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Attorneys at Law,
CLINTON & JACKSON, LA.

W. FERGUS KERNAN,
Attorney & Counsellor at Law,
CLINTON, LA.
PRACTICES in the Parishes of East and West Feliciana. a 14

JAMES B. SMITH,
Attorney and Counsellor at Law,
CLINTON, LA.
WILL attend business in East and West Feliciana and St. Helena. a 14

JOHN M. ROBERTS,
Attorney at Law,
OFFICE: MAIN STREET.
CLINTON, LA.

BOWMAN & DE LEE,
Attorneys and Counsellors at Law,
CLINTON, LA.
BUSINESS entrusted to their care will be promptly attended to.
REFERENCES.—Messrs. Oakley & Hawkins; J. B. Byrne & Co.; New Orleans. a 14

HAYNES & ELLIS,
Attorneys and Counsellors at Law,
CLINTON, LA.

JAS. O. FUQUA. J. G. KILBOURN.
FUQUA & KILBOURN,
Attorneys at Law,
CLINTON, LA.
PRACTICE in the courts of East and West Feliciana, and St. Helena. a 14

JAMES WELSH,
ATTORNEY & COUNSELLOR AT LAW,
CLINTON, LA.

LAW PARTNERSHIP.
THE undersigned, having entered into partnership in the practice of their profession, will attend to all business entrusted to them in the parish of East Feliciana.
And, to any business, entrusted to either, in the adjacent Parishes, they will attend separately.
Office in Clinton, La. JAMES H. MUSE, a 14
D. C. HARDEE.

D. B. SAMFORD,
Attorney and Counsellor at Law,
CLINTON, LA.
WILL attend to any professional business entrusted to him in East and West Feliciana, East Baton Rouge, and St. Helena Parishes. a 14

HENRY HAWFORD,
Justice of the Peace & Notary Public.
CLINTON, LA.
Office on the North side of the Public Square.

JAMES WELSH,
Notary Public and Auctioneer.
CLINTON, LA.
WILL attend promptly to all business entrusted to his care.
Office—North East corner of the Public Square

DR. F. R. HARVEY,
CONTINUES the practice of his profession, and respectfully tenders his services to the citizens of Clinton and vicinity. a 14

T. O'CALLAGHAN,
Tailor,
JACKSON, LA.
april 14

HARRIS & LEVI,
Cotton Factors and Commission Merchants,
No. 39 CARONDELLET STREET,
NEW ORLEANS.

WILL at all times be prepared to furnish supplies at the lowest market rates, and grant reasonable facilities to those doing business with them.
Soliciting patronage, they promise their personal attention to all business intrusted to them. jan 19

OAKLEY & HAWKINS,
Factors and General Commission Merchants,
No. 90 GRAVIER STREET,
NEW ORLEANS.

BEG to offer their services to Planters and Merchants, and promise attention and promptness to all consignments entrusted to their care. a 14

E. M. DALEY, E. E. A. TALLARIE.
E. M. DALEY & Co.
Commission & Forwarding Merchants,
AND WHOLESALE DEALERS IN
WESTERN PRODUCE,
67 Tchoupitoulas Street,
NEW ORLEANS.

WM. KERNAGHAN,
Importer, and Wholesale and Retail Dealer in
Watches, Jewelry, Cutlery,
GUNS, PISTOLS, & FANCY GOODS,
NO. 65 CANAL STREET,
NEW ORLEANS.
N. B. Watches and Jewelry carefully repaired. a 14

BREAD! BREAD!!
THE subscriber bakes every morning. He will feel a pleasure in serving, at their residences, all those who may favor him with their patronage. All orders left at the store will be promptly attended to. He will give as much bread for a dollar as any other house.
WM. GURNEY.

GARDEN SEEDS FOR 1856,
RAISED AND PUT UP
By the Society of Shakers, Pleasant Hill, Ky.
THOSE sold by regular appointed agents, are WARRANTED fresh and genuine. A large supply has just been received by
I. N. LEMON.
Sole agent for the Parish of East Feliciana.

LEGAL SALES.

