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For Sale.

A VERY desirable place only about two and a-half miles from the town of Lafayette, on the road to Breaux Bridge, known as the Campbell plantation; there is a very fine, commodious residence, kitchen, corn house, stables and other outbuildings. There is a fine orchard and garden, besides a number of valuable pecan trees. There are fifty acres of tillable land and twelve acres of woodland. Price \$3500.00; one-half cash; the balance on very reasonable terms. Apply to Mrs. J. M. MARTIN, On Place, Sept. 12, '91.

Notice.

The Taxpayers of the Corporation of the Town of Lafayette are hereby notified that the Taxes assessed for the year 1891 are set forth on the Tax rolls on file in my office. The same are now due and should be paid without delay. Office hours at the City Hall from 9 to 12 o'clock m., and from 2 to 4 o'clock p. m., every day, except Sunday. A. MICAUD, Constable and Tax Collector. Oct. 24, 1891.

S. LOCKE BREAUX,
REPRESENTING

CHAS. HERNANDEZ,
COTTON FACTOR

—AND—
COMMISSION MERCHANT.

No. 199 GRAVIER ST.,
—NEW ORLEANS, LA.—
Solicits consignments of Cotton and Rice. Liberal advances made.

Convent of Mt. Carmel.

LAFAYETTE, LA. ESTABLISHED, 1846
Location healthy and pleasant, only a few squares from the New Orleans & Texas R. R., affording great facilities to parents wishing to send their children. The system of education includes the French and English languages. Graduating medals conferred on those who complete the prescribed course of studies. For terms apply to the SUPERIOR.

Tulane University OF LOUISIANA.

Tulane University embraces College, High School, H. Sophie Newcomb Memorial College for Young Women, Law and Medical Departments. The College has four parallel courses: Classical, Literary, Scientific, and Engineering. There is also a special course of Electrical Engineering. Next Annual Session of the Academic Departments including the H. Sophie Newcomb College, begins October 1st. Law Department opens November 16th. Medical Department, October 19th. For special or general catalogues, apply to the Secretary of the University, Tulane Hall. WM. PRESTON JOHNSON, President. July 25, 1891.

J. P. BUHLER, SHOE STORE.

Corner Vermilion and Adam Streets,
Lafayette, La.,
Has now on hand a large and select stock of Ladies', Gentlemen's and Children's Shoes, of all kinds and at all prices. He invites the public to call at his establishment and see his goods. (Sept. 29, 1891.)

FOR SALE.

Property in Rayne, La., for rent or for sale, consisting of one dwelling house, kitchen and three lots of ground, all in good condition, situated near the Rayne Rice Mills. Also, four other vacant lots in Block No. 7. For terms apply to MERRIN KAHN, Rayne, La. Sept. 26, '91.

LOST.

A NOTE of three hundred dollars (\$300) drawn by John Nickerson, dated 20th of February, 1891, payable Feb. 1st, 1892, bearing interest at the rate of 8 per cent per annum, and made payable to M. T. Mudd, wife of Dr. F. S. Mudd. All persons who are warned not to negotiate for said note. F. S. MUDD. Sept. 1891.

C. A. SOLOMON, COLLECTOR.

Will promptly attend to the collection of all accounts entrusted to him in the town of Lafayette. Sept. 25, '91.

FRED. MOUTON,

Carpenter and Contractor,
House Building a specialty.
Will deliver houses complete when desired. P. O. Box 92, Lafayette, La.

For Sale

A FINE lot of choice milch cows for sale, by the undersigned at Montgomery's plantation. RICHARD MONTGOMERY. June 8, 1891.

It seems to me to be a campaign liar for libel. It looks like discouraging enterprise. (Columbus Post.)
The best Whiskey now in market in Paducah, Ky., for sale at John W. Mouton's.

