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City Professional Cards.

JOSEPH JOOR,
Attorney and Counselor at Law,
OFFICE WITH BURGESS & CHANEY,
Church Street, Baton Rouge, La.

HAVING resumed the practice of Law in East Baton Rouge and adjoining parishes, will give close attention to business entrusted to his care. Jan27-3m

C. D. FAVROT,
Attorney and Counsellor at Law,
COURT HOUSE SQUARE,
Baton Rouge, La.

WILL practice in the Parishes of East and West Baton Rouge and Iberville.
Prompt attention will be given to the collection of all claims, notes and accounts.
References:
W. S. PIKE, J. AD. ROZIER, } JOSEPH MENARD, VOISIN & DROUAT } New Orleans.
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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-t

J. C. STAFFORD.....G. W. BUCKNER
STAFFORD & BUCKNER,
ATTORNEYS AT LAW,
Office, Cor. Laurel & Third Sts., up-stairs,
BATON ROUGE, LA.

WILL practice in the parishes of East Feliciana, East and West Baton Rouge and Iberville. Business entrusted to them will receive prompt attention. sept23

SAMUEL P. GREVES,
ATTORNEY AT LAW
Florida Street, Baton Rouge, La.

WILL attend to all business entrusted to him in East Baton Rouge and the adjoining parishes. sept30

SAMUEL P. GREVES & CO.,
GENERAL AGENTS,
OFFICE ON FLORIDA STREET,
Baton Rouge, La.

OFFER their services as intermediary of parties in the renting and leasing of property in city and country, buying and selling real estate, collecting rents, &c. feb3-3m

THOMAS GREEN DAVIDSON.....TOM BYNUM
Davidson & Bynum,
ATTORNEYS AT LAW
Office at Baton Rouge, La.

WILL PRACTICE IN THE COURTS OF THE Florida Parishes. sept19-tf

J. W. BURGESS.....B. E. CHANEY.
BURGESS & CHANEY,
Attorneys and Counselors at Law,
OFFICE ON CHURCH STREET,
BET. CONVENTION & NORTH BOULEVARD,
Baton Rouge, La.

ANY business entrusted to their care in the parishes of East and West Baton Rouge, East and West Feliciana, Pointe Coupée and Iberville, will be promptly attended to. sept2.

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

R. W. KNICKERBOCKER,
Attorney at Law & Claim Agent

WILL practice in the several Courts of the Fifth Judicial District and in the Supreme Court of Louisiana.
Particular attention paid to the settlement of successions.
He has also 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
dec9 BATON ROUGE, LA.

J. J. Burk,
ATTORNEY AT LAW
OFFICE WITH A. M. DUNN, ESQ.,
In Court House Square,
feb22 BATON ROUGE, LA.

CLAYTON B. EVATT,
Civil Engineer
—AND—
CITY SURVEYOR,
Office with R. W. KNICKERBOCKER, Esq.,
Corner of Fifth and Laurel streets,
BATON ROUGE, LA.

WILL attend promptly to all professional business entrusted to him. jan-'66 ly

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

S. M. HART.....F. E. HEBERT
HART & HEBERT,
BANKERS,
DEALERS IN
EXCHANGE, BONDS, STOCKS, COIN,
UNCURRENT NOTES, ETC.,
OFFICE ON LAFAYETTE STREET,
IN THE OLD BANK OF LOUISIANA,
apr26-1y BATON ROUGE, LA.

Business Cards.

JOHN M. TRACY,
Justice of the Peace,
SECOND WARD,
Parish of East Baton Rouge.
OFFICE, COR. THIRD AND LAUREL STS., UP-STAIRS, OVER THE SUN BILLIARD SALOON.

F. A. NEPHLER,
Justice of the Peace,
WARD No. ONE,
Office on Boulevard, foot of Third Street.

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,
jun24-tf **BATON ROUGE, LA.**

DR. WILLIAM REYNAUD,
Offers his professional services to the public of Baton Rouge and vicinity.
OFFICE ON CHURCH STREET,
The same heretofore occupied by Dr. R. H. DAY
apr3-3m

LEVI KELLUM,
HOUSE AND SIGN PAINTER,
GLAZIER, PAPER HANGER,
WHITE WASHER & WALL COLORER,
Corner of Lafayette and Main Sts.,
BATON ROUGE, LA.

