land of said Wikoff.

ANOTHER TRACT OF LAND, situated in the Parish of St. Landry, at Prairie Plaisance, having two arpents and one ninth front on the Bayou Caron, or Grand Louis, by the ordinary depth of forty arpents.

9 SLAVES.
of both sexes and divers ages.

1 Box of pistols, a gold watch, one gun and other articles.

Conditions—CASH.
AUG. DEJEAN, Auctioneer.
Opelousas, Sept. 15th, 1855.

WE A. MORIARTY, Public Officer.
RESPECTFULLY offers his services to the citizens of St. Landry and surrounding Parishes. All orders can be left to him, in Opelousas, or to Mr. Sandoz & Heyner, Opelousas Courier's Office.
Opelousas, November 25th, 1854.—ly.

Champagne! Champagne!!
Baskets of Champagne, direct from AJ, just received and for sale by
DEBALLON & CARRIERE.
Washington, August 11th, 1855.

Miscellaneous.

Helmbold's Genuine Preparations.
HELMBOLD'S HIGHLY CONCENTRATED COMPOUND FLUID EXTRACT BUCHU.

For diseases of the bladder and kidneys, secret discharges, gonorrhoea, urethritis, and all diseases of the urinary organs, whether in Male or Female, from whatever cause they may have originated, and no matter of how long standing.

If you have contracted the terrible disease which, when once seated in the system, will steadily go down from one generation to another, undermining the constitution and sapping the very vital fluids of life, do not trust yourself in the hands of Quacks, who start up every day in a city like this, and fill the papers with glowing testimonials, but well calculated to deceive the young and those not acquainted with their tricks. You cannot be too careful in the selection of a remedy in such cases.

The most Eminent Physicians have pronounced Helmbold's Compound Fluid Extract Buchu, as a medicine perfectly pleasant in its taste, and very innocuous in its action, and yet so thorough that it annihilates every particle of mucus and morbid virus of the urinary tract, and unlike other remedies, does not dry up the disease in the blood.

Constitutional Debility, brought on by self-abuse, or any other cause, which has brought thousands of the human race to untimely graves, thus blasting the brilliant hopes of parents, and blighting in the bud the glorious ambition of many noble youths, can be cured by this invaluable Remedy. And a medicine which will benefit everybody, from the simply delicate to the confirmed debilitated, no equal is to be found acting both as a Cure and preventive.

HELMBOLD'S HIGHLY CONCENTRATED COMPOUND FLUID EXTRACT SERRAVALLO.

For Purifying the Blood, removing all diseases arising from excess of Mercury, exposure and impurities in life, chronic constitutional disease, arising from an impure state of the Blood, and the only reliable and effectual Remedy for the cure of Syphilis, Scald Head, Ringworm, Itch, and other eruptions of the Skin, Pains and Swellings of the Bones, Testicles, and all Scurvy Eruptions of the Skin.

This article is now prescribed by some of the most distinguished Physicians in the country, and has proved more efficient in practice than any preparation of Sarsaparilla yet offered to the public. Several cases of secondary Syphilis, Mercurial eruptions, and other diseases, have been cured by the use of this medicine in arresting some of the most inveterate diseases, after the glands were destroyed, and the bones already affected.

Notices—Letters from responsible Physicians and Professors of several Medical Colleges, and certificates of cures from patients will be found accompanying both Preparations.

Paris.—Fluid Extract of Buchu, \$1 per bottle, or 2 bottles for \$2. Fluid Extract of Serravallo, \$1 per bottle, or 2 bottles for \$2. Equal in strength to one gallon of Serravallo's Wine.

Prepared and sold by H. T. HELMBOLD, Chemist and Druggist, 201 Chestnut Street, near the Girard House, Philadelphia.

To be had of John Pope, at Opelousas.

All letters directed to the Proprietor or Agent receive immediate attention.
August 25th, 1855.—ly.

OPELOUSAS FEMALE ACADEMY
MR. & MRS. HOY, with the assistance of Miss HOY and MME. DE ST. ANGE, will open on the 15th of March, in the Town of Opelousas, a First Class School, where the practical as well as the ornamental branches of a female education will be taught.

They are prepared to give thorough instruction in the English, French, German and Italian Languages, also Music Lessons on the Piano and Guitar, Drawing, Painting, French Embroidery in Silk Chenille and Worsted.

Calisthenics Department, Dancing, Elocution, per lesson, 1 00
Boarding, Washing, Fuel and Lights, 60 00
Mme. DE ST. ANGE, having entered into a private engagement at Mrs. Henry's School in Natchez, will not be able for the present to join the School.
Opelousas, March 10th, 1855.