SHERIFF'S SALE.
The State of Louisiana—Parish of East Feliciana.
7th District Court. No. 2433.
The State of Louisiana vs. C. T. Dunn, administrator, et al.

BY VIRTUE of a writ of fieri facias, in the above entitled suit, I have seized and will offer for sale, at the door of the court house in said parish, on the FIRST SATURDAY of May, 1856, between the hours of 11 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m., all the right title interest and claim of the defendant Fleming P. Duggins in and to the following described property to-wit:

A certain tract or parcel of Land situated lying and being in the parish aforesaid containing 384 acres more or less with all the improvements thereon, and all the rents and revenues arising therefrom: Bounded on the north by the line of demarcation between the States of Louisiana and Mississippi, west by the William Boatner tract, south by the D. Boatner and Seals, and east by lands of Pipes being the same tract acquired by the defendant at the probate sale of Wade H. and Ann M. Gaudin, made on the 2d day of February 1850, by G. W. Catlett, auctioneer.

Also all the right title interest and claim of the defendant Monroe Perkins in and to the following described property to-wit:

The tract of Land known as the Cropper tract, containing 640 acres, and the tract known as the Morgan tract, containing 320 acres, making together 960 acres more or less, with all the improvements thereon, and all the rents and revenues arising therefrom, situated lying and being in the parish of East Feliciana, said State, Bounded on the north by lands of A. Nesom and public lands, south by part of the Morgan tract, or R. J. Elliott's land, on the east by Nesom and Booker, west by land of C. O. Gayle and public land.

Also all the right title interest and claim of the defendant W. S. Irwin in and to the following described property to-wit:

A certain tract or parcel of land situated lying and being in the parish and State aforesaid, being the eastern part of the Kelly tract containing 403 acres more or less, with all the improvements and all the rents and revenues arising therefrom, Bounded, south by B. D. Chany, on the north by lands of D. Pipes, west by Mrs. Kelly, east by Mrs. Sarah Dreher.

Terms of Sale.—Cash, with the benefit of appraisement.
march 29, 1856 B. M. G. BROWN, sheriff.

SHERIFF'S SALE.
The State of Louisiana, Parish of East Feliciana.—7th District Court. No. 1678.
L. Dolbear, vs. J. S. Spears.

BY VIRTUE of a writ of fieri facias, in the above entitled suit, I have seized and will offer for sale at the door of the court house in said parish, on the FIRST SATURDAY OF MAY, 1856, between the hours of 11 o'clock, a. m., and 4 o'clock p. m., all the right title, interest, and claim whatsoever said defendant, has in and to the following property, appertaining to the succession of his deceased mother Mrs. Aethia Shropshire, consisting of the following slaves twenty-five in number, to-wit: Negro man Tim, Ben, Frank, Bill, Isaac; Aaron, woman Lucy, Miranda, girls Henrietta, Mary, Lucinda, woman Sal, girl Lavilla, little Lucy, woman Emily, little Harriett, boy Edmund, girls Louisa and Fatima, boy Simon, woman Hannah, boy John, girl Phillis.

Also: The following described Tract of Land situated in the Parish aforesaid, to-wit: The home place containing 260 acres, bounded on the north by the Taylor place south by the Draughan place, east by the Leonard tract and west by lands of W. M. Jourdan. Also 50 acres adjoining the above tract of land described. Also 200 acres of land known as the east tract, bounded by lands of Collinworth, Hoppood and Taylor, and by the Amite River, also the work cattle horses and mules and farming utensils attached to said plantation, and all the improvements thereon and all the appurtenances thereto belonging.

Also: all the interest said James A. Spears has in and to the aforesaid property by way of the succession of his deceased brother Hampton Spears and all the interest he has in and to the succession of the said Hampton Spears, deceased in any manner whatsoever.

Terms of Sale.—Cash with the benefit of appraisement.
march 29, 1856 B. M. G. BROWN, sheriff.

SHERIFF'S SALE.
The State of Louisiana, Parish of East Feliciana.—7th District Court. No. 1955.
In the matter of the succession of Martha Brame, deceased.

