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TENDERS her services to the ladies of Baton Rouge and the surrounding country. Attends all diseases of Women and Children, chronic or acute, of whatever form or type. Ladies would do well to consult Dr. VIRGINIA WOODS several weeks before confinement, which would prevent useless anxiety, ensure safety, and cause less suffering. Ladies in the country can be accommodated for the lying-in-month, at her residence, where they will receive all possible attention. Night and day calls, promptly attended to. Consultations, free. Charges moderate. Now is the time for all laboring under complaints to call immediately. Office and residence—corner of Main and Division streets, Baton Rouge.  
June 24-1th

**DR. KRATZ,**  
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(Opposite Mrs. Jones' Boarding House.)  
June 24-1th  
**BATON ROUGE, LA.**

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

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**Justice of the Peace,**  
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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.  
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**SURGEON DENTIST,**  
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(LATE RESIDENCE OF WM. G. WALKER.)  
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**PIANO-MAKER,**  
TUNES & REPAIRS PIANOS, MELODEONS, &c.  
LONG experience in my own manufacture in Prussia, enables me to do the most difficult work, at REASONABLE TERMS.  
Written orders to be left at Mr. Joshua Beal's Book Store, or at Mr. Goldmann's.  
June 24-6mos.

**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.  
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BONDS, STOCKS, COIN AND  
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OFFICE ON CAMP STREET,  
Between Canal and Common Streets,  
New Orleans, La.  
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**A. BAUMSTARK,**  
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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

**SUMMER 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.

**HARNEY HOUSE,**  
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Proprietor.  
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**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. July 1

**Flour!.....Flour!!**  
100 BARRELS fresh ground Flour, various grades, now in store and for sale at the lowest current rates.  
A CALL SOLICITED.  
July 1  
**JOSHUA BEAL.**

**Superior Pastry Flour.**  
25 BARRELS superb pastry Flour—will suit the most fastidious—now in store and for sale by  
July 1  
**JOSHUA BEAL.**

**Hay, Corn, Oats, Bran & Lime.**  
A SUPPLY of the above-named articles, usually on hand and for sale by  
July 1  
**JOSHUA BEAL.**

**MESS PORK, Bacon, Sugar, Coffee, &c**  
THE leading articles of Produce and Groceries in use in families and on plantations can be had at the store of  
July 1  
**JOSHUA BEAL.**

**Salt!.....Salt!!**  
PLANTERS in want of Salt can make it to their interest to purchase of  
July 1  
**JOSHUA BEAL.**

**Corn Meal, Grits and Crushed Corn.**  
THE above articles manufactured by  
July 1  
**JOSHUA BEAL.**

**RICE, BEANS, Potatoes, Dried Apples, &c.**  
FOR sale in small quantities, by  
July 1  
**JOSHUA BEAL.**

**GRASS ROPE, Flow Lines and Brooms.**  
TO save time and money, or buy a new Broom, call at the store of  
July 1  
**JOSHUA BEAL.**

**SCHOOL BOOKS,**  
STATIONERY,  
PENS, INKS, SLATES,  
PENCILS,  
FANCY GOODS,  
NOTIONS, &c.  
For sale by  
**JOSHUA BEAL.**

**M. GRANARY,**  
DEALER IN  
**WESTERN PRODUCE,**  
FAMILY GROCERIES  
-AND-  
**Plantation Supplies Generally.**

**BEGGS** 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.  
July 1

**NICHOLAS WAX,**  
DEALER IN  
**WESTERN PRODUCE**  
-AND-  
**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.  
July 1-1f

**Flour! Flour!!**  
50 BBS. FLOUR. Just received and for sale by  
July 1-1f  
**N. WAX,**  
Near the Court House.

**Corn! Corn!!**  
50 SACKS CORN. Just received and for sale by  
July 1-1f  
**N. WAX,**  
Near the Court House.

**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 manufacturers, comprising—

**LUBIN'S, Madam DURANPE,**  
**HAZIN and WRIGHTS.**

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 SOHNAPPS,

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 SEQUIN,

PERCHLORURE DE FER DE PRAVAR,  
HUILE DE FOIE DE MORUE DE TOUGHS,

..... (do Hoeg) .....

Will receive by the next steamer a fresh lot of Patent Medicines, direct from manufacturers.

WINTER GARDEN SEEDS—just received.  
COAL OIL and  
COAL LAMPS—a variety on hand.

LRECHES always on hand.

All orders from the country carefully put up and promptly attended to.

