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PROFESSIONAL CARDS.

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Baton Rouge, La.
FUQUA & KILBOURNE,
Attorneys & Counselors at Law.

WILL practice in the Courts of the Parishes of East and West Baton Rouge, Iberville and East and West Feliciana.

DUNN & HERRON,
ATTORNEYS AT LAW,
COURT HOUSE SQUARE,
Baton Rouge, La.

WILL attend to all business in their profession entrusted to them, in this and the adjoining parishes, and in the city of New Orleans.

THOMAS GREEN DAVIDSON.....TOM STEIN.

Davidson & Bynum,
ATTORNEYS AT LAW,
Office at Baton Rouge, La.

WILL PRACTICE IN THE COURTS OF THE Parishes.

J. C. STAFFORD.....J. W. BUCKNER.

STAFFORD & BUCKNER,
ATTORNEYS AT LAW,
Office, Cor. Laurel & Third Sts., up-stairs,
BATON ROUGE, LA.

WILL practice in the parishes of East Feliciana, East and West Baton Rouge and Iberville. Business entrusted to them will receive prompt attention.

J. W. BURGESS.....E. R. CHANEY.

BURGESS & CHANEY,
Attorneys and Counselors at Law,
OFFICE ON CHURCH STREET,
BET. CONVENTION & NORTH BOWLING,
Baton Rouge, La.

ANY business entrusted to their care in the parishes of East and West Baton Rouge, East and West Feliciana, Pointe Coupee and Iberville, will be promptly attended to.

SAMUEL P. GREVES,
ATTORNEY AT LAW
Florida Street, Baton Rouge, La.

WILL attend to all business entrusted to him in East Baton Rouge and the adjoining parishes.

C. D. FAVROT,
Attorney and Counsellor at Law,
COURT HOUSE SQUARE,
Baton Rouge, La.

WILL practice in the Parishes of East and West Baton Rouge and Iberville.

References:
W. S. FICK, JOHN M. TRACY, New Orleans.
J. A. ROZIER, JOHN & DROUOT

R. W. ENKESBROCK.....A. P. CONVERSE.

Knickerbocker & Converse,
ATTORNEYS AT LAW
AND
CLAIM AGENTS.

WILL practice in the several Courts of the Fifth Judicial District and in the Supreme Court of Louisiana.

CLAIMS AGAINST THE GOVERNMENT.
Office on the corner of Fifth and Laurel streets

CLAYTON B. EVATT.

Civil Engineer

CITY SURVEYOR,
Office with R. W. Knickerbocker, Esq.,
corner of Fifth and Laurel streets,
BATON ROUGE, LA.

WILL attend promptly to all professional business entrusted to him.

W. W. McMAIN & SON,
REAL ESTATE BROKERS,
Accountants & General Agents,
aug12-3m BATON ROUGE, LA.

JOHN M. TRACY,
Justice of the Peace,
SECOND WARD,
Parish of East Baton Rouge.

OFFICE, COR. THIRD AND LAUREL STS.,
UP-STAIRS, OVER THE NEW BILLIARD SALOON.

F. A. NEPHER,
Justice of the Peace,
WARD No. ONE,

Office on Boulevard, foot of Third Street.

HAVING resumed business, I am ready to attend to all business and suits, within the earliest delays of the law.

DR. KRATZ,
OFFICE ON LAUREL STREET,
BETWEEN THIRD AND CHURCH,
(Opposite Mrs. Jones' Boarding House.)

Dr. D. L. McKittrick,
SURGEON DENTIST,
OFFICE ON CONVENTION STREET,
EPISCOPAL PARSONAGE BUILDING,
In the rear of Episcopal Church,
48c17 BATON ROUGE, LA.

**Teeth Extracted Without Pain,
AND NO HUMBAG!**

D. R. D. L. McKittrick respectfully announces to the public, that he is prepared by means of an electrical application, to extract teeth without pain. This process has been repeatedly tested by him, and not in a single instance has there been a failure.

ARCHER & HENDERSON,

FORWARDING & COMMISSION MERCHANTS,

GENERAL STEAMBOAT COLLECTION

PURCHASING AGENTS,
Third street, Baton Rouge, La.