J. F. Sandoz, Notary Public.
Office at the Court-House, Opelousas.

GEORGE RAINER, Public Crer.
RESPECTFULLY offers his services to the public of St. Landry and surrounding Parishes. All orders can be addressed to him, at Vermilionville, Parish of Lafayette.
Lafayette, November 4, 1854.—ly.

MILLINERY & DRESS MAKER.

MRS. RICHE, living lately at Mrs. Labiche, has the honor to inform the ladies of Opelousas and vicinity, that she has made up her mind to establish her millinery in this town. All orders sent to her for ladies toilettes, such as bonnets, dresses, cloaks, Millineries, &c., will be punctually attended to.

She will have always on hand an assortment of goods, consisting in ribbons, flowers, laces, embroideries, &c. The latest fashions from Paris will be received and executed by her.

Her new domicile is on Main street, in the house lately occupied by Dr. Salles and neighbor to Mr. Pasquier's store.
Opelousas, Sept. 1st, 1855.—5m.

SHERIFF'S SALE.
STATE OF LOUISIANA,
District Court,
Parish of St. Landry,
No. 7370.

BY virtue of a writ of fi. fa., issued in the above entitled suit, by the District Court, in and for the Parish of St. Landry, and to me directed, will be exposed to public sale, at the Court House of this Parish, on Saturday, the 6th day of October, A. D. 1855, commencing at the hour of 11 o'clock, A. M., and continuing from day to day, if necessary, all the right, title, interest and demand of Mark W. Harwell & Co., in and to the following described property, seized to satisfy said writ to-wit:

Miscellaneous.

AN ORDINANCE
Relative to the Health of the Town of Opelousas.

ARTICLE 1st. The Board of Police of the Town of Opelousas, Ordains as follows:

ARTICLE 2d. It has been ascertained by the Board, that the Yellow Fever exists in the neighboring Parishes, and especially in New-Orleans.

ARTICLE 3d. That any person coming from a Town or District infected with the Yellow Fever, or with any contagious or infectious disease, shall not be permitted to enter into, or remain in the Town of Opelousas, until ten days shall have elapsed since they were in such District, and if any person shall enter the Town, previous to said ten days, such person shall be immediately removed out of the corporation limits.

ARTICLE 4th. That all Goods, Merchandise, Bedding, or other objects, which may be supposed to convey or communicate the Yellow Fever, or any contagious or infectious disease, coming from any infected District or Region, shall be kept out of the Town of Opelousas, at least ten days, and thoroughly ventilated before being admitted within the limits of this corporation, and any person, who shall in any manner neglect the observance of this Article, shall forfeit and pay a fine of One hundred dollars, to be recovered with cost before any competent authority, for the use of the Town, and the articles introduced shall be immediately removed out of the limits of the corporation, at the expense of the person introducing the same.

ARTICLE 5th. That no person who shall have died of Yellow Fever, or of any contagious or infectious disease, out of the limits of this Town, shall be brought into or interred within the limits of this corporation, and any person who shall neglect the observance of this Article, shall forfeit and pay a fine of One hundred Dollars, to be recovered with cost before any competent tribunal for the use of the Town, and the body brought in, shall be immediately removed, at the cost of the person or persons who may have brought it in, or who may have aided or assisted in so doing.

ARTICLE 6th. That the several Physicians of this Town, are hereby constituted a committee of vigilance for the purpose of reporting any case of Yellow Fever, or of any contagious or infectious disease that may occur in Town, in order, that such measures may be taken as the case requires.

ARTICLE 7th. That in the event of any death, within the Town, from Yellow Fever, or of any contagious or infectious disease, the body shall be immediately enveloped and buried as speedily as possible and the apartment in which the death occurred shall be cleaned and fumigated with chloride of lime or any other disinfecting agent, and all articles used by such deceased person, shall be either burned or disinfected.

ARTICLE 8th. That if any person or persons having in charge, any public conveyance who shall convey or attempt to convey into the Town, any person or persons who are known to have been in an infected District, within ten days previous, shall be subject to pay a fine of twenty dollars, for every such offence, recoverable before any competent authority, for the use of the Town. And that the Town Constable immediately inform all persons having charge of any public conveyance of this Ordinance.

ARTICLE 9th. That the Board of Health and the Town Constable, are hereby severally charged to carry into effect the provisions contained in this Ordinance and the said Town Constable, is hereby authorized and empowered, should he deem it necessary to employ, not to exceed four persons, to aid and assist him in the duties enjoined on him in this Ordinance, and he is further authorized and empowered to call to his assistance any of, or all the citizens of this Town.