ADVICE TO WOMEN

If you would protect yourself from Painful, Profuse, Scanty, Suppressed or Irregular Menstruation you must use

BRADFIELD'S FEMALE REGULATOR

CLEVELAND, April 23, 1890.
This will certify that two members of my immediate family, after having suffered for years from Menstrual Irregularity, being treated without benefit by Physicians, were at length completely cured by one bottle of Bradfield's Female Regulator. Its effects are truly wonderful. J. W. STRAUB, Book by WOMAN mailed FREE, which contains valuable information on all female diseases. BRADFIELD REGULATOR CO., ATLANTA, GA. FOR SALE BY ALL DRUGGISTS.

Public Sale.

Succession of Alcine Broussard, deceased. No. 1932.

NOTICE is hereby given that by virtue of an order issued out of the Hon. the 25th Judicial District Court of the State of Louisiana, holding sessions in and for the parish of Lafayette, dated the 8th day of October, 1891. By virtue also out of a commission issued out of said Court, based upon said order and directed to me, the undersigned Sheriff I will sell at Public Auction to the highest bidder, Saturday, the 14th day of November, 1891, between legal sale hours, at the Court House in the town of Lafayette, the following described property, belonging to said succession, to-wit:

One certain tract of land in Iberia parish, at a place called Fausse Pointe, in the 4th Ward, containing (37 50-100) Thirty-seven 50-100 arpents, more or less, and bounded north by Ed. Broussard, on the south by Henry Fillet, on the east by E. Landry and west by J. Jones. One old house. TERMS—Cash. I. A. BROUSSARD, Sheriff. Oct. 10, 1891.

Public Sale.

Property of Antoinette Greig, minor issue of the marriage of Melissa Moss, deceased, and Sidney Greig.

NOTICE is hereby given that by virtue of an order issued out of the Hon. the 25th Judicial District Court of the State of Louisiana, holding sessions in and for the parish of Lafayette, dated the 7th day of October, 1891. By virtue also out of a commission issued out of said Court, based upon said order and directed to me, the undersigned Sheriff I will sell at Public Auction, to the highest bidder, on Saturday the 14th day of November, 1891, between legal sale hours, at the Court House in the town of Lafayette, the following described property, to-wit:

One certain tract of land situated on Cote Gelee in this parish, containing fifty acres, being the southern portion of the east third of the north half of section five in township eleven, South of Range five East, and bounded north by Sidney Greig or assigns, south by P. B. Roy and Edmond Comeau, east by A. Mouchet and west by Harry Greig or assigns.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS: One-third of the price of adjudication cash on the day of sale, and the balance in one and two years from date thereof, in equal annual installments and with eight per cent interest from date of sale, with special mortgage and vendor's privilege reserved to secure the payment of the credit portion of the purchase price and the purchaser or purchasers to furnish their promissory notes with mortgage for the credit portion of the purchase, and made payable to Sidney Greig, natural tutor of said minor. I. A. BROUSSARD, Sheriff. Oct. 10, 1891.

CALL EARLY

—AT—
L. LEVY & SONS,

THE NEW YORK EMPORIUM and see their large and varied assortment of Men's, Youths' and Children's Clothing, Hats, Boots and Shoes.

An immense stock of Dry Goods, Notions, and Gents' Furnishing Goods not to be equalled. Sole agents for the celebrated Saller, Lewin & Co's Philadelphia Men's and Ladies' fine Shoes, and also for the Stribley and the Sachs Shoe Manufacturing Co., of Cincinnati, for Ladies' fine shoes, of which they have a complete assortment. Every pair of S. L. & Co's Men's Kangaroo \$5.00 shoes warranted. We have received two carloads of Furniture, and a big stock of Stoves and Crockery, which we will offer at prices never heard of before. In fact, we have made very heavy purchases at very low figures, and we can and will readily undersell any and all competitors. "We don't go East for nothing!" Aug. 22, 1891.

She: He was desperately in love with her. Why? He sent her costly flowers and presents nearly every day for two years. He: Did he finally win her? She: No. He earned her. [Epoch.]

