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PROFESSIONAL CARDS.

J. O. FUQUA,
Baton Rouge, La.
J. G. KILBOURNE,
Clinton, 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. aug1

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. aug17-18

J. C. STAFFORD,
ATTORNEY AT LAW,
Office, Cor. Laurel & Third Sts., up-stairs,
BATON ROUGE, LA.
WILL practice in the Parishes of East Baton Rouge, West Baton Rouge, and East Feliciana. July 14-6m

R. W. KNICKERBOCKER,
Attorney at Law and Claim Agent,
HAS made arrangements in New Orleans and Washington City for the successful prosecution and collection of
CLAIMS AGAINST THE GOVERNMENT.
Office on the corner of Fifth and Laurel streets
aug8 BATON ROUGE, LA.

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

L. A. SHELDON & PARDEE,
ATTORNEYS AT LAW,
13 ST. CHARLES STREET,
NEW ORLEANS.
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JOHN M. TRACY,
Justice of the Peace,
SECOND WARD,
Parish of East Baton Rouge.
OFFICE, COR. THIRD AND LAUREL STS.,
UP-STAIRS, OVER THE SEN BILLIARD SALOON.

F. A. NEPLER,
Justice of the Peace,
WARD No. ONE,
Office at the Court House.
HAVING resumed business, I am ready to attend to all business and suits, within the earliest delays of the law. apr8

DR. KRATZ,
OFFICE ON LAUREL STREET,
BETWEEN THIRD AND CHURCH,
(Opposite Mrs. Jones' Boarding House.)
jun24-18 BATON ROUGE, LA.

Dr. D. M. BROWN,
Homeopathic Physician & Surgeon,
(LATE OF ST. LOUIS, MO.)
RESPECTFULLY offers his professional services to the citizens of Baton Rouge and vicinity. References—Dr. Kellogg, of New Orleans. Office, for the present, at Mrs. S. K. Jones' "Central House." aug13-3m

Dr. D. L. McKritick,
SURGEON DENTIST,
OFFICE ON CONVENTION STREET,
EPISCOPAL PARSONAGE BUILDING,
In the rear of Episcopal Church,
dec17 BATON ROUGE, LA.

GEORGE A. PIKE,
GENERAL AGENT,
Office, on Third Street,
BATON ROUGE, LA.
Will attend promptly, the collection and settlement of
PUBLIC AND PRIVATE CLAIMS,
NOTES, BILLS OF EXCHANGE,
ACCOUNTS, RENTS, ETC.
All business that can be transacted by Agency or Commission, promptly and faithfully attended to. may13

PIKE, LAFAYETTE & 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.
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A. BAUMSTARK,
CABINET-MAKER AND UNDERTAKER,
Corner of Church & Laurel streets,
BATON ROUGE, LA.
A GREAT VARIETY OF
FANCY GOODS ALWAYS ON HAND.
A FULL STOCK OF
TRIMMINGS AND METALLIC CASES
Orders promptly attended to. July 2-3m

F. PERRILLAT,
Watchmaker & Jeweler,
FROM GENÈVE AND PARIS,
WATCHES, CLOCKS AND JEWELRY,
REPAIRED AT SHORT NOTICE,
IN THE VERY BEST STYLE.
THE LATEST STYLES OF JEWELRY,
ALWAYS ON HAND.
Lafayette Street, 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.

SIMON MENDELSON,
DEALER IN
GROCERIES, PROVISIONS,
Wines, Liquors, Tobaccos, Cigars,
FAMILY SUPPLIES,
CORNER LAFAYETTE AND FLORIDA STREETS,
june17 BATON ROUGE, LA.

JULIUS C. BOGEL,
COMMISSION MERCHANT,
AND DEALER IN
Plantation and Family Supplies,
COR. MAIN AND LAFAYETTE STS.,
july13 BATON ROUGE, LA.