WOULD respectfully inform the public, that he is now prepared to execute, at the shortest notice, all work that may be entrusted to him in his line, at the lowest cash prices.
His long acquaintance in this community renders it unnecessary to refer, except to his previous engagements. apr26-1y

BATON ROUGE MARBLE WORKS.
J. SMOLLEN & CO.,
MANUFACTURERS OF
TOMBS, MONUMENTS,
HEAD-STONES, MANTELS, ETC.,
MAIN STREET,
apr26-1y BATON ROUGE, LA.

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, Planters 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

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 despatch.
Shop on Main street, near the Catholic Church. aug1-tf

M. FOUSSE,
WORKER IN
Tin, Copper and Sheet Iron,
SHOP ON ST. FERDINAND STREET,
OPPOSITE THE MARKET,
BATON ROUGE, LA.

HAVING dissolved my co-partnership with Mr. E. LEGENDRE, by mutual consent, I have taken the above stand, where I shall be happy to serve my old friends and the public generally, in the execution of every description of work connected with my business.
now18-3m M. FOUSSE.

F. PERRILLAT,
Watchmaker & Jeweler,
FROM GENEVA 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 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-tf

F. E. PRUYN. ROBT. L. PRUYN.
PRUYN & BRO.,
CARPENTERS, GIN WRIGHTS
—AND—
Press Builders
BATON ROUGE, LA.

Orders left at Jastremski & McCormick's Drug Store will meet prompt attention. july1-6m

E. GOURRIER,
SURVEYOR AND CIVIL ENGINEER,
BATON ROUGE, LA.

WILL attend to Running out and Establishing Lines, Leveling, Laying off Canals and Levees, Draughting Plantation Maps Architectural Designs, Mechanical Inventions, &c.
OFFICE in the building northwest corner of Laurel and Church streets. apr3-1yw

Groceries, Provisions, Etc.

O. WALDKIRCH,
DEALER IN
FAMILY GROCERIES, CROCKERY
—AND—
PLANTATION SUPPLIES,
Wines, Liquors, Tobacco, &c.,
MAIN STREET, OPPOSITE THE SUMTER HOUSE,
BATON ROUGE, LA.

The best Market Price paid for Cotton.
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JOSHUA BEAL,
Corner of Third and Convention Sts.,
BATON ROUGE, LA.
GENERAL DEALER IN
WESTERN PRODUCE,
FAMILY & PLANTATION SUPPLIES,
SCHOOL BOOKS, STATIONERY,
FANCY GOODS AND
NOTIONS GENERALLY.
PRICES TO SUIT THE TIMES.
☞ **Terms Cash.** july1

N. WAX,
DEALER IN
FAMILY GROCERIES
—And—
PLANTATION SUPPLIES,
EAST OF COURT HOUSE SQUARE
feb6 Triangular Building.

SIMON MENDELSOHN,
DEALER IN
GROCERIES, PROVISIONS,
WINES, LIQUORS,
Tobacco, Cigars and Family Supplies.
CORNER LAFAYETTE AND FLORIDA STREETS,
june17 BATON ROUGE, LA.

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-tf

GROCERY
—AND—
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 purchasing elsewhere.

Cotton bought at highest market rates.
july6-8mos.

M. GRANARY,
DEALER IN
WESTERN PRODUCE,
FAMILY GROCERIES
-AND-
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

DR. D. L. McKITRICK,
DENTAL SURGEON,
LAUREL STREET, NEAR THIRD,
(Next door to Otto's store,)
BATON ROUGE, LA.

TEETH EXTRACTED WITHOUT PAIN, by the *electric forceps*—a new way of applying electricity.
This is a perfectly safe remedy, producing no bad effects—the most delicate constitutions are rather benefited than injured by it. Let the suffering people come and give it a trial. The poor can have their teeth extracted free of charge, if they are not able to pay. feb15.

