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PROFESSIONAL CARDS.
GEORGE H. WELLS, Attorney at Law, Lake Charles, Calcasieu Parish, La., practices in Calcasieu, St. Landry, Lafayette and Cameron Parishes, La. feb15/80.

F. A. GALLAUGHER, Attorney at Law, Lake Charles, La., will practice in this and adjoining parishes, and before the Supreme Court, at Opelousas. mch13.

GABRIEL A. FOURNET, Attorney at Law, Lake Charles, La., office formerly occupied by Louis Levoque, on Court House Square. nov 8, 79.-1y.

FERREL PERRODIN, Attorney at Law, practices in the Parishes of St. Landry and Calcasieu. Office at Opelousas, La.

A. J. KEARNEY, Attorney at Law, Leesburg, Cameron Parish, La., practices in the District Courts of Cameron, Calcasieu and Vernon parishes. april 13, 76.

DENTISTRY.
DR. C. D. CRAIG, late of Galveston, has become a resident of Lake Charles, La. Office and residence on Ryan street, adjoining residence of Dr. E. J. Lyons, will practice at the residence of his patrons when so desired. [Feb. 21, 1880.-4f.]

E. J. LYONS, Physician and Surgeon.
LOCATED in Lake Charles, offers his professional services to the public. Patients paying cash for services will find my charges very moderate. April 19, 1879.-4f.

A. C. Poulet, LAKE CHARLES, LA.
On Ryan Street, between Kaufman & Bloch's store and Munday & Landry's new drug store.

MANUFACTURER and Dealer in Leather Goods, Shoes, Saddles, Harness, Saddlery, Saddlery Hardware, Shoe Findings, etc. Custom Work, to order, and all orders filled promptly. Repairing done with neatness and dispatch. Call and examine goods, work, and prices. [Dec. 27, 1879.]

Bernard Kowatz, Carpenter and Builder, LAKE CHARLES, LA.

Will give special attention to any business entrusted to my care, such as House Building, Cistern Making, Wharf Building, Pile Driving, and any other kind of work that may be required to be done. Orders left at my residence on the Lake. Jan. 28.-4f.

Boot and Shoe Shop.
ANTON OST, Boot and Shoe maker, has opened a shop in Lake Charles, on the south side of the court house square, near the Richard House. Boots and Shoes made to order, and repaired. Orders executed promptly and satisfactorily. Give me a call. March 30, 1880.-4f.

HENRY IAGELKE, SADDLE AND HARNESS MAKER AND Carriage trimmer. All kinds of repairing done. Shop on Ryan street, between the residence of Peter Brotherson and Herman S. Jensen's store and bakery. Aug. 23, 1878.-March 6, 1880.

SALOON
—AND—
RESTAURANT.

THE undersigned has opened at Lake Charles, La., a **LIQUOR SALOON AND RESTAURANT** on the lake bank, at the northwest corner of the Court House square. The **Saloon** will be constantly supplied with the highest Wines, Ale, Cordials, Claret, etc.

The **Restaurant** in a separate apartment, will furnish meals to customers, at reasonable prices.

French Oysters, Game, Fish, Meats and Vegetables in their season. O. S. LYONS. Dec. 30, 1879.-1y.

GALVESTON ADVERTISEMENTS.
J. D. SKINNER. H. C. STONE.
Skinner & Stone, Cotton Factors AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS, Nos. 74 & 76 Strand, Galveston, Texas.

Liberal Cash Advances made on Consignments. Orders for Bagging and Ties filled at Lowest Rates. Oct 21, 77-Aug 23, 79

J. B. ROGERS, WHOLESALE DEALER IN Foreign & Domestic FRUITS. Office and Warehouse, AT THE ELEVATOR, Avenue A, between 22d and 23d Sts., GALVESTON, TEXAS. Aug 9, 1879.-1y.

Leon & H. Blum, IMPORTERS AND WHOLESALE DEALERS IN STAPLE AND FANCY DRY GOODS. Hats, Boots and Shoes. Notions, Etc. Strand Street, GALVESTON, TEXAS. Dec. 21, 1878.

PAINTS, OILS AND GLASS, VARNISHES AND ARTISTS' COLORS, Pure Paris Green, THE BEST Cotton Worm Destroyer, FOR SALE BY **Rice & Baulard,** 77 Tremont St., Galveston. Dec 28-1y

M. LASKER J. DAVIS. **LeGIERSE & Co.,** Wholesale Grocers, AND IMPORTERS OF LIQUORS and CIGARS, STRAND, Galveston, Texas. nov 7 '74-1y

E. S. Wood & Son, Nos. 123, 121, 124, Strand, GALVESTON, HARDWARE! HARDWARE! DEALERS IN

Guns, Cutlery, Iron Castings, Axes, Nails, Belting, Tinware, Wood-ware, &c., &c. Plows, Plow Points, Saddlery, &c., &c. We will be pleased to have a trial order, which will have prompt attention. Dec. 28, 1878.

