

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

Twenty-Second Judicial District. Comprising the parishes of Ascension and St. James.

District Judge, Jno. A. Cheevers. District Attorney, F. B. Ezhart. Post-office address, Donaldsonville, La.

Eighth Senatorial District. Comprising the parishes of Ascension and St. James.

State Senator, Richard Simmes. Convent P. O., St. James parish, La.

Parish of Ascension. Representative, Pierre Landry. Clerk and Recorder, L. E. Bentley.

Police Jury: R. T. Hanson, President; R. Prosper Landry, Secretary.

Justices of the Peace: First ward, Sam'l H. Mullen; Second ward, Charles Bush.

Constables: First ward, Joseph White; Second ward, Remus Jones.

Jury Commissioners: Allen Thomas, N. Bel, Austin Duncan, Henry C. Braud, L. E. Bentley.

Town of Donaldsonville. Mayor, David Israel; Assessor, Aug. Bercego.

Board of Aldermen: First ward, D. Vaviani; Second ward, R. J. Green.

Summary of State News. Gleanings from the Press. The special election held in West Baton Rouge to decide the question of levying a special tax to build a new Court House and Jail resulted in the approval of the proposed law by a vote of 101 to 32.

Some conscientious scoundrel attempted to set fire to the new Methodist Church at Natchitoches. The Grand Jury in their report at this term of Court, state that the principal cause of the crimes committed in this parish is attributable to the baneful influence of whiskey drinking.

Sunday night, a fire occurred in the direction of Petite Anse, west of New Iberia. We inquired, and were informed that it was a small cabin occupied by Negroes. It seems that the parents had gone out, and left the house in charge of the children, who no doubt, were playing with a lamp which had been left burning, causing it to explode, and hence the fire.

Tuesday night, the residence and dining room, together with the smoke-house of Mr. Alonzo Rascoe were destroyed by fire. The fire originated in the stove-room by neglecting to remove a pine box of embers left on the floor near the stove.

The conversion of bagasse into paper at home, is attracting considerable attention in Louisiana. Several parties in the North and West have tested the fiber produced from it by a new process, and speak of it as extremely promising.

The chief difficulty at present appears to be in the bleaching process; but that, it is thought, can easily be overcome as the fiber made perfectly white. By converting the bagasse into fiber on the plantations three-fourths of the transportation charges will be saved.

Louisiana produces 200,000 hogsheads of sugar a year and the cane for each hogshead will yield one ton of paper fiber.

When the business men of a town fail to advertise extensively they diminish the importance and trade of the place, and permit more enterprising localities to take the latter from them. Although done for their individual interest, advertisers should be looked on by citizens of the town where they reside, as in some sense public benefactors, and they should be encouraged accordingly.

One merchant who advertises extensively is worth to his own town and its people more than fifty who never show themselves in print, and should be for this reason alone preferred, assuming that he is, of course, a fair business man.

GREAT RE-OPENING! LEMANN'S OLD STAND.

It is with great pleasure that S. MOYSE,

announces the resumption of business at a new location,

Mississippi Street, DONALDSONVILLE, LA.,

with a Magnificent Stock of Dry Goods,

Clothing, GROCERIES,

Furniture, Hardware, Crockery, Liquors,

Boots and Shoes, Hats, Notions, ETC., ETC., ETC.,

Excelling in size, range, quality of goods and lowness of prices any he has yet offered the public. Having secured the lease of a very commodious building at favorable rates and being daily in receipt of goods purchased at lowest market rates, I am offering

UNEQUALED BARGAINS FOR CASH! A visit to my store will show that I mean this.

YOURS TRULY, S. MOYSE.

Instruments Repaired, Tuned and Exchanged. E. VON HOFF, 1192... Magazine Street, 1192 ABOVE NAPOLEON, NEW ORLEANS.

Pianos & Melodeons. Begs leave to inform his friends and the public of Donaldsonville and vicinity that he has established himself permanently at the above location and is prepared to do all work in his line in the best manner and on most reasonable terms.

ICE! ICE! ICE! At Wholesale and Retail. FROM the 6th of April throughout the season, I will keep constantly on hand a large supply of pure ice, fresh from the great Northern Lakes, which I will sell to the public at the following rates: Retail, 2 cents per pound; wholesale, quantity not less than 100 pounds, 1 1/2 cents per pound.