REFER BY PERMISSION TO:
Capt. F. D. Pratt, Capt. Jno. McLean, N.O.
W. R. Richardson, H. W. Taylor, N.O.
E. R. Beckwith, Baton Rouge, La. aug10

A. Jackson,
COTTON BUYER

COMMISSION MERCHANT,
CASH ADVANCES MADE ON

Shipments to his Friends in N. O. and N. Y.
Office Corner of Laurel and Third Streets,
(UNDER THE VERANDA HOTEL.)
aug12 BATON ROUGE, LA.

SIMON MENDELSON,
DEALER IN

GROCERIES, PROVISIONS,
Wines, Liquors, Tobaccos, Cigars,

FAMILY SUPPLIES,
CORNER LAFAYETTE AND FLORIDA STREETS,
JULY1 BATON ROUGE, LA.

JAMES J. DUNDASS,
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALER IN

GROCERIES,
WESTERN PRODUCE,

Wines, Liquors, Tobacco & Cigars.

"CITY BAKERY,"
CORNER OF MAIN AND LEVEE STREETS,
BATON ROUGE, LA.

JULIUS C. BOGEL,
COMMISSION MERCHANT,

Plantation and Family Supplies,
COR. MAIN AND LAFAYETTE STS.,
JULY13 BATON ROUGE, LA.

JAMES McVAY,
HARDWARE MERCHANT

Agricultural Implements,
WINDOW SHADES,
WALL PAPER, ETC.

CALLS respectfully the attention of the public to his large and excellent stock of goods pertaining to his line of mercantile business. He speaks a liberal share of public patronage.

F. OTTO,
COMMISSION MERCHANT,

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALER IN

**DRY GOODS, CLOTHING,
GROCERIES,**

PLANTATION SUPPLIES;
WINES, LIQUORS,
CIGARS AND TOBACCO,

**CROCKERY AND TIN WARE,
AND ALL KINDS OF
WESTERN PRODUCE.**

F. Otto respectfully announces to his friends and customers and the public generally, that his store having been removed from its former site to adjoining Day's Drug store, to the large store and warehouse building.

ON THE SOUTH EAST CORNER OF THIRD AND LAUREL STREETS,

He is fully prepared to keep on hand one of the largest and most varied assortments of the above articles to be found in the city of Baton Rouge. With his increased and increasing facilities for obtaining and storing merchandise he is enabled to meet all present and future demands, and therefore invites the special attention of purchasers to that fact, hoping by a spirit of accommodation to please all, and to always sell on as reasonable terms as the state of the market will permit, to secure a liberal share of regular patronage.

Please call before purchasing elsewhere

aug10-11

Notary Public.

I WOULD most respectfully announce to my friends and the public generally, that I am now prepared to make Inventories, Appraisements, Partitions, receive Wills, make Protests, Matrimonial Contracts and Instruments of Writing, to hold Family Meetings, and Meetings of Creditors, &c.

All business entrusted to me will be attended to with promptness and dispatch.

JNO. M. TRACY,
Justice of the Peace and Notary Public,
Office, Corner Third and Laurel Sts.

GROCERY

**PROVISION HOUSE,
PLANTATION SUPPLIES.**

E. R. BECKWITH,
THIRD ST. CORNER OF LAUREL,
BATON ROUGE, LA.

CONSTANTLY ON HAND EVERY VARIETY OF PLANTATION SUPPLIES.

Planters and others would do well to call before purchasing elsewhere.

Cotton bought at highest market rates.
July6-8m.

JOSHUA BEAL,
Corner of Third and Convention Sts.,
BATON ROUGE, LA.

GENERAL DEALER IN
WESTERN PRODUCE,
Family and Plantation Supplies,

**SCHOOL BOOKS, STATIONERY,
FANCY GOODS,
AND NOTIONS GENERALLY.**

PRICES TO SUIT THE TIMES.
Terms Cash. July1

M. GRANARY,
DEALER IN
**WESTERN PRODUCE,
FAMILY GROCERIES**

Plantation Supplies Generally.

BEGS leave to inform his friends and the public at large, that he will keep on hand fresh and full supplies of all articles in the provision line, which he will sell on terms to suit the cash basis of trade. A liberal share of patronage is respectfully solicited, at his stand on Third street.