PURSUANT to an order of the Honorable Court aforesaid, I will sell at public auction in the town of Jackson, on MONDAY, THE SEVENTH DAY OF MAY, the following property belonging to the succession above named, to-wit:

Negro man Cyrus, Negro woman Kate, TERMS OF SALE.
A credit of one two and three years, with two approved personal securities, and a mortgage with confession of judgment to be retained upon the property. The purchase price to bear eight per cent interest from the day of sale.
G. W. CATLETT, Auctioneer.
april 5 1856

CHOICE LIQUORS.
MY stock of Wines, Brandy, Holland Gin, Jamaica Rum, all of the finest quality, is now complete.
nov 17 HENRY S. BEECHENO.
JAY'S Family Prayer Books, for sale by I. N. LEMON.

LEGAL SALES.

SHERIFF'S SALE.
The State of Louisiana, Parish of East Feliciana.—7th District Court. No. 1180.
The State of Louisiana, vs. John W. Hays, et al.

BY VIRTUE of a writ of fieri facias, in the above entitled suit, I have seized and will offer for sale at the door of the court house in said parish, on the FIRST SATURDAY OF MAY, 1856, between the hours of 11 o'clock, a. m., and 4 o'clock p. m., all the right title, interest, and claim of the defendant, Franklin Hardesty, in and to the following described property, to-wit:

All that property situated lying and being in the town of Clinton said parish and State, formerly known as belonging to Humphrey Taylor, and now known as the residence of Franklin Hardesty, having a front on the road leading from Clinton to St. Helena, and its rear on a street running east and west by the Methodist Church, with all the buildings and improvements thereon, and all the rents and revenues arising therefrom.

Also a certain Negro slave by the name of PETER, aged about 50 years, a slave by the name of JACK, aged about 50 years, a slave by the name of HENRY, aged about 40 years, and a slave by the name of RICHMOND, aged about 50 years.

Terms of Sale.—Cash, with the benefit of appraisement.
march 29, 1856 B. M. G. BROWN, sheriff.

SHERIFF'S SALE.
The State of Louisiana, Parish of East Feliciana, seventh District Court. No. 2561.
G. C. Constock, Tutor vs. Henry A. Nicholls, et al.

BY VIRTUE of an order of seizure and sale to me directed in the above entitled suit, by the Honorable Court aforesaid, I have seized on and will offer for sale, at the door of the court house in said parish, on the FIRST SATURDAY OF MAY, 1856, between the hours of 11 o'clock, a. m., and 4 o'clock p. m., all the right title, interest, and claim of the defendant, H. A. Nicholls, in and to the following named and described property, to-wit:

Lots number Two [2] and Three [3] in square number Thirteen [13] in the town of Clinton, Parish of East Feliciana, said state, together with all the buildings and improvements thereon, and all the rents and revenues arising therefrom.

Terms of Sale.—Cash, with the benefit of appraisement, to pay and satisfy the sum of \$400, with eight per cent interest thereon, from the 9th day of January, 1855, until paid, and on a credit until the 9th day of January 1857, to pay the sum of four hundred dollars with eight per cent interest from the 9th day of January 1855 until paid, and on a credit until the 9th day of January 1857 to pay four hundred dollars with eight per cent interest from the 9th day of January 1855 until paid and all costs.
march 29 B. M. G. BROWN, Sheriff.

PROBATE SALE.
The State of Louisiana, Parish of East Feliciana, Seventh District Court, No. 461.
In the matter of the succession of Daniel Holloway deceased.

IN compliance with an order and authorized by a commission to me directed by the Honorable Court aforesaid, I will offer for sale at public auction on the premises, the following property situated lying and being in the Parish of East Feliciana said state belonging to said succession, on THURSDAY the 1st day of May 1856, at 12 o'clock, M. to-wit:

Six hundred and forty acres of land situated near Kellertown and bounded as follows, north by lands of Judge McGehee, south by lands of M. Gaudin, East by lands of Josiah Benton and west by lands of H. Robinson together with the improvements consisting of a dwelling house, gin house and other buildings.