MR. F. GOUAUX, Houma, La. I hereby declare that the Anti-Asthmatic Remedies prepared by you have had a marvellous effect on the health of my son. After having in vain tried several remedies during two years, I have by the kindness of a friend (Mr. Monleous) procured your Remedies, and after one single trial, my son has been entirely cured. With all my gratefulness, I remain, Yours very truly, EDGAR BARBOUSE, General Merchandise Store, Plaquemine Bridge, P. O. Acadia, La.

Call for Patuxah Club Whiskey for sale at John O. Mouton's.

WOMAN IN THE SOUTH.

"But," says one, "all this is changed; the stately homes are destroyed or outside the reach of the original owners; there are no slaves to direct and teach; the mistress, in the acceptance of the old regime, is a thing of the dead past. What is woman in the South to-day?"

As in St. Paul's Cathedral, London, on the monument of Christopher Wren so we can say of the work of the southern women: "Look around." As nothing surpassed her courage, her fortitude, her untiring patience and energy, her persistent effort during the war, so the still greater demand for such virtues after the battle was over found her as ready and responsive as before. Whenever woman can labor without losing the dignity of womanhood the women of the South go. In the home, in the schoolroom, at the ledger and the desk, with the needle, the pen and pencil, the brush, in music, in useful and decorative art and in all the handicrafts where deftness and delicacy supersede physical strength, she is at work; in short, whatever her hands and head find to do she is doing willingly and unconplainingly. Out from the stately homes of wealth and luxury, out from the genial fireside of comfort and thrift, from the ranks of life and degrees of fortune, from the stone mansions of Virginia to the graceful and picturesque villas of Alabama, canebreaks and the Mississippi Valley, she has gone at the call of duty into the rank and file of working-women, clad in the invulnerable armor of patient endurance and womanly dignity. And for this she is entitled to sympathy and honor. — Zitella Cook, in *Continental Illustrated Magazine*.

A National Event.

The holding of the World's Fair in a city scarcely fifty years old will be a remarkable event, but whether it will really benefit this nation as much as the discovery of the Restorative Nervine by Dr. Franklin Miles is doubtful. This is just what the American people need to cure their excessive nervousness, dyspepsia, headache, dizziness, sleeplessness, neuralgia, nervous debility, dullness, confusion of mind, etc. It acts like a charm. Trial bottles and fine book on "Nervous and Heart Diseases," with unequalled testimonials, free at Wm. Clegg's drug store. It is warranted to contain no opium, morphine, or any dangerous drugs.

"THE BLUE HEN'S CHICKENS."

Everybody knows that natives of Delaware are called the "Blue Hen's Chickens," but not one in a hundred can tell why they are so called. The epithet is said to have had its origin in the following:

One of Delaware's most gallant fighters in the War of the Revolution was a captain Caldwell, who was notorious for his fondness for cock-fighting. He drilled his men admirably, they being known throughout the army as "Caldwell's gamecocks." This same Caldwell held to the peculiar theory that no cock was really game unless its mother was a blue hen. As the months wore away Caldwell's men became known as the "Blue Hen's Chickens," a title which only increased their respect for the old game-cock captain. The nickname became famous, and after the close of the war was applied indiscriminately to all natives of the "Diamond State."

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

THE BEST SALVE in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, of no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Wm. Clegg.

New York Times: Housekeepers who have been buying the English jams under the comfortable belief that they were pure and choice, will find their idols rudely shattered in some recent allegations made in the English press. A chance discovery has betrayed the uncontradicted doctory that the refused from the wine presses, the squeezed out currants, raspberries, cherries and other fruits, were sold to jam manufacturers to color and flavor their products. Turnips or any vegetable pulp develops under such judicious treatment into current, raspberry or strawberry-jam. A further allegation, however, renders these rosy jams evolved from harmless, if undesirable, turnips, quite to be coveted by the side of orange marmalade. This compound, it is asserted, is more often made from rotten oranges than from the fresh and more expensive fruit. All of which goes to show that the Yankee ingenuity, which is credited with producing the wooden nutmeg, is quite likely to have been only inherited ability, after all.

