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DONALDSONVILLE BUSINESS DIRECTORY.

DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, Etc.

R. LANDMAN dealer in Dry Goods,
Groceries, Provision Supplies, Wines,
Liquors, Cigars, Tobacco, and General
Merchandise, corner R. R. Avenue and
Taylor Street, one block from Railroad
Depot.

J. N. F. PARK dealer in Staple and Fancy
Groceries, Groceries, Plantation and
Steamboat Supplies, Canned Goods, Wines,
Liquors, Bottled Beer, Ale, etc., Dry Goods
and Notions, corner of Mississippi and Chest-
nut streets, opp. River Ferry.

A. D. VIGIA, Agent, dealer in Dry Goods,
Groceries, Clothing, Boots and Shoes,
Hats, Groceries, Rugs, Furniture, Hard-
ware, Tobacco, Peas, Oils, Glass, Lumber,
Brooks, Carriage and Wagons, Lumber, etc.,
Railroad Avenue and Mississippi street.

BERNARD LEMANN & BROTHER,
dealers in Groceries, Produce, fancy and
staple Groceries, Rugs, Hardware, Iron,
Paints, Oils, Cans, Flour, Sashery, Stoves
and Tinware, Furniture, Crockery, Wall
Paper, and House Furnishing Goods, Mis-
sissippi street, corner Crescent Place.

J. S. GONDRAK & SONS, dealers in Dry
Goods, Groceries, Notions, Hats, Groceries,
Wines, Liquors, Boots, Shoes, Hard-
ware, Paints, Oils, Sashery, Crockery, Fur-
niture and all kinds of House Furnishing
Goods, Biou Street, Mississippi street.

M. TOBIAS, dealer in Groceries, Dry
Goods, Clothing, Notions, Boots and
Shoes, Hats, Furniture, Hardware, Crock-
ery, Trunks, etc., corner Mississippi and St.
Patrick streets and No. 31 Railroad Avenue.
Everything at lowest prices.

C. KLINE, corner Crescent Place and
Houston street, dealer in Dry Goods,
Notions, Boots and Shoes, Groceries, Pro-
visions, Corn, Oats and Bran.

M. ISRAEL & CO., dealers in Dry Goods,
Clothing, Boots, Shoes, Saddlery,
Buggies, etc., corner Mississippi street and
Railroad Avenue.

M. LEVY, dealer in Dry Goods, Cloth-
ing, Boots, Shoes, Hats, Groceries,
Furniture, Hardware and Plantation Sup-
plies, at Lemann's old stand, Mississippi
street, G. FETTEL, Agent.

J. N. SOLOZAO, dealer in Groceries,
Wines and Liquors, Crockery, Tinware,
Notions, etc., No. 31 Railroad Avenue, be-
tween Conway and St. Michael streets,
Donaldsonville.

INSURANCE AGENCIES.

V. MAURIN, General Fire Insurance
Agent, Mississippi street, over Fer-
nandez's barber shop. Home office first-class
policy issued directly from agency with
out delay.

HOTELS AND BOARDING-HOUSES.

ROBERT E. LEE HOTEL, Crescent Place,
near the Market-House, Jas. Lafargue,
proprietor. Bar and billiard room attached.
First-class entertainment and accommo-
dations.

CITY HOTEL, P. LeFevre, Proprietor,
Railroad Avenue and Berleville street.
Bar supplied with best Liquors.

LIQUOR AND BILLIARD SALOONS.

THE PLACE, Gas, Israel, manager,
Corner Levee and Mississippi streets,
Opposite Levee. Best Wines and
Liquors. Fine Cigars, etc.

TINSMITH.

LOUIS J. RACKÉ, Tinsmith, Mississippi
street, at Lemann's old stand. Orders
attended to with dispatch and satisfaction.

BARBER SHOP.

L. F. FERNANDEZ, Barber Shop, Mis-
sissippi street, near corner Levee.
Shaving, hair-cutting, shampooing, etc., in
most artistic style.