Half, Weis & Co., 101 & 103 Strand, Corner Tremont Street, GALVESTON, TEXAS. MANUFACTURERS AND JOBBERS OF

CLOTHING and WHOLESALE DEALERS IN Gents' Furnishing Goods. TRUNKS, VALISES, HATS, CAPS, RUBBER GOODS, ETC. Dec. 21, 1878.

HEIDENHEIMER BROS., Wholesale Grocers & Importers. DEALERS IN

Liquors, Cigars and TOBACCO. GALVESTON, TEXAS. March 8, 1877

E. P. Clegg & Co., Nos. 55 and 57 Strand, GALVESTON, TEXAS. IMPORTERS and Wholesale dealers in Heavy and Shell Hardware, Guns, Cutlery, Iron, Steel, Nails, Hollow ware, Stoves, Tin ware, Wooden ware, Saddlery, Railroad and Mill supplies, Blacksmiths' and Carpenters' Tools, etc.

Sole Agents for the celebrated "Texas Beauty" Cook Stoves. April 24, 1880.

GALVESTON ADVERTISEMENTS.
J. S. BROWN & CO., HARDWARE MERCHANTS, Nos. 110, 112, 114 & 116 Strand, GALVESTON, TEXAS.

WHOLESALE dealers in heavy and shell Hardware, Cutlery, Guns, Iron and Steel, Nails, Castings, Tin-ware, Wooden-ware, Saddlery, Millburn Wagons, Fairbanks' and Howe's Scales, Henry Dieston & Son's Saws and Files, Urlic, Malta and Kelly, Plows, Boston Belting, etc.

REPRESENTED BY **Sam Watson.** October 18, 1879.-4f.

I. BERNSTEIN & CO., MANUFACTURERS AND WHOLESALE DEALERS IN CLOTHING AND FURNISHING GOODS. Corner Strand & Tremont Sts., GALVESTON, TEXAS. Manufacture, 39 Worth Street, New York. Represented by M. B. BERNSTEIN. Sep 27, 79.-4f.

Lange, Lewy & Co., Wholesale Grocers AND IMPORTERS AND DEALERS IN LIQUORS, WINES, TOBACCO, CIGARS, ETC. Corner Strand and Tremont Streets, Galveston. J. W. HANKS, Agent, jan 31-1y

S. JACOBS, J. BERNHEIM, N. REDLICH. **S. JACOBS, BERNHEIM & CO.,** Wholesale Clothiers, 25, 27 and 29 Strand, GALVESTON, TEXAS. 309 and 311 Canal Street, NEW YORK. Dec. 21, 1878.

A.C. CRAWFORD & SONS. IMPORTERS OF CROCKERY, CHINA & GLASS WARE, GALVESTON, TEXAS. Dec 28-1y

B. R. Davis & Bro., DEALERS IN FURNITURE AND HOUSE FURNISHING GOODS. Carpets, Oil Cloths & Mattings, 66 Strand, Galveston, Texas. Dec 28-1y

M. MARX H. KEMPNER. **Marx & Kempner,** WHOLESALE GROCERS, Strand, Galveston, Texas. March 15, 1879.-1y.

GREENLEAF, BLOCK & CO WHOLESALE DEALERS IN DRY GOODS, BOOTS AND SHOES, NOTIONS, HATS, &c. 126, 128 & 130, Strand Street, Galveston, Texas. March 29, 1879.-4m.

G. SEELIGSON & CO. Grocers, Confectioners, AND IMPORTERS OF Liquors, Wines & Cigars, COR. MECHANIC & 23d STS., Galveston, Texas. June 12, 1880.-1y.

To Your Interest. HAVING the agency for this place for all vehicles manufactured by the well known Robinson Wagon Co. of Cincinnati, I am prepared to deliver the trade, on short notice, any variety of two-horse Farm Wagons, one and two-horse Business, General Utility, Spring and Platform Wagons, top and no top Buggies, Phaetons, etc., at factory prices, with freight added. Also a full line of the Genuine Singer Sewing Machines, at surprisingly low figures, for cash. Call on me and examine Illustrations, Patterns, Prices, etc. JNO. H. POE, Bard 4, La. Nov. 22, 1879-3m.

J. W. BRYAN. A. H. MOSS.
J. W. BRYAN & CO., desire to inform the readers of the Lake Charles Echo, and all the rest of mankind, that they do not intend to be excelled by any other house in quality or variety of merchandise, or in low prices. Among many other articles, too numerous to mention, we have full line of

DRY GOODS, Bleached and brown Cottons, Drillings, Canton Flannels, Linseys, Cotton Plaid, Checks, Flannels, Jeans, Hickory, Tickings, and the largest stock in Calcasieu.