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GIANTS OF OLDEN TIMES.

In one of his recent lectures Prof. J. A. Williams alludes to the discovery of an enormous lizard 80 feet in length. The Professor infers (as no living specimen of that magnitude has been found) that the species which it represents has become degenerated. The verity of his position he endeavors to enforce by an allusion to the well-known existence of human giants in olden times. The following is the list upon which this singular hypothesis is based:

A giant exhibited in Rouen in 1830 Prof. William says, measured nearly 18 feet in height.

Gorapius once saw a girl of 12 years who was 10 feet high.

The giant Galabra, brought from Arabia to Rome during the reign of Claudius Cesar, was 10 feet high.

Fannum, who lived in the time of Eugene II., measured 11 feet 6 inches in height.

Chevalier Scrog, while exploring a cavern in the Peak of Teneriffe, found a skull which must have belonged to a man at least 15 feet high. It contained sixty perfect teeth of monstrous size.

The giant Ferregus, slain by Orlando, the nephew of Charlemagne, was 28 feet high and so heavy that no horse could be found that was strong enough to bear him.

In 1874 the tomb of a giant was opened at St. Germain who must have been at least 30 feet high in life.

As late as 1850 a human skeleton 19 feet long was discovered at Rouen, France. The skull, which was perfect with the exception of the under jaw, held a bushel of wheat.

In 1824, near the castle of Dauphine, a monstrous tomb was discovered. It was 30 feet long, 16 wide and 8 high. The inscription, "Kintolochus Rex," was cut in hard gray stone. The skeleton was found entire, 15 1/2 feet long, 10 feet across the shoulders and 5 feet from the breast-bone to the back.

The vicinity of Palermo, Italy, has yielded three remarkable human skeletons, one in 1410, one in 1516 and 1550. The first was 21, the second 30 and third 34 feet in height.

In 1815 a skeleton was dug up near Mazzino, Sicily, the skull of which was as large as a common wine cask. Each of the teeth weighed seven ounces.

GOUAUX'S Anti-Asthmatic Powder. GOUAUX'S Anti-Asthmatic Mixture. The mixture will relieve almost any cough by taking a few doses according to directions.

GOUAUX'S CELEBRATED PILE OINTMENT. For the cure of Piles. Directions: Apply on the piles 2 or 3 times a day, when there is much inflammation cold baths twice a day are indicated, also keep the bowels open by a Sedlitz Powder twice a week. Price \$1.

GOUAUX'S Anti-Periodic and Tonic. For the sure cure of all malarial fevers, intermittent fever, or fever and ague, chill fever, remittent fever, and all the fevers arising from miasmatic sources.

GOUAUX'S French Ringworm Ointment and Solution.—(For the cure of ringworm and diseases of the skin.)

WANTED.—The names of all persons troubled with asthma or any cough. Samples and book will be mailed free. F. GOUAUX, Houma, La.

These remedies are guaranteed to cure the diseases for which they are recommended for and nothing else; in case of non-success money will be refunded. Kept by GERAC BROTHERS, Lafayette, La.

A NEW SEA.

It is said that a new sea is to appear on the maps henceforth, or rather a new name for a part of the old sea. The Australian Association for the advancement of Science, while considering the geographical formation of that portion of the ocean lying west of Australia and Tasmania, and bounded on the other sides by New Zealand and the western islands of the Polynesian groups, proposed to name the Tasman sea, and the English admiralty has accepted the suggestion and ordered that the name appear on the admiralty charts.

Ready Mixed Paints, Wall Paper and Window Glass at the MOSS PHARMACY.

GOLD IN MISSOURI.

It is reported from Kansas City that while borings were making to find the position of the rocks under the Missouri river at that place, in order to make calculations for tunneling the river, gold was found in considerable quantities at a depth of 117 feet. The gold is situated in a bed of sand, and is found on both sides of the river. It is said that several tons of the sand will be taken out at once.

Miles' Nerve & Liver Pills.