FIRE BRICK.
40,000 PITTSBURG FIRE BRICK, for sale at the lowest market rates, by
D. P. SCOTT,
feb10 at Baton Rouge Coal Depôt.

Commission Merchants.

A. S. ARCHER. WM. HENDERSON.
ARCHER & HENDERSON,
FORWARDING & COMMISSION
MERCHANTS,
—AND—
GENERAL STEAMBOAT, COLLECTION
—AND—
PURCHASING AGENTS,
Third street, Baton Rouge, La.

REFER BY PERMISSION TO:
Capt. P. D. Pratt, " W. B. Richardson. E. K. Beckwith, Baton Rouge, La. | Capt Jno. McLean, N. O. H. W. Taylor, N. O. aug10

JULIUS C. BOGEL,
COMMISSION MERCHANT,
AND DEALER IN
Plantation and Family Supplies,
COR. MAIN AND LAFAYETTE STS.,
July13 **BATON ROUGE, LA.**

F. OTTO,
COMMISSION MERCHANT,
—AND—
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL
DEALER IN
DRY GOODS, CLOTHING,
GROCERIES,
—AND—
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 merchandize, 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
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J. C. BOGEL.....N. B. BERMINGHAM
BOGEL & BERMINGHAM,
AUCTIONEERS
—AND—
Commission Merchants,

BEG to announce to the public, that they are prepared to attend to all general business in the sales of
MERCHANDISE, PRODUCE, FURNITURE, REAL ESTATE, HORSES, MULES, CATTLE, BUGGIES, CARRIAGES, AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS, and every description of Property.
☞ Regular sales, every Saturday, at 10 o'clock A. M. dec30-6m

A. LeBLANC,
AUCTIONEER & GENERAL AGENT,
THIRD ST., NEAR THE BANK,
Baton Rouge, La.

GIVES HIS ESPECIAL AND PROMPT ATTENTION to the private and out-door Auction Sales of
REAL ESTATE, SUCCESSIONS, CARTS and WAGONS, MACHINERY, SADDLES & HARNESS, Farming IMPLEMENTS,
Horses, Mules, Cattle and other **Live Stock,**
BUGGIES, CARRIAGES, FURNITURE, PRODUCE, GROCERIES, DRY GOODS,
LIQUORS and other articles on consignment
The best references given when required.
Remittances promptly made to any point.
Storage furnished until day of sale.
REGULAR SALE OF SUNDRIES,
Every THURSDAY, At 11 o'clock, A. M.
At *Sales Room*, on Third Street, near the Bank.
A. LeBLANC,
jan23 Auctioneer and General Agent.

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 "Notions," such as fine *Pocket Knives, Stationery, etc.*, to which he invites public attention, guaranteeing to give satisfaction to all customers. july1-tf

Drugs, Medicines, Etc.

WILLIAM BOGEL,
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALER IN
DRUGS, CHEMICALS,
MEDICINES,
PAINTS, OILS & DYE STUFFS,
Lafayette St., BATON ROUGE,

HAS now on hand and is constantly receiving direct from the European and Northern markets fresh supplies of
DRUGS,
MEDICINES,
PATENT MEDICINES,
PAINTS and OILS,
STATIONERY,
PURE WINES,
LIQUORS,
CHESSMEN and BOARDS,
POCKET CUTLERY,
SCHOOL BOOKS,
PLAYING CARDS,
FANCY ARTICLES,
PERFUMERY,
SOAPS,
BLACK and GREEN TEAS,
GUNS,
PISTOLS,
POWDER,
SHOT,
CAPS,
FISHING TACKLE,
CARTRIDGES,
POWDER FLASKS,
SHOT POUCHES,
GAME BAGS,
MEERSCHAUM and WOOD PIPES,
SMOKING and CHEWING TOBACCO,
VIOLIN and GUITAR STRINGS,
MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS,
GARDEN SEEDS,
CONFECTIONERY,
PHOTOGRAPHIC ALBUMS,
MUSIC BOXES,
☞ PHYSICIANS' PRESCRIPTIONS *carefully prepared* day or night. nov18

FRESH MEDICINES,
DRUGS, PERFUMERIES
-AND-
MISCELLANEOUS ARTICLES.