NICHOLAS WAX,
DEALER IN
**WESTERN PRODUCE
FAMILY GROCERIES.**

Is constantly receiving, direct from the West and other quarters, every species of article required for

Family or Plantation use.
He has increased facilities for obtaining supplies, and is determined to keep up with the demands of his customers, and to deal with them satisfactorily on the score of quality and price—his motto being

"Quick Sales and Small Profits."

Mr. R. HOFFMAN, well known to our citizens, will be found "behind the counter" ready to attend to business calls.

Please drop in at the old stand, near the Court House, where we shall be happy to see you.
July1-11

A. BLUM,
DEALER IN
**DRY GOODS, GROCERIES,
PROVISIONS,**

And Plantation Supplies Generally.
ALSO,
CROCKERY, TIN, WOOD & WILLOW WARE

Store, Cor. Africa and St. Napoleon Sts.,
BATON ROUGE, LA.

DETERMINED to keep a full and well selected stock of articles such as go to make up a first-class variety store, A. BLUM hopes to merit and receive an increased amount of patronage. He respectfully invites his old customers and the public at large, to continue their calls as usual, assuring them of his determination to please and satisfy them in every particular.

July6-11

CAMILLO QUINTERO,
DEALER IN
**HAVANA CIGARS,
CIGARETTAS,
Smoking and Chewing Tobacco,**

SNUFF, PIPES, ETC.,
Corner of Third and Florida streets,
BATON ROUGE, LA.

IN addition to his large assortment of the best brands and qualities of all articles in the line of a Tobacconist, CAMILLO QUINTERO, keeps on hand a choice variety of "Nollora," such as the Pocket Kates, Stationery, etc., to which he invites public attention, guaranteeing to give satisfaction to all customers. July1-11

Baton Rouge Marble Works,
J. SMOLLEN & Co.,
MANUFACTURERS OF
TOMBS, MONUMENTS,
HEAD-STONES, MANTELS, ETC.,
Corner of Main and Church streets,
JULY26 BATON ROUGE, LA.

N. O. ADVERTISEMENTS.

**PIKE, LAPEYRE & BROTHER,
BANKERS,**

DEALERS IN
**FOREIGN & DOMESTIC EXCHANGE,
BONDS, STOCKS, COIN AND
UNCURRENT NOTES.**
OFFICE ON CAMP STREET,
Between Canal and Common Streets,
New Orleans, La.

J. J. WARREN.....T. W. CRAWFORD.
WARREN & CRAWFORD,
(Successors to Warren, Gilmore & Co.)

**COTTON FACTORS
COMMISSION MERCHANTS,**
No. 29 CARONDELET STREET,
July11-3m* NEW ORLEANS, LA.

R. PRITCHARD,
[Formerly Pritchard & Flower.]
**COTTON FACTOR
COMMISSION MERCHANT,**
No. 53 CARONDELET STREET,
NEW ORLEANS, LA.

Liberal Cash Advances and Supplies furnished on consignments of Cotton, Sugar, &c., to his address.

References:
FUQUA & KILBOURNE, P. O. BOX 100, New Orleans, La.
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MAYER BROTHERS,
Crescent City Steam Tobacco Works
No. 49 and 51 LAFAYETTE STREET,
Sales Room—No. 51 Tchoupitoulas St.

MAYER BROTHERS,
No. 51 TCHOUPITOULAS STREET,
BETWEEN POYDRAS AND NATCHEZ,
New Orleans, La.

DEALERS IN
**LEAF & CHEWING & MANUFACTURERS OF
Smoking Tobacco and Cigars.**

A heavy well selected stock constantly on hand.
July29-11

**NEW ORLEANS
CARPET WAREHOUSE,**
19 CHARTRES STREET,
Between Canal and Customhouse.

We have on hand and are receiving a large assortment of

**CARPETING OF ALL KINDS,
SUCH AS—**

MEDALLION,
VELVET,
WILTON,
BRUSSELS,
TAPESTRY,
3-PLY,
INGRAIN,
VENETIAN,
HEMP,
COTTAGE, &c.

**FLOOR OILCLOTHS,
Of all widths and qualities.
MATTING,
White checked and fancy.
WINDOW SHADES,
Cornices and Bands.
TABLE and PIANO COVERS,**

**RUGS,
MATS,
ENAMEL CLOTHS,
Of various qualities and colors.
COCOA MATTING and MATS,
HAIR CLOTH, &c., &c.**

All of which we offer at moderate advances on manufacturer's prices, for cash.

aug8-11y **A. BROUSSEAU & CO.**

FANCY GOODS! FANCY GOODS!!