Act on a new principle—regulating the liver, stomach, and bowels through the nerves. A new discovery. Dr. Miles' Pills speedily cure biliousness, bad taste, torpid liver, piles, constipation. Unequaled for men, women, and children. Smallest, mildest, surest! Samples free at Wm. Clegg's drug store.

A story illustrating the Rev. Frank M. Bristol's business shrewdness has just transpired, says the *Chicago News*. Some years ago while Mr. C. F. Gunther was going over a lot of old traps Mr. Bristol hove in sight and assisted in the work. One boxful of miscellaneous trumpery seemed to interest the clergyman.

"It is mere lumber," said Gunther, disdainfully. "I have looked it over and it is hardly worth keeping." "If you'll sell it cheap enough I'll buy it," suggested Bristol. "You can have it \$50," said Gunther.

"Well, I guess I'll take it along, then," said Bristol, and paying down the \$50 he lugged the old boxful of trumpery home. In less than four weeks thereafter Mr. Bristol sold back to Mr. Gunther \$40 worth of that old trumpery and still retained a large number of items, worth, as he estimated, several hundred dollars more. Gunther says that if Bristol were wrecked on a desert island he would soon swim home with a basketful of \$20 gold pieces on his back.

"The luck of other men isn't to be compared with Bristol's luck," says Gunther. "For example, we were walking in State street some years ago; the street was crowded. As we passed along, engaged in earnest conversation, I noticed just before us an ugly hole in the sidewalk caused by the breaking and misplacement of a flagstone. I skipped over the dangerous spot, but Mr. Bristol preoccupied in conversation, stumbled and fell plump into the ugly hole. Seeing him sprawled on the ground, I hastened to his assistance.

"Are you hurt?" "I fear I have barked my shins," said he. "How unlucky," cried I; "how unlucky that of the thousands of people passing this hole to-night, you should be the one to fall in it." "I cannot repine," said Bristol, scrambling to his feet, "for see what I have found!"

"It was an elegant gold watch and chain. How it came in that hole was never learned; the advertisements inserted by Bristol in the press were never answered by the original owner, the watch brought \$1,500 at public sale, for an inscription on the case indicated that it was at one time the property of George Washington!"

Happy Hoosiers.

Wm. Timmons, Postmaster at Idaville, Ind., writes: "Electric Bitters has done more for me than all other medicines combined, for that bad feeling arising from Kidney and Liver trouble." John Leslie, farmer and stockman, of same place, says: "Find Electric Bitters to be the best Kidney and Liver medicine, made me feel like a new man." J. W. Gardner, hard ware merchant, same town, says: "Electric Bitters is just the thing for a man who is all run down and don't care whether he lives or dies; he found new strength, good appetite and felt just like he had a new lease on life. Only 50c. a bottle, at Wm. Clegg's Drug Store."

Ex-Senator Ingalls tells this joke on himself: "Sarah Bernhardt's former leanness once made me the butt of comparison that even yet makes me smile when I think of it. One summer day about five years ago I was walking along the maid street of the sleepy old town of Norfolk in Virginia. In front of the leading hotel was standing a group of young fellows, evidently drummers. I noticed that as I drew near they suddenly ceased their conversation and became extremely respectful in their general bearing. Marveling much and perhaps a trifle at this change in their manner, I passed on. I had almost gotten out of ear range when I heard a sound of a man slapping his knee, and then this remark broke the stillness: "Well, I'll be horns-waggled if that isn't Sarah Bernhardt!"

Everything kept in a first class Drug Store can be had at the MOSS PHARMACY.

THE FOUNTAIN OF YOUTH.

Bimini was a fabulous island firmly believed in by the Indians of the Antilles, though they could give no further clew to its location than that it lay some hundreds of leagues north of Hispaniola. On this island was the famous Fountain of Youth which had the power of restoring youth and giving perpetual health and vigor. It was the search for this fountain that led Ponce de Leon and Hernando de Soto to Florida, on the outskirts of which the island was generally supposed to be situated.

