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## Business Directory

**W. G. VOORHIES,**  
Attorney-at-Law.  
NOTARY PUBLIC.  
LAFAYETTE, LOUISIANA.

**C. DEBAILLON,**  
Attorney-at-Law.  
Will practice in Lafayette, St. Mary and Vermilion parishes, and the Supreme and Federal Courts of Louisiana and New Orleans.  
LAFAYETTE, LOUISIANA.

**W. M. CAMPBELL,**  
Attorney-at-Law.  
NOTARY PUBLIC.  
LAFAYETTE, LOUISIANA.  
Will practice his profession in this and adjoining parishes.

**CHAS. D. CAFFERY,**  
Attorney-at-Law.  
NOTARY PUBLIC.  
LAFAYETTE, LA.  
Office on Madison, St. 1.

**DR. H. C. SALLES,**  
DENTIST.  
Office of Buchanan Street.

**DR. F. E. GIRARD**  
Resident Physician of the Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Hospital, of New Orleans, La.  
SPECIALIST in the treatment of Diseases of the Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat.  
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BY THE DAY, WEEK OR MONTH.  
First Class Accommodations. Moderate Rates.  
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TUNED AND REPAIRED.  
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HOUSE BUILDING A SPECIALTY.  
Will deliver houses complete when desired.

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Keg and Bottle Beer.  
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Hair Cutting,  
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**ALFRED A. BONNET,**  
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Manufactures to order.  
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Old Furniture renewed and repaired.  
Prices moderate.

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**Blacksmith**  
and Wheelright  
**SHOP**  
... NEAR BANK BUILDING G.  
All work left at the Shop promptly attended to and satisfaction guaranteed. We also repair all kinds of Arms.

**FRED MOUTON, Proprietor.**  
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Fine Watch Repairing a Specialty. Prices Moderate. Medal from the Fair Exposition 1878.  
All Work Guaranteed.

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**Piano Fortes and Organs,**  
MUSIC and MUSICAL MERCHANDISE.  
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Wholesale and Retail Warerooms,  
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New Orleans, La.

**ST. STANISLAUS COLLEGE.**  
BAY St. Louis, Miss.  
Situating 50 miles east of New Orleans on the L. & N. R. R., begins its 41st session Tuesday Sept. 3rd 1895. Located at one of the best health resorts of the Southwest and in the immediate vicinity of the Gulf coast, the sea-breezes and summer bathing make of the College a healthy and delightful home. The course of studies is four-fold: Preparatory, Commercial, Scientific and Classical. The methods of teaching are modern and efficient.  
From both the Paris and Chicago Expositions the College received awards of medals.  
For terms and particulars, address the President

**Our Pick-ups.**  
Gov. Foster has appointed Henry C. Miller, present associate justice of the supreme court of Louisiana, to succeed himself.

J. F. Smith, the originator of "Smith's Bile Beans," committed suicide on train near St. Louis on the 24th ult., by taking an overdose of morphine.

There is considerable talk of moving the State Capital back to New Orleans. The question will be brought up before the next session of the Legislature.

Women are fast coming to the front. A case was reported last week where a woman actually played successfully the part of a highway robber. She attacked a man on the street, overpowered him and robbed him of his money and watch.

The once famous Olympic Club, of New Orleans, under whose management the Corbet-Sullivan fight took place, is now a thing of the past as the building and other appurtenances were sold at auction to cover the outstanding debts. This club was thirteen years old on Sunday last.

There are numerous cases of small pox in Baton Rouge. It is said that the rapid spread of the disease was caused by hauling to the polls in a carriage on election day a small pox patient, after which several other persons were driven in the same carriage. The malady has also broken out in the deaf and dumb institute.

Buffalo, N. Y., has now a Pearl Bryan case. The head of a woman was found on the farm of John Hoag, near Orchard Park, late Saturday afternoon. Hoag had been drawing manure from the city, and while spreading it out discovered the head. It was wrapped in a Buffalo newspaper, and had a bullet hole in the occipital region.

Rice men are not happy over the present prices. They are having their crops milled and will make a desperate effort to market the cleaned goods by samples sent through the mails to dealers everywhere. They will save the retail merchant two profits, give him the goods at prime cost and enable him to retail it for less than he can buy it from any wholesale house, who must rely on New Orleans, Galveston or New York mills for their stock.—Ex.