500 CORDS OF SWAMP WOOD FOR SALE. Apply to C. KLINE, Donaldsonville, La.

Desirable Property for Sale. THE residence and lot of ground situated on Railroad Avenue, nearly opposite the Post-office, in the town of Donaldsonville, will be sold on reasonable terms.

Wanted. A FEW CANVASSERS for the sale of the Singer Sewing Machine. Best of references invited. Apply to the Singer Mfg. Co., Donaldsonville, La.

City Hotel, Cor. Railroad Avenue and Iberville Street Donaldsonville, La. P. LEFEBVRE, Proprietor.

Keating's Academy, Corner Chetimache and Attakapas streets, Donaldsonville, La.

For Sale. SIX 4-hogshead Wooden Coolers, One Copper Striker Pan, with Copper Worm and all steam pipe connections, all in complete and perfect order.

WHEELWRIGHT & COACHMAKER, Donaldsonville, La.

Regular New Orleans and Bayou Sara Passenger Packet. THE FINE PASSENGER STEAMER WM. FAGAN, In place of the John W. Cannon.

Plantation Carts and Wagons. The Manufacture of a specialty. Inspection and comparison of work and prices with those of other makers will show difference of from ten to twenty per cent. All work guaranteed.

Old Vehicles taken in Exchange for new.

ADVERTISEMENTS.



GILLETTE'S SHAVING CREAM.

IS A THOROUGH REMEDY IN EVERY CASE OF FEVER AND AGUE, while for disorders of the stomach, torpidity of the liver, indigestion and disturbance of the animal forces, it has no equal.

Wholesale Depot, BERNARD LEMANN, Donaldsonville, La.

L. A. COLOMB, GENERAL Fire Insurance Agent, Donaldsonville, La.

REPRESENTING: Liverpool, London and Globe Ins. Co., Assets, \$30,731,893 45.

La Ombiance, of Paris, France, Assets, \$7,795,303 27.

Western Assurance, of Toronto, Canada, Assets, \$1,737,336 30.

Hop Insurance Co., of New Orleans, CAPITAL, \$250,000. Risks taken at the Lowest Rates.

In Full Blast at the Old Stand! BILLEISEN'S Copper, Tin and Sheet-Iron WORKS, DONALDSONVILLE, LA.

Manufacture of Striko Pans, Evaporating Pans, Clarifiers, Juice Boxes, Syrup Tanks, Chimneys and Breachings, Force and Lift pumps, etc.

For Rent. THE BRADFORD PROPERTY, corner of Iberville and Lessard Streets, Donaldsonville, La. FREDERICK DUFFEL.

JOSEPH ICARD, Carriage & Wagon Maker, MACHINIST AND BRASS FOUNDER, REMOVED TO 68 RAILROAD AVENUE, DONALDSONVILLE, LA.

THE GREAT CAUSE OF HUMAN MISERY. A Lecture on the Nature, Treatment, and Radical Cure of Seminal Weakness, or Spermatorrhea, induced by Self-Abuse, Involuntary Emission, Impotency, Nervous Debility, and Impediments to Marriage generally.

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THE OULVERWELL MEDICAL CO., 41 Ann St., New York, N. Y. Post Office Box 4586.

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6 LARGER LOTS, Containing nearly 17 acres each, for \$500 per lot.

75 TOWN 75 LOTS FOR SALE. Projected Town of Darrowville, (Opposite Donaldsonville.) At prices ranging from \$25 to \$75 each.

75 PATENTS FOR SALE. Obtained for new inventions, or for improvements in old ones. Caveats, Trade Marks and all patent business promptly attended to.

BIG PAY WANTED. We want a limited number of active, energetic canvassers to engage in a pleasant and profitable business. Good men will find this a rare chance.

TO MAKE MONEY. Such will please answer this advertisement by letter, enclosing stamp for reply, stating what business they have been engaged in. None but those who mean business need apply. Address TRUE & CO., Atlanta, Ga.



MORE ABOUT THE SUNDAY LAW!

A final decision of the Sunday Law question being looked for in October, we have concluded to open our establishment on Sundays and to offer the public in the meantime unparalleled inducements and a heavy

REDUCTION IN PRICES OF Ladies and Gentlemen's Furnishing Goods, Boots and Shoes, HATS, NOTIONS, FANCY GOODS, CLOTHING, ETC., ETC.