Terms of Sale.
One third cash, and the balance on a credit of one and two years with eight per cent interest from the day of sale, with mortgage and confession of judgment retained until the final payment of the purchase price. The purchasers to give notes for such sums that the whole may be divided into four equal shares among the heirs in order to close the succession.
march 29 B. M. G. BROWN, Sheriff.

SHERIFF'S SALE.
The State of Louisiana, Parish of East Feliciana, seventh District Court, No. 2177.
John Edge vs. Caleb O. Gayle.

BY VIRTUE of an order of seizure and sale, to me directed, from the Honorable Court aforesaid, in the above entitled cause, I will offer at sheriff's sale, at the door of the Court House, in said Parish, on the FIRST SATURDAY OF MAY, 1856, between the hours of 11 o'clock, a. m., and 4 o'clock p. m., the following named and described property, to-wit:

All that certain tract of land, situated, lying, and being, in the Parish aforesaid, containing Four hundred (400) acres more or less. Bounded on the north, by Brown & Callaghan, east by lands of Smith, south by lands of Smith and public lands, and all the buildings and improvements thereon.

Terms of Sale.
A credit of 12 months, purchasers will be required to give bond, with approved personal security, with 8 per cent interest thereon per annum from the day of sale until paid, and a mortgage will be retained on the property to secure the purchase price and interest.
april 12, 1856 B. M. G. BROWN, Sheriff.

LEGAL SALES.

SHERIFF'S SALE.
The State of Louisiana, Parish of East Feliciana.—7th District Court. No. 2179.
A. S. Herron, Adm'r vs. F. A. Hatch, Tutrix.

BY VIRTUE of an order of seizure and sale issued in the above entitled suit, and to me directed by the Honorable Court aforesaid, I have seized and will offer for sale at the door of the court house in said Parish, on the FIRST SATURDAY IN MAY, 1856, at 11 o'clock, a. m., all the right title, interest, and claim, of the defendant, F. A. Hatch, Tutrix, in and to the following described property, to-wit:

A certain negro woman, named Caroline. TERMS OF SALE.
A credit of 12 months, purchasers will be required to give bond with approved personal security, with 8 per cent interest thereon per annum from the day of sale until paid, and a mortgage will be retained on the property to secure the purchase price and interest.
april 12, 1856 B. M. G. BROWN, Sheriff.

LEGAL NOTICES.
The State of Louisiana—Parish of East Feliciana, 7th District Court.
In the matter of the succession of S. A. Penny, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that S. Bloom has applied to this court for letters of administration on the estate of said deceased, which will be granted in ten days after the publication of this notice, unless legal opposition be made thereto.
april 12, 1856 A. COOK, D'y. Clerk.

LEGAL NOTICES.
The State of Louisiana, Parish of East Feliciana.—7th District Court. No. 2348.
In the matter of the succession of Mrs. Elizabeth Chaney, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that Jackson M. Chaney has filed in this court a final account of his administration of the aforesaid succession, which will be homologated in thirty days from the publication of this notice, unless legally opposed.
march 15 WM. PATTERSON, Clerk.

PAY YOUR STATE TAXES!
NOTICE is hereby given that I have received the TAX ROLL of 1855, for the Parish of East Feliciana. I shall require prompt payment of the Taxes thereon, and the law in relation to the Tax on trades and professions will be strictly enforced.
B. M. G. BROWN.
Clinton, Jan. 5, 1856. 38-47

EXCELSIOR CARRIAGE FACTORY.
BUTLER & KOCH,
RESPECTFULLY inform their friends that they are now prepared to build carriages, Buggies, and Sulkies, in the most approved styles now in use. All lumber used in our shop is received from the north and is of superior quality. We have now in progress from fifteen to twenty vehicles, and invite all those who are judges, to examine the work before it is painted, as we have in employ the best workmen that the south can afford.

Designs of all kinds of vehicles to be seen at our shop. Call and see them. All kinds of repairing done on the shortest notice. All work warranted, with proper usage. feb 23

FISK'S METALLIC BURIAL CASES.
WE are in possession of the patent right to sell these cases in the Parish of East Feliciana.
feb 23 BUTLER & KOCH.