**We can Spare**

The girl who pays more attention to her dress and walk than the good she can do.

The young man who spends more time in getting the part of his hair exactly in the middle than he does to elevate the moral tone of our town.

The street corner grumbler who never tries to do anything for his city, but spends his time in finding fault with those who do.

The married woman who is far more of a society leader than a wife and mother who has a mission to perform in aiding morals and religion.

The married man who devotes more time to policy than to elevating the tone and character of his city.

The citizen who feels no responsibility for the advancement of his city, and buys most of his food and clothing abroad.

The dweller here who takes a delight in running to every purchaser or would be purchaser of real estate to inform him how much too high are the figures on the property under discussion.

The individual who can never see any thing good in things made or raised at home.

The person who can always find something to say to the disparagement of another.

The home man who would rather help a stranger than one of our own citizens, no matter how worthy or deserving.

The resident who is always talking about how much better they do things elsewhere.

The town loafer who never has a job himself, doesn't want one and doesn't want anybody else to have one.—Shreveport Judge.

**The Philosophy of Etiquette.**

The secret of good manners is good taste; the art of knowing how to smooth out the rough places and make boorishness appear angelic. The trifling amenities of everyday life go a long way toward making existence endurable. Books may direct you in the proper channel to acquire these, but cannot teach them; they must be attained through careful nurture, or by the exercise of the good taste and intuition consequent upon close observation and proper association. To know how to accord due courtesy to one's fellows upon any and every occasion, is among the simplest and cheapest of life's lessons, but how few have learned this lesson well!

It is useless to point out a set line of etiquette when good taste regulates everything. Most rules of this kind are made to be broken. What may be suitable upon one occasion is nine times in ten out of place upon another. The simplest way to decide such questions where there is a possibility of doubt, is to accord to others the same consideration we demand of them for ourselves. By pursuing this course no one is offended, the wrinkles of life become as velvet to the touch and the darkest frown is transformed into the sunniest smile.

Should your friend or acquaintance deny you this necessary essential of the humblest breeding, do not upbraid him and say unkind things of him; just feel sorry for him; he is unworthy of your scorn, but deserves your pity.

**Abuses of Crop Reports.**

The agricultural department of the government now boasts of a very perfect organization for obtaining reports upon the condition of the crops, cereals in store, etc. Agencies have been established in most of the counties, so that any change in the crop prospect throughout the entire country could be quite accurately reported to Washington in a few hours. Are the farmers benefitted by this splendid system of reporting? Is it not possible that it may do them more harm than good? Who uses reports to the greatest advantage? Not the farmer, but the grain speculator. Dealers in options bull or bear the markets upon the strength of these reports. The agricultural department was intended to beneficially serve the farmers, but the initial uses of these reports fleece them rather than benefit them.

**Mules for Sale.**  
A lot of young mules, 3 to 5 years old gentle to work. Will sell on time, as good security is given. Also, a fine if sortment of improved farm implements such as harrows, plows, wagons, disbarrow, sulky plows etc; also a quantity of corn and hay.  
Apply to W. S. Torian

**Money to Loan.**  
Money to loan in amounts from \$1000. to \$10,000.  
Apply to W. S. Torian

**FOR RENT.**  
House for rent on Lincoln Avenue formerly occupied by E. Ledet.  
Apply to P. Gerac.

**Wanted.**  
To exchange or swap my 3 year old Jersey Bull for a Holstein, short Horn or Ayrshire Bull.  
T. D. WIER.

**Notice.**  
I desire to inform the public that I will continue the business of purchasing hides, formerly carried on by Mr. P. LeDanois.  
Office at A. Degrez Lumber Yard.  
Mrs. P. LeDanois.

**To Rent.**  
Two small houses East of the R-Road near Lincoln Avenue; one at \$6.00 and the other one at \$3.50 per month.  
Apply to J. NICKERSON,  
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1000 Barrels of Corn at E. H. Vordenbaume's Lumber Yard.

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Choice Family Groceries, Including Flour.  
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Gents furnishing good a Specialty, also Boys and Youth suits for all ages. Also the famous Tennent Stribling shoes for Ladies and Misses at prices to suit the most fastidious. Our Gents Mackintosh's in all style and prices surpassed.