F. L. TERPINTZ,
STEAMBOAT AGENT,
RECEIVING, FORWARDING,
AND
COMMISSION MERCHANT,
FRONT LEVEE,
BATON ROUGE, LA.

JAMES McVAY,
HARDWARE MERCHANT
AND DEALER IN
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 mercandize. He speaks a liberal share of public patronage. Store on Third street, opposite the building of the Louisiana State Bank. july1

J. KOWALSKI,
DEALER IN
FASHIONABLE AND WELL-MADE
MEN AND BOYS'
Spring and Summer Clothing
STAPLE AND FANCY DRY GOODS.

BOARD BY THE DAY, WEEK OR MONTH.
GOOD BEDS, GOOD FARE,
And every attention paid to the comfort of guests
Thankful for past patronage, "Strava" respectfully solicits a continuance of the same from his friends and the public generally. July 27-18

WASHINGTON HOTEL,
John Gass, Proprietor,
OPPOSITE ACADEMY HALL,
St. Louis street..... BATON ROUGE, LA.
The best of Wines, Liquors and Cigars kept at the Bar. July 22-18

SUMTER HOUSE.
CHARLES WIECK, PROPRIETOR
Corner of Main and Third streets,
BATON ROUGE, LA.
The bar is furnished with the very best WINES, LIQUORS, CIGARS & TOBACCO

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 purchase elsewhere.
Cotton bought at highest market rates. July 6-6m.

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. july1

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. july1-18

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-rate 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. july6-18

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 also on hand a choice variety of "Motors," such as fine Pocket Knives, Stationery, etc., to which he invites public attention, guaranteeing to give satisfaction to all customers. july1-18

ONIONS AND POTATOES.
15 BARRELS, New Crop, at retail or by the bbl
Prices less than in New Orleans. july2

A. S. ARCHER. **WM. HENDERSON.**
ARCHER & HENDERSON,
FORWARDING & COMMISSION
MERCHANTS,
GENERAL STEAMBOAT COLLECTION
PURCHASING AGENTS,
Third street, Baton Rouge, La.
REFER BY PERMISSION TO:
Capt. P. D. Pratt, Capt. Jno. McLean, N. O.
W. E. 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 VERANDAH HOTEL.)
aug12 BATON ROUGE, LA.

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.
Received per steamers almost daily.
F. OTTO respectfully announces to his friends and customers and the public generally, that his store having been removed from its former stand, 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 markets will permit, to secure a liberal share of regular patronage.
Please call before purchasing elsewhere. aug10-18

JOHN TILANO,
WORKER IN
Tin, Copper and Sheet Iron.
HAVING established himself again in the above business, in Baton Rouge, most respectfully informs his old friends and the public generally, that he is prepared to do all work in his line. All repairing attended to with dispatch.
Shop on Main street, near the Catholic Church. aug1-18

M. J. WILLIAMS,
WORKER IN
Tin, Copper and Sheet Iron.
HAVING established himself in the above business, in this city, respectfully solicits the public patronage.
Citizens, Plasterers and others, needing work in his line, will please send in their orders, and they will be promptly attended to. Work guaranteed.
Shop adjoining, and North of Beal's Variety Store, on Third street. july1

JAMES McVAY,
ARCHITECT AND BUILDER,
BATON ROUGE, LA.
Orders left at the Hardware Store, opposite the Bank Building, on Third street, will be promptly attended to. july1-18

F. E. PRUYN. **ROBT. L. PRUYN.**
PRUYN & BRO.,
CARPENTERS, GIN WRIGHTERS
Press Builders
BATON ROUGE, LA.
Orders left at Jastrzemski & McCormick's Drug Store, will meet prompt attention. july1-6m

J. SMOLLEN & Co.,
MANUFACTURERS OF
TOMBS, MONUMENTS,
HEAD-STONES, MANTELS, ETC.,
Corner of Main and Church streets,
BATON ROUGE, LA. july25

N. O. ADVERTISEMENTS.
J. J. WARREN. **T. W. CRAWFORD.**
WARREN & CRAWFORD,
(Successors to Warren, Gillmore & Co.)
COTTON FACTORS
COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
No. 29 CARONDELET STREET,
july11-6m 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, Baton Rouge, La. july14-6m
PIKE, LAFAYETTE & BROTHER, New Orleans, La. aug5-6m

MAYER BROTHERS,
Crescent City Steam Tobacco Works
Nos. 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. july29-18

WM. ST. MARTIN. **L. R. MALARCHER.**
ST. MARTIN & MALARCHER,
COMMISSION MERCHANTS
And Dealers in
GROCERIES AND BOAT STORES,
Nos. 25 and 28 POYDRAS STREET,
NEW ORLEANS, July, 1865.