GUÉBLÉ & GOURSAUD,
137.....Canal Street.....137
DIRECT IMPORTERS OF
FRENCH, ENGLISH & GERMAN

**FANCY GOODS, RIBBONS,
HOSIERY, &c.**

WE WOULD RESPECTFULLY inform country buyers, that we are now prepared to show them the most complete and best selected stock of FANCY GOODS in this country. A full assortment of BRILLEN ZEHR'S Ribbons, guaranteed.

COMBS and BRUSHES, of all sorts.
THE BEST FRENCH COMBES,
FRENCH FURMETERIES,
AND KID GLOVES.

A full line of
DRESS TRIMMINGS, BUTTONS, ETC.
Come and examine our splendid stock, which has been selected by our Mr. GUÉBLÉ himself, in Paris and Germany, so we may recommend it for the quality and taste of the goods, as well as the

ASTONISHINGLY LOW PRICES,
We are enabled to sell them for.
PURCHASE HOUSE IN PARIS:
NO. 12 FAUBOURG POISSONNIERE.
GUÉBLÉ & GOURSAUD,
137 Canal Street,
Two Buildings
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THE OLDEST ESTABLISHMENT

IN THE SOUTH,
Removed from No. 10 Old Levee,
to
Corner of Gravier St. and Bank Place

**H. CASSIDY,
SAIL MAKER,
TENT, AWNING AND
Flag Manufactory.**

IMPORTERS AND DEALERS IN
EVERY DESCRIPTION OF
AMERICAN AND ENGLISH
Light and Heavy Canvas,

FRENCH AND ENGLISH BUNTINGS, &c.
Pays strict attention to making, in a superior manner, all sorts of Fancy Boats and Yacht Sails; also every description of Wood and Iron Frame Awning, for Stores, Galleries, Offices, Steamboats, etc., at moderate prices.

EVERY DESCRIPTION OF
CAMP FURNITURE,
SUCH AS

Portable Camp Cots, Chairs, Stools,
Always on hand in any quantity.

ALSO EVERY DESCRIPTION OF
**American, Foreign & Fancy Flags,
Steamboats' & Ships' Barges,
JACK PENNANTS, ETC.**

on hand, and made to order.
Full Barges, Barges, etc., applied and furnished at a moment's notice. Blocks of every description, strapped.

TRUNKS NEATLY COVERED.
N.B.—Particular attention paid to getting up, in superior style and Gold, all sorts of Blankets, Fancy Embroidered Silk Flags or Banners, for Military or other Commissions; and also to the Manufacturing of Circus Tents, having had much experience in that line.

All articles of Canvas will be warranted proof against rot or mildew.

THOS. B. BODLEY & CO.,
No. 9, PERDIDO STREET,
(ADJOINING MASONIC BUILDING)
OFFICE, No. 128, GRAVIER STREET,
NEW ORLEANS, LA.

Circular Saw Mills, Stationery and Portable Steam Engines, Circular Cross Cut Mills and Muley Saws, Corn Mills, Wheat Mills, and Boiling Apparatus, Shafting Pulleys, and Hoisting.

ALL DESCRIPTIONS OF
PLANTATION MACHINERY AND
AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS
WE KEEP CONSTANTLY ON HAND
A full supply of

CANE CARTS, PLANTATION AND ROAD WAGONS,
TIMBER WHEELS and WHEELBARROWS,
From the well known Factory of
JOSHUA BODLEY, WHEELAND, VA.

We have connected with extensive Foundries and Machine Shops in St. Louis, Louisville, Cincinnati and Pittsburg, through which we are prepared to contract for any class of machinery, on most favorable terms, and deliver anywhere north of New Orleans, free of freight.

NOTICE.
THE undersigned have renewed their former Partnership, and will transact business under the name of STEVENS & SEYMOUR, at their old stand, Nos. 96 and 98 Common St., opposite the City Hotel.

E. E. STEVENS,
Per W. E. SEYMOUR,
W. E. SEYMOUR,
NEW ORLEANS, July 1, 1865.

**PAPER, STATIONERY
FANCY GOODS.**

Warehouse, Nos. 96 and 98 Common St.