CRANE'S METALLIC BURIAL CASKET.
HAVING bought the patent right for the sale of the Crane Metallic Burial Caskets, at a great expense, we introduce them to the public as having a superiority over any case now in use, beauty of design, artistic and elaborate finish, simplicity in lining, highly decorated and unique silver mounting, perfectly air tight, and also giving an entire view of the body,—the top of the casket being constructed of the finest French plate glass renders it the most desirable case ever introduced to the public. Beautiful metallic caps cover the glass, which secures the case from damage on account of any external pressure. Samples of this casket can be seen at I. N. Lemon's Drug Store, Clinton.

Wooden coffins made to order, and punctual attendance given on all funeral occasions. A fine Harse will always be on hand.
Any infringement on our patent rights will subject the offender to prosecution
feb 23 BUTLER & KOCH.

A CARD.
HENRY S. BEECHENO begs to return his sincere thanks to his friends, and the inhabitants of East Feliciana, generally, for the kind and liberal patronage bestowed upon him since he commenced business in Clinton, and assures them no exertions shall be wanting on his part to merit a continuance of the same.

H. S. BEECHENO is fully prepared to supply planters, and all others with every article in the Drug business, and from his long experience in that line, combined with a practical acquaintance with chemistry in all its branches, merely requests a trial as a test of his qualifications. An accurate analysis of mineral waters will be granted gratis, to those desirous of having it made.

PHYSICIAN'S PRESCRIPTIONS are dispensed with neatness and promptitude, and with great care as to labelling, and the minor details.
A constant supply of the choicest brands of Wines and Spirits, on hand, for MEDICAL PURPOSES, only.
A large quantity of Ale and Porter, (first rate quality,) continually coming to hand.
H. S. B. does not feel disposed to advertise the exact quantities of Drugs he has received lately, fearing he might possibly under-rate it, and not do himself the justice he is so anxiously seeking.
HENRY S. BEECHENO & CO.
Clinton, La., Oct. 13, 1855.

FURNITURE! FURNITURE!!
THE undersigned has opened in the Town of Clinton, a large assortment of Furniture, consisting of Bureaus, Bedsteads, Chairs, Sofas, Armoires, Lounges, Cribs, and almost every other article of Furniture, suitable for the market, which he will sell low, for cash. His store is on the south side of the public square
aug 11 H. E. GAY, Agent for M. HARRIS.

WINES, CORDIALS, & LIQUORS.
CALL and examine the subscriber's stock of Wines, C. Cordials, and Liquors. WM. GURNEY.

SILVER WARE—Just received, a supply of forks, Spoons, butter knives, &c. for sale by
march 15 NAUMAN & STRAUSS.

MISCELLANEOUS.

CONSUMPTION,
SUCCESSFULLY TREATED BY INHALATION OF MEDICATED VAPORS, BY

JOHNSON STEWART ROSE, Fellow of the Royal College of Physicians and for years, senior Physician in the London Royal Infirmary for the diseases of the lungs.

In this age of progress, medical science has contributed her full share to the general welfare, and that which shines resplendent, the brightest jewel in her diadem, is Medicated Vapor Inhalation, in the treatment of consumption and kindred affections; the treatment heretofore pursued has been faulty and woefully inefficient; the stomach being made the receptacle of nauseous compounds, oils, and a host of other nostrums; all these being expected to act upon the lungs! the failure to eradicate, or even to stop the ravages of the disease, in nearly every case of well developed consumption, is surely warning enough to the consumptive to shun such a treatment. The disease is not in the stomach, but in the Lungs! common sense will then at once teach you that medicine applied in the form of Vapor directly to the diseased surface of the lungs, will be far more effectual in removing the disease than medicine taken into the stomach. In treating diseases of the lungs, the success of the Medicated Vapor Inhalation exceeds my most sanguine expectations, and I earnestly appeal to the intelligence of all afflicted, or who may have the germs of the disease within them, to embrace at once the soothing, healing and successful system of Medicated Vapor Inhalation, as the only Ark of Refuge for the consumptive. I offer to put it within the reach of all, and can so arrange it that the invalid is never required to leave home, where the hand of friendship and affection tends so much to aid the physician's efforts. Where there is life there is now assured hope for the most seemingly hopeless cases, as throughout all the stages of this insidious disease, the wonderful and beneficial effects of this treatment are soon apparent. In cases of Bronchitis, Asthma, &c., the inhaling of powders and vapors has been eminently successful, and to those suffering under any of the above mentioned complaints, I can guarantee certain and speedy relief. I have pleasure in referring to 207 names, residents of New York and neighborhood, who have been restored to vigorous health. About one third of the above mentioned, according to the patient's own statements, were considered hopeless cases. The Inhalation method is soothing, safe and speedy, and consists in the administration of medicine in such a manner that they are conveyed in the form of vapor and produce their action at the seat of disease. Its practical success is destined to revolutionize the opinion of the medical world, and to establish the entire curability of consumption.