**JASTREMSKI & McCORMICK.**  
Store nearly opposite the Branch of the Louisiana State Bank.  
July 1

**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.  
July 1

**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.  
July 1-1f

**F. E. PRUYN.....ROBT. L. PRUYN,**  
**PRUYN & BRO.,**  
**CARPENTERS AND BUILDERS,**  
BATON ROUGE, LA.  
Orders left at Jastremski & McCormick's Drug Store, will meet prompt attention.  
July 1-6m

**FURNITURE WARE-ROOMS,**  
Main St., between Third and Church,  
BATON ROUGE, LA.

THE undersigned is now prepared to receive orders for all kinds of Furniture and Cabinet work. Will make or mend in the best manner, and at the lowest figures, FOR CASH ONLY. In the Undertaking business he has now on hand a fine assortment of Metallic Cases, and is ready to receive orders in this line of business, which will meet the attention usually given by the old firm of Piper & Bradford.  
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**FRED. FUNKE**

**Wall Paper! Wall Paper!!**  
10,000 ROLLS WALL PAPER, of the finest patterns. On hand and for sale by  
July 1-1f  
**JAMES McVAY,**  
Opposite the La. State Bank.

**Window Shades! Window Shades!!**  
A LARGE and choice assortment of various patterns.  
July 1-1f  
**JAMES McVAY,**  
Opposite the La. State Bank.

**Plaster of Paris! Plaster of Paris!!**  
5 BBS. PLASTER OF PARIS. Just received, and for sale by  
July 1-1f  
**JAMES McVAY,**  
Opposite the La. State Bank.

**Flour! Fresh Flour!**  
75 BBS. FLOUR. Just received and for sale by  
July 1-1f  
**J. J. DUNDANS,**  
Cor. Main and Levee Sts.

**"GAZETTE AND COMET"**  
CITY STEAM

**Book and Job-Printing Office.**

**Work Done at Cash Prices.**

**FOR CASH ONLY.**

**RECENT LARGE ADDITIONS OF STOCK**

**FANCY JOB MATERIAL,**

**LIGHTNING PRESSES;**

**CARD AND PAPER CUTTERS**

**AND OTHER IMPROVED**

**Labor-Saving Inventions,**

**Equal to any in the Union.**

**Fancy Job-Printing,**

**IN THE**

**RICHEST STYLE OF ART,**

**RAINBOW COLORS,**

**IN GOLD AND BRONZE.**

**BOOK-WORK, PAINTING,**

**Circulars, Catalogues, Briefs,**

**BILL-HEADS,**

**Bills Lading, Programmes,**

**POSTERS, LABELS,**

**Wedding, Visiting, Professional, Business**

**AND OTHER**

**CARDS.**

**IN THE BEST AND NEATEST STYLE.**

**ALSO,**

**BOOK-BINDING,**

**Blank Book Manufacturing.**

**Terms of the Paper:**

THE TRI-WEEKLY.....\$10 in advance.  
For 3 months..... 3 in advance.

**Contracting Rates for the Tri-Weekly.**

(ONE SQUARE IS TEN LINES OR LESS.)

No. Squares. 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

1 square.....\$5 25  
2 squares..... 10 50  
3 squares..... 15 75  
4 squares..... 20 1.00  
5 squares..... 25 1.25  
6 squares..... 30 1.50  
7 squares..... 35 1.75  
8 squares..... 40 2.00  
9 squares..... 45 2.25  
10 squares..... 50 2.50

Parties wishing to contract for quarterly or yearly advertising—liberal deductions will be made from the above rates.

No special notices or pulls admitted before marriage.

No trade taken in payment for advertising.

No cuts admitted other than the ordinary designed for newspapers.

No indecent advertisements of medicines admitted at any price.

J. C. CHARLOTTE,  
T. R. H. HATCH,  
G. A. PIKE.

**The Gazette & Comet**

**OBEISANCE TO THE PUBLIC.**

**TRI-WEEKLY GAZETTE AND COMET.**

Time was when this old and well-known journal entered daily for the edification and entertainment of its hosts of readers and patrons. But, times change and things change with them. The advent of War, followed, alas! by so many sad and startling changes in the condition and pursuits of the Southern people, rendered it necessary to drop the daily publication and assume instead a simple weekly issue. The War terminating, and the dawn of a more quiet and prosperous future appearing, afford now encouraging earnest of a gradual though sure return to the arts and pursuits of peace, on the part of our people.

Embracing the occasion, therefore, to fall in and keep pace with the steady progress towards a brighter condition in the affairs of our common country, the undersigned have formed a mutual association for the purpose of carrying on the newspaper, job printing and bindery business of the *Gazette and Comet* office.

Dating from to-day, the *Gazette and Comet* emerges from a weekly to a tri-weekly journal. To meet the enlarged expenses consequent upon this alteration, we confidently rely upon a generous increase of patronage. This we shall strive to merit by the labor and attention which we intend devoting to the several departments of business we have undertaken mutually to conduct, comprising as above stated, the newspaper and job offices and bindery.

As soon as practicable, the *Gazette and Comet* will be issued daily.

J. C. CHARLOTTE,  
T. R. H. HATCH,  
G. A. PIKE.

**GENERAL NEWS.**

The Emperor Napoleon, it is said has ordered trials to be made with a new square-mouthed gun, which has been invented by an officer of the French navy.

It is stated that the great Chicago lake tunnel has now reached a distance of 2,890 feet, and the work is progressing at the rate of twelve feet every twenty-four hours.