JASTREMSKI & McCORMICK respectfully give notice that they have always on hand a fresh supply of
MEDICINES, ETC.,
Which they guarantee to be pure; also a choice assortment of
PERFUMERY,
from the most celebrated manufactories, comprising—
LUBIN'S, BAZIN and Madam DUKAND'S, WRIGHT'S.
A fine assortment of
ESSENCES FOR HANDKERCHIEFS,
—AND—
SCENTED SOAPS.
All kinds of fresh genuine MINERAL WATERS
Pure LIQUORS, viz:
French and American BRANDIES,
WHISKY—Rye and Bourbon.
PORT WINE, SHERRY and MADEIRA,
Genuine Holland GIN, Pure SCHNAPPS,
French Patent Medicines, viz:
SIROP DE BRIANT,
SIROP DE FLORE,
SIROP DE LAMOURIEUX,
LIQUEUR LAVILLE,
ELIXIR ANTI-GLAIROUX,
INJECTION BRAN,
LEROY'S MEDICINES,
VIN DE SEGUIN,
PERCHLORMER DE FER DE PRAVAR,
HUILLE DE FOIE DE MORUE DE TOUGHS,
.. .. (de Hogg.
Will receive by the next steamer a fresh lot o Patent Medicines, direct from manufacturers.
WINTER GARDEN SEEDS—just received
COAL OIL and
COAL LAMPS—a variety on hand.
LEECHES always on hand.
☞ *All orders from the country carefully put up and promply attended to.*
JASTREMSKI & McCORMICK.
☞ Store nearly opposite the Branch of the Louisiana State Bank. jul1

G. D. WADDILL & CO.

HAVING purchased the DRUG STORE, on Main St., Baton Rouge, known as "HAYNES' DRUG STORE," respectfully inform their city and country friends that they are prepared to furnish, and will keep constantly on hand, supplies of
FRESH AND GENUINE
MEDICINES, PERFUMERIES,
and all other articles in their line. A share of the public patronage is respectfully solicited.
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House Furnishing Establishment.

A. BAUMSTARK,
DEALER IN
BEDSTEADS, ARMOIRS, BUREAUS,
SOFAS, CHAIRS,
Willow-ware, Varieties, &c.,
LAFAYETTE STREET,
apr17 **Baton Rouge, La.**

P. A. KUGLER. J. R. HACKNEY
Livery & Sale Stable.
KUGLER & HACKNEY,
ST. LOUIS STREET, NEAR THE MARKET HOUSE,
BATON ROUGE, LA.
☞ Keeps constantly on hand to hire, CARRIAGES, BUGGIES, HACKS and HORSES.
☞ For sale: CARRIAGES, BUGGIES, HORSES and MULES. apr26

BROOMS.

THE Institution for Mutes and Blind are now manufacturing BROOMS, of which they have on hand several dozens—equal, if not superior to any in the market. Merchants would do well to call at the Institution before purchasing elsewhere. A. K. MARTIN, Superintendent.

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BOURBON COUNTY DISTILLERS OF "OLD BOURBON."—The manufacturers of whisky, in the portions of Bourbon and Harrison counties lying between Paris and Cynthiana, the region that gave the name of "Bourbon" (that portion of Harrison was taken from Bourbon) to the pure juice of the corn, copper distilled, have made fortunes out of the war. Mr. T. T. Magebbin a few years ago emigrated from Ohio, and engaged as a laborer in the distillery near Lair Station, which he now owns. By his attention to business, and gentlemanly manners, he won upon the hated slaveholders, who indorsed for him when he became a partner and finally sole owner of the concern. He was considerably involved when the war commenced. Now he is the wealthiest man in his region. Lately he purchased over a thousand acres of land adjoining his distillery farm, paying for it over one hundred dollars per acre.

Mr. Henry Shawhan, in 1889, purchased a large farm at one hundred dollars per acre. Being compelled to sell at fifty dollars in the financial crisis that followed, he was bankrupted. Whisky at that time fell from 50 to 12½ cents. "Old Bourbon," however, brought him out, and he now owns several fine farms in Bourbon and Harrison.