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FREDERICK DUFFEL, Attorney at Law
and Notary Public, office on Chest-
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EDWARD N. PUGH, Attorney at Law,
114 Maple street, opposite Louisiana
Square, visits Donaldsonville on Mondays.

PAUL LECHE, Attorney at Law and No-
tary Public, Donaldsonville, Ohio:
One block from the Court House, on At-
takapas street.

HOUSE AND SIGN PAINTING.

GINGBY, THE PAINTER, shop at Cheap
Tony's Store, corner Mississippi street
and Railroad Avenue. House, Sign and Or-
namental Painting in all their branches.
Best work at lowest prices.

UNDERTAKER.

SCHONBERG'S Undertaker's Establish-
ment, Railroad Avenue, between They-
ville and Atakapas streets. All kinds of
burial cases, from the nice coffin to the me-
talic or rosewood casket.

DRUGS AND MEDICINES.

B. KYBISKI, Apothecary and Druggist,
Mississippi street, between St. Patrick
and St. Vincent streets, adjoining Gondrak's
store.

MILLINERY.

MRS. M. BLUM, Milliner, Mississippi
street, between Lessard and St. Pat-
rick. Latest styles of Bonnets, Hats, French
Plaques, etc.; also, all kinds of Ladies' Un-
derwear.

SODA WATER MANUFACTORY.

SODA WATER MANUFACTORY, J. H.
Hether, proprietor, No. 11 Mississippi
street. Soda, Mineral, Seltzer and all kinds
of aerated waters manufactured, and sold
at lowest prices.

MATRESS MAKER.

PETER WAGNER, Spring and Moss
Mattress Manufactory, Mississippi St.
Repairing and cleaning furniture a special-
ty. All orders promptly attended to.

MRS. I. PALMER,
DRESSMAKER,
Railroad Avenue, near Claiborne street,
Donaldsonville.

Plain and fancy sewing of all kinds done
in best style and on reasonable terms. A
trial solicited and satisfaction guaranteed.

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

All work guaranteed and satisfaction
warranted. Prices lower than the lowest.

R. H. DUNN,
Carpenter and Builder,
Shop on Berleville street near the corner of
Houston.

Donaldsonville, La.
Orders received through the Post-office
will be met with prompt attention.

Written for the CHIEF.

ROOM FOR ALL.

BY GALEK.

This world is large enough for all,
And if we've room for one,
We'll find it for this terrestrial ball.

Full space for our promotion,
The fault is alone within ourselves,
If we are found a yawning,
And laid like goods upon the shelves,
That's scarcely ever worth yawning.

An active life alone will bring
The pleasures we are wishing,
And make the labor, while we sing,
As true as steamboat fishing.

A useful life, a happy life,
Have they who move us steady,
Nor lounge about our fire up strife,
With these who are so ready.

The shabby lanes and dirty streets,
That are the bane of our society,
And where the poor often meet,
A friend will not be overlooked.

Then why not choose some steady man?
Free from the noisy rabble,
Climb up, climb up, for climb you can,
And let your comrades gabble.

But if on some you fix your eyes,
Then mount upon her ladder,
And mount by worth—keep no disguise
Which hides a stinking adder.

There's room enough for all to climb,
As high as they are needed;
To mountains, heights, which are sublime!
All low have there proceeded.

The world is calling everywhere,
For men of mind and reason,
Who can do things here and there,
Both in and out of season.

And if the active reach the goal,
Before we're fairly started,
We need not wonder (like the fool),
Why we're so widely parted.

We may be shrewd, have gum, and wit,
And yet be nearly starving,
Because for business we're unfit
By any notion's carving.

For those who stick to pen, or quill,
Or something else worth doing,
Who gather gains that never fade,
And honor with the wooing.

L.A.S.C.

FRANK DESBREE.

I want free life and I want fresh air,
And I want for the rest of the cattle,
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