CALICOS. We have had some patterns in Shawls, knit and woven, Cloaks, Kid, Ladies' and Children's knit Sacques, Hoodies, etc.

We have Ladies' and Gent's Gloves, a superior assortment on hand and to arrive: Ladies', Misses', Men's, Boys' and Infant's Hosiery, Spool Thread, Bale Thread, Knitting Cotton and Cotton Batting.

We have an elegant line of **PERFUMERY,** Hair Oil, Dressing, Fine, Thick and Children's Combs, Tooth, Hair, Palm, Horse, Shoe, Sand, White-wash, and all other kinds of Brushes: a great variety of Toilet and Laundry Soaps, Knitting, Crochet, Sewing and Sewing Machine Needles, Pins, Hair Pins, Shawl Pins, Ladies' Silk and Lace Ties, Handkerchiefs, from 2c to 50c each, Yelling Lace, Ribbons, Millings and all other kinds of Lin, geries, Corsets, Corset strings and steel (a large lot to arrive) Balloons, Ladies' Vests, wooden and cotton, Mirrors, Clocks, Watch Chains, Pistols, Pocket knives, Razors and a full line of

TABLE CUTLERY, Men's, Boy's, Ladies and Misses',

HATS, Boors, from 25 to 50, Men's Shoes, from 25 to 35, Ladies' Shoes, from 75c to \$2. Umbrellas,

FURNITURE, Bedsteads, Tables, Chairs,

Trunks and Valises, Carpet Sacks, Market Baskets, Covered Baskets,

SADDLERY, Saddles, Bridles, Saddle Blankets, and Ladies' Saddles.

Ready Made Clothing, For Men and Boys, Overcoats, Over Shirts, Under Shirts, White and Colored Shirts, Drawers, Cravats, Neckties, Collars, etc., etc.

HARDWARE. Our **GROCERY** Department is being constantly replenished with choice FAMILY GROCERIES.

Our stock of **CROCKERY,** Glassware, Lamps, etc., expected daily, will be immense.

We have Tubs, Duckets, open and covered, wooden, tin, etc.

Our line of **School Books** and STATIONERY, embraces about all required in this market.

Call and see us before purchasing elsewhere.

J. W. BRYAN & CO.

WILLIMANTIC STILL AHEAD! Highest award Paris Exhibition, 1878. Five awards Cincinnati Industrial Exhibition 1879.

Book Thread for Sewing Machines. Ask your merchant for it. May 1, 1880.-3m.

Land Agency. THE undersigned have this day formed a partnership for the purpose of transacting a general land business. Lands entered in the State and United States Land Offices, and Homesteads proven up, upon reasonable terms. J. B. KIRKMAN, JOHN G. GRAY. Lake Charles, La., Jan. 24, 1880.-1f.

A Mathematical Problem. [Youth's Companion.]

"A prudent man," says Solomon, "foreseeth the evil and hideth himself; but the simple pass on and are punished." The proverb was illustrated to us by an incident in the life of the first Governor of California, Peter H. Burnett. When a young man he kept a country store in Tennessee. Among other "supplies" he purchased three barrels of old Monongahela whiskey. It took him about three months to retail it out, during which time he was in the habit of taking a drink in the morning, and occasionally during the day.

When the three barrels were empty, the young man found to his surprise that he had acquired a taste for whiskey. The fact prompted him to serious reflection. His thoughts put themselves into the form of a mathematical problem.

"If in three months," he said to himself, "I have acquired so much love for whiskey how much will I acquire in three years?"

The probable result alarmed him, and he determined that he would from that day become a total abstainer. "As I do everything with all my might," he wrote, after the lapse of fifty years, "I became satisfied that if I indulged at all, I would be very apt to do some very tall drinking. Had I not been a married man, and happy as such, I might have fallen into this fatal habit.

Applying the mathematics which saved him from drinking, the ex-governor suggests a problem worth the consideration of young men.

If a hundred young men at the age of twenty-one abstain from drinking, there will not be a drunkard among them. If, on the contrary, a hundred are, at that age, moderate drinkers, ten of them will become sot.

"As no man," concludes the governor, "can tell in advance whether he will fall or not, he incurs a risk of ten per cent. in drinking at all."

A prudent merchant would not embark in an enterprise where the chances are ten per cent. against success. He knows the principle if not the words which led the Hebrew moralist to write: "A wise man feareth and departeth from evil; but the fool rageth and is confident."