WE are now receiving by almost every arrival a large stock of

PRINTING, WRITING AND WRAPPING PAPER,
PAPER BAGS, WRAPPING PAPER,
BLANK BOOKS,
STATIONERY of all kinds,
And FANCY GOODS.

Received per steamer Evening Star and ship Freedom

44 cases CAP and LETTER PAPER.
40 cases COTTON SAMPLING PAPER.
10 cases SCHOOL SLATES.
200 dozen WEBSTER'S SPELLING BOOKS.
150,000 PAPER BAGS, all sizes, from 1/4 to 2 1/2 COMBS,
NEEDLES,
PINS,
TOOTH BRUSHES,
And a general assortment of
FANCY GOODS.

For sale at reduced prices.
STEVENS & SEYMOUR,
July18 96 and 98 Common street.

Mississippi Hotel,
120.....CHARTRES STREET.....120
Corner of St. Louis,
NEW ORLEANS, LA.

MR. AUBERT, whose furnished rooms, Chartres street, between St. Louis and Toulouse, were so well known, has just opened the Mississippi Hotel, No. 120 Chartres street, corner of St. Louis.

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GENERAL NEWS.

Last week Antoine Collins, aged about 80 years, committed suicide by jumping from a third story of the United States Hotel, New York. Deceased was formerly proprietor of a large hotel at Pensacola, Fla., and during the war lost his property. He had recently been subject to fits of temporary derangement.

The Young Men's Society of Detroit, offered Rev. Henry Ward Beecher \$3,000 for a course of six lectures, he to select his own time. The offer unprecedentedly large as it was, was declined by Henry Ward Beecher, with thanks for its liberality.

A St. Petersburg letter states that the Senate voting as a court of law, has just held its first public session. This is the commencement of the judicial reform not long since decreed by the Russian Government.

Ten thousand negroes are to be tried by court martial, and will doubtless be executed, it is said for engaging in the Jamaica rebellion.

Fifty thousand people have been added to the population of Milan since that city became a part of the dominions of King Victor Emmanuel.

A man in Providence, R. I., recently deposited in an unused stove \$1,000 for safe keeping. A cold snap coming on while he was out of town, his housekeeper built a fire in the stove, and the hard earnings of years were in a moment reduced to ashes.

The site of the new hotel in Louisville is 210 feet by 180 feet in extent and work has been commenced for the foundations. The amount of money subscribed to build it is six hundred thousand dollars.

The Memphis Appeal states that there are no less than nine hundred new buildings erected in that city at present.

For sending the word "keep" instead of "stop" in a telegraph dispatch a telegraph company has been ordered by a decree of court to pay over \$1,000 in damages.

Lord Russell has a complimentary letter to the Governor General of Cuba for his exertions in putting down the slave trade.

It costs fifteen dollars and a half to transport a barrel of flour, worth only twelve, from Savannah to Milledgeville.

Artemus Ward is in luck, a rich uncle having died in England, bequeathing the fortunate Brown forty thousand pounds sterling.

A man in Warren county, Ohio, recently paid \$4,500, for 200 hogs, and in two weeks 78 of them died of hog cholera.

BOSTON MOVEMENT TO ENCOURAGE COTTON CULTURE.—A Boston dispatch, of Nov. 28, reports:

The Boston Board of Trade has adopted a series of resolutions looking to increased cotton raising in the Southern States, in which the Government is requested, within the sphere of its legitimate power, to aid forthwith in sustaining and organizing such portion of the laboring classes now in the Southern States as cannot be reached by private capital, not only on the ground of a considerate humanity, but also to secure their labor to themselves and the country.

SEA ISLAND COTTON.—A correspondent of the Philadelphia Ledger, writing from Washington, says:

The latest reports from the Sea Islands of South Carolina and Georgia, which were given in charge of the freedmen by Gen. Sherman, is, that they are nearly barren of products, and hence we need look for none of the valuable cotton of those islands, until, say a year from the present date.

The ravages of the worm which stripped the leaves of cotton plants in Arkansas has turned out a blessing instead of a curse, as it seems to have caused a more mature yield to the bolls, and the cotton can be gathered in a cleaner condition than if the dead leaves were present to mix with it. The same is reported of the cotton crop in Southern Illinois. The product from the quantity planted will be unprecedented.