A complete line of School Books Stationery and Slates at the MOSS PHARMACY.

"I was travelling by day one of the most prosperous Illinois recently," said a commercial tourist to a Chicago man, and "I met an odd person of an old, farmer determined to be pleased. The old man was standing against the barnyard gate, up. Seeing a well in the soil, he asked the tiller of the soil if he had a drink therefrom. He assented, and hitching my horse soon cooling my thirsty throat with cool, clear, pure water as I ever tasted. I complimented the old man on the water and a colloquy something like this followed:

"That's splendid water," said I. "Ye-es, but it's so darned hard the wimmen folk have to break it with an axe when they want to wash." "You have a fine, large farm here." "It's so gull-darned big that it takes all I can raise to pay the taxes." "I notice you have splendid crops this year." "Yes, the crops is putty good, but then everybody is got just as good crops and nobody won't get nothing for it."

"This is fine harvest weather," "Putty good harvest weather, but powerful bad on hay. Grass won't grow nowhile it stays dry like this." "You seem to have good health yourself." "Can't complain o' my health, but it keeps my appetite so powerful that I eat more'n a hired man." "Disgusted with a man who considered good health and a powerful appetite things to kick about I drove on. If that man dies and by chance gets into heaven he'll be kicking before he's been there half an hour, that his harp is out of tune and that his halo doesn't fit him."

Remede Four'PASTHME et la Toux.

Office de A. J. Hollander & Co., 134 Canal street, NEW ORLEANS, 13 novembre 1890. Mr. F. GOUAUX, —Permettez-moi de vous adresser ce témoignage et de vous exprimer combien j'apprécie votre remède pour l'Asthme, parce que certainement il a été pour moi d'un grand soulagement. J'avais vu trois ou quatre médecins de la ville, qui avaient déclaré ma maladie comme incurable, alors j'ai essayé votre remède et je suis heureux de le dire, ce remède est le seul qui m'ait soulagé. Avant de le prendre j'étais excessivement malade et ne pouvais dormir la nuit, maintenant je suis bien portant, permettez-moi de vous dire à vous et à tous ceux qui souffrent de l'Asthme que votre remède est le seul qui jusqu'à présent ait pu me guérir.

S. B. HOLLANDER, De la maison A. J. Hollander & Co. Echantillons et livre envoyés gratis sur demande. F. GOUAUX, Houma, La.

State Senator Vedder says the funniest experience possible is to have a man who doesn't know you tell you all about yourself.

Several years ago, when Senator Vedder first entered politics, says the *New York Recorder*, he was travelling from one small town to another, and the train being crowded he shared his seat with a man who was a stranger to him.

They fell into a political talk and Vedder's name was mentioned. The stranger, who was a prominent Democrat in the country and had never seen Vedder, did not hesitate to tell his chance acquaintance just what he thought of that individual.

Further than that, he declared that Vedder had no chance at all for the office of Assemblyman, for which he was running, and, to back his opinion stated the political situation clearly, and told just what wires the Democrats were pulling their own interests.

When they alighted at the station for which they were both bound, several men rushed up and said: "Hello, Vedder!" The stranger looked on in astonishment. Then he said: "Are you Commodore Vedders?" "Yes," replied Vedder. "Come and have a drink."

When the Democrat set down his emptied glass he held out his hand. "Shake!" he said. "You're a slick one. I'll vote for you this fall, blamed if I won't."

He kept his word, and Senator Vedder has no stancher supporter in his native county to-day than the Democrat who talked too much for his party's good.

BLEW UP THE GRAVEYARD.

Some time ago the Allegheny Cemetery Company, at Coropopolis, Pa., south of Pittsburg, began to bore a gas well in its cemetery, expecting to utilize the gas in its crematory. On Monday a terrible explosion took place in this well, and wrecked the cemetery worse than an earthquake would. Hundreds of bodies were buried from their graves to the upper air, and many costly monuments were shattered or overturned. N. O. Pigeon.