They kill pigs by steam in Chicago. A great iron claw, with five fingers, hooks out the pigs which are quarreling in the pen below, and lifts the porkers to a gibbet near by, then plunges them again into scalding water. By the machine fifty porcines are killed, scalded, scraped cleaned, split and hung in rows ready for salting within an hour.

The Hazard powder mills at Enfield, Ct., exploded on the 5th inst. Two workmen were killed, and the building entirely destroyed. This is about the 500th time these mills have blown up. Hazardous business.

The bills for the funeral expenses of Mr. Lincoln, including the decoration of the public buildings at Washington, etc., amount to about \$25,000. The cost of President Harrison's funeral was \$30,000.

The United States Post Office Department has now become a paying institution. For the last six months of 1864, its net profits over all expenses were \$732,230 69, or at the rate of a million and a half a year. But the profits of the first six months of 1865 will be yet larger. During the last six months of Mr. Buchanan's administration the loss for carrying and distributing the mails was over \$3,400,000.—The postal receipts from the States in the Union in 1864 exceeded those of all the States in 1861 by \$2,072,000.

Red and blue cravats are fashionable in London. The Prince of Wales adopted the style lately, at a public dinner.

The Congress Spring at Saratoga has been sold for \$210,000 in gold. A French physician, Dr. Brisson, is said to have discovered a cure for hydrophobia, in the use of the hot vapor bath gradually raised as high as from 93 to 100 degree Fahrenheit.

The St. Louis Republican, says: Mr. Hale, Superintendent of the Pacific Railroad, expresses the opinion that the cars will run through from St. Louis to Kansas City, by September 1st.

The gross receipts of the leading

newspapers of Philadelphia for advertising last year were as follows: Ledger, \$61,000; Inquirer, \$31,000; Press, \$31,000; Bulletin, \$20,700; German Democrat, \$10,000.

The summer travel to all places of popular resort is immense. One of the Hudson river boats left New York the other day with 1,200 passengers.

A Fortress Monroe correspondent states that yellow fever prevails at Washington, N. C., and that strict quarantine is forced in Hampton Roads on all vessels arriving from there.

The gross receipts for the principal places of amusement, in New Orleans, for the past season, were as follow: Academy of Music, Spalding, Rogers & Bidwell, managers, \$103,306 65; Varieties Theatre \$79,535 25, and the St. Charles, Ben DeBar, and E. Eldy, managers, \$58,973 75. It will thus be seen that the Academy was the most successful, and took nearly \$25,000 over the Varieties, and over \$45,000 more than the St. Charles.

Charles Schweiger, a New York butcher, died on the 29th ult., from the effects of a fly bite. An autopsy of the body made it evident that the death was occasioned by the absorption of morbid animal matter deposited by the insect.

Chalk James Webster, of Grant county, Ky., is the father of forty-five children, eighty grandchildren and twenty-seven great-greats.—He is now in his seventy-fourth year, living with his fourth wife.

Henry Southey, M. D., D. C. L., F. R. S., brother of the poet and physician of eminence, died recently in London, aged 82. He was considered the highest medical authority on all matters connected with lunacy.

Mad. Anna Bishop, the celebrated singer, has returned from Mexico and proposes a professional tour of the Northern watering places.

Miss Lizzie Lock, a convert to Judaism from Christianity, was admitted to the congregation of Israel, with appropriate ceremonies, at Memphis, a few days ago.

Thomas M. Wells, late of the U. S. Navy, son of Gov. Wells, of Louisiana, was married on the 20th ult., in the city of Jefferson, to Miss Naomi Livandais.

Hon. William Wilkins, of Penn., Secretary of War under President Jackson, died recently at the advanced age of eighty-six.

NAPOLEON'S RETURN TO PARIS.—Says the New York Herald's Paris correspondent of the 13th ult.:

The Emperor returned to Paris on Saturday evening, after an absence of forty days in Algeria. He was received with great enthusiasm and loud cries of "Vive l'Empereur" greeted him on his way from the railway station to the Tuilleries.—The Empress and Prince Imperial, who had met him at Fontainebleau, rode in the same carriage with him from the station. His Majesty looks well and is considerably browned by the African sun. In the evening the public buildings and many private houses were illuminated and hung with flags. The Emperor may well be proud of the reception he received, and at the fact of finding Paris all safe and in good order as when he left it. Since that time great and stirring events have occurred. Your President has been assassinated and the republican elements of France have made his death the excuse for extended demonstrations. His Majesty's own "cher cousin" has come out in open opposition to the known principles of the Emperor in the Corps Legislatif. Sharp and determined attacks have been made upon his policy by a well organized and able opposition, and what in former times would have been the most formidable danger of all—a hundred thousand workmen out of employ have been clamoring for bread and work, and yet with all these dangerous elements at work there have been no barricades thrown up, no signs of revolution, and the Emperor on his return is greeted with the enthusiastic shouts of the workmen of the Faubourg St. Antoine through whose quarter he took pains to ride on his way to the Tuilleries. It may not be love, and it may be fear, which make Paris so peaceful now; but at any rate the fact exists.