This reduction ranges in all departments of our Store, touching all classes of goods. We cordially invite all to visit our establishment, inspect goods and ascertain prices, and thus put to the test our advertised

INDUCEMENTS.

M. ISRAEL & CO., Cor. Mississippi Street and Railroad Ave., DONALDSONVILLE, LA.

CHARTER PERPETUAL. Louisiana Equitable Life and Accident Insurance Company, 39... Carondelet Street, 39... NEW ORLEANS.

E. B. BRIGGS, PRESIDENT, JOHN HENDELSON, VICE PRESIDENT, A. PATTON, SECRETARY.

A CERTIFICATE OF the Auditor of State. Is Annexed to Each Policy. This Company complied with the provisions of the above Act and made its third deposit of the required reserve February 23, 1880.

ACTIVE AGENTS WANTED. Apply to COURIER & McNAIR, General Agents, Baton Rouge, La. Wm. L. ROCHE, Agent, Plaquemine.

L. A. Colomb, General Agent, Mississippi Street, DONALDSONVILLE, LA.

Mr. Colomb also takes fire risks on the most favorable terms. Consult him before insuring.

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THE WHITE IS KING. The Easiest Selling; The Best Satisfying SEWING MACHINE. Its Introduction and World-Renowned Reputation was the death-blow to High-Priced Machines.

There are no Second-Hand White Machines in the Market. This is a very important matter, as it is a well-known and undisputed fact that many of the so-called first-class machines which are offered so cheap now a-days are those that have been repossessed (that is, taken back from customers after use) and rebuilt and put upon the market as new.

The White is the peer of any sewing machine now upon the market. It is much larger than the family machines of the Singer, Howe and Wood make. It costs more to manufacture than either of the aforesaid machines. Its construction is simple, positive and durable. Its workmanship is unsurpassed. Do not Buy any Other Before Trying THE WHITE.

AGENTS WANTED. WM. GREGG, Agent, 154 Canal St., New Orleans. A. D. VEGA, Agent, Corner Railroad Avenue and Mississippi St., Donaldsonville, La.

JOHN P. FORCHA, Cistern Maker, Railroad Avenue, opposite the Post-office, Donaldsonville, La.

All work guaranteed and satisfaction warranted. Prices lower than the lowest. JUST OUT. Hood's Great Book OF THE WAR. Advance and Retreat, Personal Experiences in the United States and Confederate States Armies.

BY GEN. J. B. HOOD, Late Lieutenant-General Confederate States Army, published for The Hood Orphan Memorial Fund, by General G. T. BEAUREGARD, New Orleans, 1880.

The entire proceeds arising from the sale of this work are devoted to The Hood Orphan Memorial Fund, which is invested in United States Registered Bonds for the nurture, care, support and education of the ten infants deprived of their parents last summer at New Orleans, who met a melancholy end of which and bereavement are still fresh in the public mind.

The book is an elegant octavo, containing 360 pages, with a fine photograph likeness and a line steel engraving, made expressly for this work, four large maps of battle fields, bound in handsome English cloth at THREE DOLLARS, or in a Fine Sheep Binding, with Marble Edge, THREE DOLLARS AND FIFTY CENTS. In half-bound Morocco, library style, FOUR DOLLARS, or in best Levant Turkey Morocco, full Gilt Sides and Edges, FIVE DOLLARS.

On the receipt from any person remitting by mail or express, of the amount in a registered letter or by a postal order, bank draft, or check, a copy will be immediately sent free of postage, registered as second-class matter.

The volume is published in the best style of typography, on elegant paper, with illustrations, executed as highest specimens of art. The author, the subject, the purpose, all alike render it worthy of a place on every book-shelf of every home in the country. Agents wanted in every State and county in the United States, and a preference will be given to honorably discharged veterans from the army.

To the ladies, who feel a desire to express their sympathy with The Hood Orphan Memorial Fund, the sale of this book among their circle of friends will clearly afford an excellent way of contributing substantial aid to so deserving a cause. For terms, rates to Agents, etc., address GEN. G. T. BEAUREGARD, Publisher, on behalf of the Hood Memorial Fund, New Orleans, La.