Applicants will please state if they have ever bled from the lungs, if they have lost flesh, have a cough, night sweats and fever turns—what and how much they expectorate, what the condition of the stomach and bowels; the necessary medicine, apparatus, &c. will be forwarded to any part.

TERMS.—Five dollars, consultation fee. Balance of fee payable when patients report themselves convalescent.

RECOMMENDATION OF PHYSICIANS.
We, the undersigned practitioners in medicine, cheerfully and heartily recommend Dr. Rose's method of treating diseases of the lungs and thorax, as the best and most effectual ever introduced into medical practice. Our convictions are based upon having several of our own patients, confirmed consumptives, restored to vigorous health, after a few months treatment by Dr. Rose. In the above named diseases, the application of Medicated Vapor Inhalation directly into the lungs, may justly be considered as a great boon to suffering humanity, rendering consumption a perfect curable disease!

Dr. Rose deserves well of his profession for his unwearied labors in bringing the inhaling method to such a degree of perfection.

RALPH STONE, M. M.
JAMES A. MOTT, M. D.
CYRUS KINGSLEY, M. M.
W. B. AUSTIN, M. D.
ORVILLE UPHAM, M. D.
GALVIN WHEATMORE, M. D.

Dr. Rose's Treatise on Consumption—price one dollar. Address
JOHNSON STEWART ROSE,
381 Broadway, New York.

N. B.—The new postage law requires pre-payment of letters. My correspondence being extensive, applicants to insure replies must enclose postage.

Money letters must be registered by the Post master, such letters only being at my risk. jan 5

NEW BOOKS.
JUST received, by late steamer, a new assortment of books, consisting of
Rose Clark, by Fanny Fern,
Lost Helms, by Mrs. Southworth,
Life of Washington, by Washington Irving,
Plutarch's Lives, spectator, Burke's works,
American Encyclopedia, Waverley novels,
Life of S. S. Prentiss, Washington Irving's works,
United States, Canada, and Cuba, by Miss Murray,
For sale by NAUMAN & STRAUSS.

SYRUPS.
THE undersigned has the following varieties of the most delicious syrups, viz:
VANILLA, ORANGE, LEMON, GINGER, BANANA, PEACH, &c. &c.
which he offers at a lower rate than any other house, and in quantities to suit; he buys.
jan 2 WM. GURNEY.

GINGER BRANDY.
AN excellent stomachic and tonic, for sale by
april 4 NORWOOD TILDON

LIQUORS.
OF all kinds and qualities, a complete assortment, on hand.
J. G. DEARBOND.

CLOTHING, HATS, BOOTS, & SHOES.
THE LATEST styles of finest material and best finish, on hand and for sale by
12 MILLS, CLEVELAND, & Co.

PENS, PENCILS, & PEN HOLDERS.
JUST received, a great variety of Pens, Pencils, and Pen holders, of every shape and kind. Every body can be suited. Call and buy.
oct 13 I. N. LEMON.

GROCERIES & PROVISIONS.
ON hand, and for sale, a fine assortment of Groceries and Provisions, which will be sold low, for cash.
WM. GURNEY.

YEAST OR BAKING POWDERS.
JUST received, a consignment of Yeast or Baking Powders.
HENRY S. BEECHENO,
Druggist, Brick Row.
jan 26

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OF EVERY DESCRIPTION, neatly and promptly executed at this Office.