Colonel Samuel Ewalt, the noted distiller, near Shawhan Station, commenced life without a shilling. Recently he bid one hundred and twenty-one dollars per acre for the finest farm and the most beautiful residence in his neighborhood.

In 1857, George White, a Harrison boy, was an applicant for the position of clerk in the Kentucky State Flag office, in this place; but as it was desirable that the clerk should also act as assistant editor, we were, very fortunately for him, chosen. This drove him to get a half clerkship in Miller's distillery, in East Paris. Miller, in a year or more, died, a wealthy bachelor, and, having been pleased with Mr. White, left him a few thousand dollars. With this sum he became a partner in the new concern. Now he is one of Bourbon's wealthy men. George says if we had not kept him out of the newspaper establishment he would now be a poor man; that he would probably have turned politician, joined in the war and had his head blown off; and that he intends to give us several barrels of the oldest and purest.

The Messrs. Cook, of Cynthiana, bought the Keller distillery on credit when the war broke out; now they drive teams equal to New York fast men:—*Paris True Kentuckian.*

NOT BAD.—A short distance from the city of Montgomery, in the State of Alabama, on one of the stage roads running from that city, lived a jolly landlord by the name of Ford. In fair weather or foul, in hard times or soft, Ford would have his joke. It was a bitter, stormy night, or rather morning, about two hours before daylight, that he was aroused from his slumbers by loud shouting and knocking at his door. He turned out, but sorely against his will, and demanded what was the matter. It was dark as tar, and seeing no one, he cried out:

"Who are you there!"

"Burder, and Yancy and Elmore, from Montgomery," was the answer, "on our way to attend court. We are benighted and want to stay all night."

"Very sorry I can't accommodate you, so far; do anything to oblige you, but that's impossible."

The lawyers, for they were three of the smartest men in the State, and all ready to drop down with fatigue, held a brief consultation, and then, as they could do no better, and were too tired to go another step, they asked:

"Well can't you stable our horses and give us chairs and a good fire until morning?"

"Oh, yes, gentleman, can do that."

Our learned and legal friends were soon drying their clothes by a bright fire, as they composed themselves for the few remaining hours in their chairs, dozing and nodding, and now and then swearing a word or two of impatience, as they waited till daylight did appear. The longest night has a morning, and at last the sun came along, and then in due time a good breakfast made its appearance; and to the surprise of the lawyers, who thought the house was crowded with guests, none but themselves sat down to partake.

"Why Ford, I thought your house was so full you couldn't give us a bed last night?" said Burder.

"I didn't say so," replied Lord.

"You didn't! What in the name of thunder did you say?

"You asked me to let you stay here all night, and I said it would be impossible, for the night was nigh unto two-thirds gone when you came. If you only wanted beds, why on earth didn't you say so?"

The lawyers had to give it up. Three of them on one side, and the landlord alone beat them all.

HARD ON THE LAWYERS.—An old lady walked into a lawyer's office lately, with her boy of seven summers old.

"'Squire, I called to see if you would like to take this boy and endeavor to make a lawyer of him."

"Decidedly too young, madam. Have you no older boys?"

"Oh yes, sir; but we mean to make farmers of them. My husband and I thought, however, that this one would make a first-rate lawyer, and so I brought him to you."

"Much too young, madam, to commence the study of the profession. But why do you suppose this boy better calculated to make a lawyer than your older sons; what are his peculiar qualifications?"

"Oh, well, you see, sir, he's just seven years old to-day; when he was five he would lie like the devil: when he got to be six he was sassy and impudent as any critter could be, and now he will steal everything he can lay his hands upon. Now if he ain't fit for a lawyer, I would like to know what he will have to learn?"

"Pretty well educated, I should think. Too young, however. Good morning, madam."

☞ Applications are now pending for the pardon of 86 members of the rebel Congress; 182 graduates of West Point; 127 rebel generals, including Bragg, Longstreet, Beauregard and two or three of the Lees; and 116 ex U. S. officers.