Ordained the 27th August 1855.
JAMES RAY, President of the Board of Health of the Town of Opelousas.
Guy H. BRETZ, Clerk of the Board.

GRAUVILLA,
MARBLE CUTTER,
ST. MARTINSVILLE, LA.

HAS constantly on hand a fine assortment of Italian Marble, of the finest quality, for Tombs, &c. Persons in want of such works will please send their orders to him, in St. Martinsville, or to the editors of the Opelousas Courier.

He warrants all his foundations.
St. Martinsville, January 6th, 1855.—ly.

STRAYED.

FROM the plantation of Mrs. Edmond Estilist, on the 4th inst., a large dark bay, bottail horse, aged about 7 years, has a scar on the left hind leg, caused by the trace.

The person who will take back said horse to Mrs. Estilist will receive a liberal reward.
J. B. PRICE & Co.,
U. S. Mail Contractors.
Opelousas, August 11th, 1855.

TO PLANTERS.

THE undersigned is now ready to buy all the Wood and Hides which will be brought to him at his Store, in Grand Coteau, and will pay the highest prices.

F. HALFF.
Grand Coteau, La., May 12th, 1855.

FOR SALE,
A NEGRO BOY about 20 years old, with full guarantee, for sale at private sale, or to be exchanged for a family of negroes, and the difference paid cash by the owner of the boy. For particulars, apply at this Office. Opelousas Sept. 8. (ff.)

St. Charles Hotel,
OPPOSITE THE COLLEGE,
GRAND COTEAU, (La.)

Kept by Mrs. N. GARRIGUES, will be constantly open for the reception of travellers and of families.
Grand Coteau, August 5th, 1854.

A. LAFOREST. A. DESMARE
LAFOREST & DESMARE,
Commission Merchants.
No. 29, Bienville Street.
NEW ORLEANS,
August 19th, 1855

Miscellaneous.

OUR AGENTS
The following gentlemen authorized to collect and receive subscriptions and advertisements for the Opelousas Courier, in their respective towns:

ADRIEN MARIEST, St. Martinsville, (La.)
ADRIEN BELLEARD, Bayou Bridge, (La.)
A. WILKINSON, Washington, La.

ST. LANDRY HOTEL,
GRAND COTEAU.

THE undersigned having taken the Hotel lately kept by P. Jouis, and known as the Grand Hotel, informs his friends and the public, that he is now prepared to receive travellers, and to accommodate all those who shall patronize his house. He hopes to merit a share of public patronage.
HENRY WESTEN,
Grand Coteau, Sept. 8th, 1855.—3m.

Public Sale.
By the undersigned, a public auctioneer in and for the Parish of St. Landry.

THE public are hereby informed that there will be sold at public sale, to the last and highest bidder, by the undersigned, Auctioneer, at the residence of Maximilien LeBlanc, on Queen Terrace, in the Parish of St. Landry, on Thursday, 18th October next, 1855, the following described property belonging to the Estate of Marguerite Guidry, late of the Parish of St. Landry, deceased, to-wit:

A NEGRO-BOY, aged about 10 years.

One Tract of Land, situated in the Parish of Lafayette, on the East side of Bayou Quez Tortue, measuring four hundred acres.

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, KITCHEN UTENSILS, &c.
Terms and Conditions.—One, two and three years credit, from the day of sale. Purchasers furnishing solvent security to the satisfaction of whom the right, and all sums not punctually paid at maturity to bear 8 per cent. interest from time due. And moreover, the Land and Slave remaining specially mortgaged unto said Estate until full and entire payment of capital and interest.
A. DEJEAN, Auctioneer.
Opelousas, Sept. 15th, 1855.

FOR SALE.

A SAW-MILL, situated on Bayou Girouard, well established with dwelling and out houses, together with 800 acres of fine cypress land, on which there is 2,000 logs ready to float.—Long terms.

Also a fine residence in the centre of the town of Grand Coteau,—dwelling and 5 out houses, cisterns, &c. For particulars, at very accommodating terms, apply to
E. BERCIER.
Opelousas, September 22d, 1855.

State of Louisiana.
DISTRICT COURT, No. 7552.
Parish of St. Landry, ff.

Estate of Louis Gilbert, deceased.

VALERY MAYER, of the Parish of St. Landry, Administrator of the Estate of the late Louis Gilbert, having filed a final Tableau of distribution among the heirs of said Estate, accompanied by a petition, praying that the same may be homologated,—And whereas the prayer of said petition has been granted by an order of Court, dated 17th September, 1855.

Therefore, notice is hereby given to all interested, to make opposition, if any they have, within thirty days, from the date hereof why said Tableau should not be homologated, and the Administrator discharged from all further liabilities as such, and his