Live Cattle Weighed by Measure. The only instrument necessary for a measure with feet and inch marks upon it. The girth is the circumference of the animal just behind the shoulder blades. The length is the distance from the shoulder blades, multiplying the girth and length. The following table contains the rule to ascertain the weight of the animal:

If less than one foot in girth, multiply superficial feet by eight.

If less than three or more than one, multiply superficial feet by eleven.

If less than five and more than three, multiply superficial feet by sixteen.

If less than seven and more than five, multiply superficial feet by twenty-five.

If less than nine and more than seven, multiply superficial feet by thirty-three.

If less than eleven and more than nine, multiply superficial feet by forty-two.

Example: Suppose the girth of a bullock to be six feet three inches; length five feet six inches; the superficial area will then be thirty-four; and in accordance with the preceding table the weight will be seven hundred and eighty-two pounds.

Example: Suppose a pig to measure in girth two feet, and length one foot and nine inches. There would then be three and a half feet, which, multiplied by eleven, gives thirty-eight and a half pounds; as the weight of the animal when dressed. In this way, the weight of the four quarters can be substantially ascertained during life.

"How came these holes in your elbows?" said the Widow Smith to the irrepressible small boy. "Oh, mother, I hid behind the sofa when little Jack Horner was saying to our Jule that he'd take her even if you had to be thrown in; and he didn't know I was there, and so I held in and laughed in my sleeves till I bust 'em."

The only merchants who are guilty of talking "shop" in company are those who never advertise. They are obliged to speak of their business or the world would never know they had any visible means of support.

A fireman's toast was recently given started in New York. It is calculated to ruin the reputation of any husband who goes home late at night and tries to tell where he has been.

Saving in Wealth. [Scientific American.]

There is nothing new in this, but it is a subject fraught with so much importance to the young who would succeed in life, that it is well to refresh their memories by often repeating the axiom.

Moreover, as the American Pottery and Glassware Journal says, waste and extravagance have been the bane of our times. Owing to these multitudes have become bankrupt, and because of them many are to-day unable to make any headway in the world. In the face of all the lessons of the past and of all the warnings of the present, there is a strong disposition to spend money recklessly in dress, equipages, entertainments, and innumerable needless ways. Stripling boys and young misses think nothing of devoting more every month to dress than clothed their fathers and mothers for a year; and yet they appear to no better advantage in society and are no more respected than were these same parents in their youthful days. Every cent they can make for themselves or wring from parents or friends is disposed of without any thought of the bad habits they are cultivating, of the demands of sickness and old age, or of the possible crimes to which they may expose themselves in the hour of temptation to meet the results of their outlays.

The great difference between those who save and those who do not in the struggle of life, consists not so much in early advantages or superior ability, other things being equal, as in the power to resist wasteful expenditure and sinful indulgences and to save something.

One evening lately, Hon. Wm. E. Dodge, of New York, delivered an address embodying his recollections of New York for the last sixty years. Near the close he uttered these words, which should be carefully weighed by every young man and woman:

"In conclusion, permit me to say that, as I think of my early business life, I am impressed with the fact that those young men who were then known as industrious, high-minded youths, conscientious in the discharge of their duties, were those who succeeded in business on their own account; while many who had better opportunities failed, because they would indulge in pleasures which not only impaired confidence, but wasted what might have aided them in commencing for themselves. All young men should aim to save something each year, even at the expense of a limited wardrobe and many little things which they think necessities. If there were none but young men here, I would say that from the first year when I entered a store, with a salary of fifty dollars, to my last year—when as a salesman I received for those days very large pay—I never failed to save a portion; and when I started in business that sum and my experience were all my capital."

Writing by Machinery. [N. Y. Correspondent N. O. Times.]

A new type-writer has been completed, and is now in course of manufacture, which seems destined to sweep all others from the market, and to extend the use of this method of writing very largely. The new machine contains many improvements, and occupies much less space than the old one; will do as much and as good work, and is portable, weighing with its case, only ten pounds, as against thirty pounds, the weight of the old type-writer without any case, while its cost will be less than half. These machines are an important factor in the revolution which is taking place in the method of copying and reproducing written matter, and the day seems not far distant when the greater part of all writing, save and except writing into books, will be done by machinery. The speed is nester, better and more compact, and from one to fifteen copies can be made at the same writing by the use of tissue and carbon papers. Competency in the use of the type-writer can be attained in from one to three months. The price will eventually be brought down to \$20 or \$30, and there is every prospect of these triumphs of American ingenuity becoming as common as sewing machines are now. Their use in New York, even with high prices, is rapidly extending, and one great concern here has no less than 250 in operation here and elsewhere.

An Ithycophagous Club has been started in New York. It is calculated to ruin the reputation of any husband who goes home late at night and tries to tell where he has been.