To Planters, Merchants and others:
It is believed that with the opening of the Southern Ports to Foreign Commerce and unrestricted trade and intercourse with the interior, and with gradual increase in the consumption which must necessarily take place as the Cotton and other Southern Products can be converted into money, that New Orleans will soon resume her former position as the Depot for the Products of the West, and furnish the best market for General Produce.
Now as there is an immediate prospect of a resumption of trade in this city, we beg leave to inform you that, having completed all necessary arrangements for transacting a General Commission and Forwarding Business, we have opened a house, Nos. 25 and 28 Poydras street, and we are ready to receive consignments from our friends.
We have also on hand a full and fine assortment of GROCERIES, BOAT STORES, WINES, LIQUORS, TOBACCO, CIGARS, &c. Orders from Plantations and the Country will be promptly attended to.
As our House is sufficiently large we will take Storage at low rates. Respectfully soliciting a share of public patronage.
We remain,
Very respectfully,
july29-18 ST. MARTIN & MALARCHER.

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 checkered 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., &c.
All of which we offer at moderate advances on manufacturer's prices, for cash.
aug5-18 **A. BROUSSEAU & CO.**

Plaster of Paris! Plaster of Paris!!
5 BBL. PLASTER OF PARIS. Just received, and for sale by
JAMES McVAY,
Opposite the La. State Bank.
july1-18

Corn! Corn!!
100 SACKS CORN. Just received and for sale by
J. J. DUNDASS,
Cor. Main and Levee Sts.
july1-18

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GENERAL NEWS.

M. Laboulaye has just published a long article in *Les Debats*, urging Spain and Brazil to take warning by the convulsions which worked the death of slavery in the American States, and abolish the institution before they are overtaken by like calamities.

At the Saratoga ball, English aristocracy was represented by the daughter of the duke of Newcastle, richly dressed in white, embroidered with pale green, with a zouave jacket, diamond and pearl necklace. The dress, with her light hair and white complexion, made her quite attractive.

The Doubleday court-martial, in Philadelphia, spent 140 days in trying Mr. Cozzens, at an expense to the country of over \$22,000 and after they had convicted him, he paid \$50 to a lawyer, who had released him on a writ of habeas corpus.

The carriage which was presented to President Lincoln by a number of gentlemen in New York city is offered for sale, by advertisement in the papers of Washington city. Its original cost was \$2,000.

The leading merchants and slave traders of Cuba are seeking an order from the Spanish Government to stop the slave trade, and permit African colonization on that Island. They wish to bring in three thousand at once.

A spontaneous waterspout was noticed at Cheshire, Mass., the other day. It consisted of six distinct streams, ranging in height from ten to thirty feet, which seemed to burst from the earth like water from hot pipes.

One of the most valuable literary collections in the world—the library of the great Humboldt—was recently burned in London, where it was on storage in the rooms of an auctioneer. During the war a number of insane men were enlisted as seamen in the United States service, their bounties secured by sharpers, and themselves left without anything. The most prolific source of supply was from Canada.

Miss Eliza Sheenan of Saratoga, has bought an undivided part of Congress spring, in that place for two hundred and ten thousand dollars.

A shark of the man-eater species, twelve feet long, weighing 1,300 pounds, and measuring seven feet around the thickest part of the body, was caught off Portland Harbor a few days ago.

A large number of Mississippians of the \$20,000 class, who were recommended by Gov. Sharkey, received parlors from the President on the 14th instant.

An institute is to be built at Hightstown, N. J., under the patronage of the Baptists of New Jersey. It is to be called the New Jersey Classical and Scientific Institute, and is to cost \$60,000. A lot of eight acres has been purchased in the most desirable part of the town.

The American Watch Company have purchased some forty acres of land at West end, Hudson City, N. J. near the New Jersey railroad track, where they propose erecting a large manufactory and sixty cottages, as residences for their employees.

General Payne, late of Paducah notoriety, has created a sensation among river men by the invention of a new propelling power, which does away with the use of boilers, and causes an immense reduction in the expense of fuel. It is said that W. R. Arthur, has offered \$100,000 for one tenth interest in the patent with a view to bring it into use on the Illinois Central railroad.

Mr. John Morrissey is now the leading man at Saratoga. He is the active manager and participant in the profits of the new race-track lately opened there, and it is said will have an interest in the new United States Hotel, now building. Besides this, he controls five heavy faro and roulette banking-houses at the Springs, all of which do a large business.

The telegraph wires between Springfield and Boston were seriously affected by the aurora borealis, on Thursday, and messages were transmitted during the afternoon by natural electricity wholly, no batteries being used. At Hartford, Wednesday night, the aurora was so vivid as to enable persons to see the time of night on the church clocks, after the moon had gone down.