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OFFICIAL DIRECTORY

STATE OFFICERS.
Governor: Murphy J. Foster of St. Mary.
Lieut. Gov.: Chas. Parlane of P. Coupee.
Sec. of State: T. S. Adams of E. Feliciana.
Aud. Pub. Acc'ts.: W. W. Heard of Union.
State Treasurer: John Pickett of Bossier.
Att'y Gen.: M. J. Cunningham Natchitoch's.
Supp. Pub. Ed.: Lafourche Avoyelles.
U. S. SENATORS.

E. D. White, of Orleans.
R. L. Gibson, of Orleans.

STATE SENATORS.
J. S. Perkins, of Assumption.
John D. Shafter, of Terrebonne.

JUDGES SUPREME COURT.
Chief Justice: F. T. Nicholls of Orleans.
Associate: J. A. Breaux of Iberia.
" C. E. Fenner, of Orleans.
" S. D. McNeely, of Ouachita.
" L. B. Watkins, of Red River.

CIRCUIT COURT OF APPEALS, Fifth Circuit.
R. T. Beauregard, of St. Bernard.
H. D. Smith, of St. Mary.

CONGRESSMAN, 3rd. Congressional Dist.
Andrew Price, of Lafourche.

18th. Judicial District.
Judge: L. P. Caillouet.
Dist. Attorney: B. F. Winchester.

JUSTICE OF THE PEACE.
1st Ward, H. Clement. 2nd Ward, Alcece Onal.
3rd Ward, Evariste Bernard. 4th Ward, Omer Savoie.
5th Ward, Arthur A. Boudreaux. 6th Ward, Sylvester Martinez.
7th Ward, John Pittman. 8th Ward, Louis Falgout.
9th Ward, B. Penonib. 10th Ward, Auguste Cretni.

CONSTABLES.
1st Ward, Evariste Morvant. 2nd Ward, Emile Dugas.
3rd Ward, Alberic Bergeron. 4th Ward, Edwin Birdsall.
5th Ward, Myrtle Kerne. 6th Ward, William Prestenback.
7th Ward, Wellington Hebert. 8th Ward, C. W. Elliot.
9th Ward, Henry Tenny. 10th Ward, Taylor Adam.

PARTY OFFICERS.
Representatives: M. Delaune.
" A. Delamotte.
" De. W. F. Harang.
Clerk of Court: C. J. Barker.
Sheriff: P. E. Lorio.
Treasurer: A. J. Brand.
Printer: F. Saucan.
Assessor: Prosper Toups.
Returning Officer: T. J. Johnson.

POLICE JURORS.
President, T. D. Kent; E. U. Morvant, H. W. Tabor, Chas. E. Gaudé, Ellis Foret, Emile Ledet, Louis Lerily, Frank Christen, Pierre Breaux, Clerk Police Jury: H. N. Coulon, Sergeant at arms, E. Dugas, James Bollinger, Oyster Inspector.

DRAINAGE COMMISSIONERS.
Dist. No. 1.—Thos. Beary, Jos. A. Claudet, and J. H. S. Mire.
Dist. No. 2.—John McCullah, L. Keeffe, and H. W. Tabor.
Dist. No. 3.—C. Lagarde, M. Bergeron, Andrew Price, Adolphe Folse, Orville Thibodaux.
Dist. No. 4.—Livaudis Ledet, Jos. O. Toups, Leo LeBlanc.
Dist. No. 5.—T. D. Kent, L. A. Troclair, S. Morvant.
Dist. No. 6.—Jos. Thibodaux, A. Theriot, Wilson Lepine.
Dist. No. 7.—C. S. Mathews, R. Foret and H. Ayo.
Dist. No. 8.—S. Bourg, Loviney J. LeBlanc, and J. T. Badaux.
Dist. No. 9.—Jos. P. Bourgeois, Paul Leort, and Estival Savoie.

ROAD AND LEVÉE INSPECTORS.
District No. 1.—J. B. Bourgeois.
No. 2.—Ferdinand Pire.
No. 3.—L. A. Belanger.
No. 4.—Oscar Bourg.
No. 5.—Michel Adam.
No. 6.—J. B. S. Mire.
No. 7.—Elies Rodrigue.
No. 8.—Orville Thibodaux.
No. 9.—

MUNICIPAL OFFICERS.
Mayor, W. C. Ragan; Councilmen, L. P. Caillouet, A. J. Meyer, Ozone Naquin, Thomas Alber, T. P. Bergeron, and Frank Zernott.
Treasurer: P. L. Braud.
Town Marshal: J. Walsh.
Clerk: H. N. Coulon.
Printer: A. J. Brand.
Post Mistress: Mrs. L. Curtis.
Directors of the School Board: R. L. McBride president; A. F. Knobloch, superintendent and secretary; A. J. Braud, Numa Elfer, Chas. S. Mathews, Jules Orillon, W. E. Howell, J. L. LeBlanc, Emile Toups.

THIBODAUX BRIDGE COMMITTEE.
W. C. Ragan, president; Chas. J. Barker, secretary; Frank Zernott, H. W. Tabor, E. U. Morvant, Emile L.

RAILROAD SCHEDULE.

1st train leaves Thibodaux at 8 a. m., connections at Schriever with New Orleans train, and arrives at 10:45 a. m.

2nd train leaves Thibodaux at 2:40 p. m., connects at Schriever with East and West trains, and arrives at 3:55 p. m.

Mail closes 30 minutes before the departure of the trains.

One mail from New Orleans arrives in Thibodaux at 10:45 a. m., and two mails leave Thibodaux for New Orleans, one at 8 a. m., and the other at 2:40 p. m.

January 1st, 1890

Mr. F. Gouany, Houma, La.
Your "The Ointment Salve" is the best remedy I have ever tried for piles, it has cured me of a very bad case I had for years. I know several persons it has cured also, am an old man and I have seen many cases treated by many doctors and patent medicines, nothing can compare with your salve. You ought to quit all your other business and do nothing but prepare that salve by large quantities. It was well known you could not prepare enough of it. Yours truly,

Elliandis P. O. La. SAMUEL WOLF

Price, \$1.00 by all druggists

LIST OF JURORS.

The following is the list of Jurors for the first week of the next Criminal Term of the 18th Judicial District Court beginning on Monday, March 6th, 1893, to serve on the Grand and Petit Juries, as drawn by the Jury Commissioners on the 5th day of January, 1893:

- | WARD. | JUROR | WARD. | JUROR |
|-------|----------------------|-------|----------------------|
| 1 | Théophile Tortes | 6 | Numa Folse |
| 2 | Louis A. Riviere | 7 | Sylvere Morvant |
| 3 | Joseph Knight | 8 | M. M. LeBlanc |
| 4 | J. J. Brown | 9 | Lenus J. Babin |
| 5 | C. P. Shaver | 10 | John Lyall, Jr. |
| 6 | Robert Effert | 11 | Isidore Kramer |
| 7 | Klébert Braud | 12 | William Griffin, Jr. |
| 8 | Emile Lefort | 13 | Thomas J. White |
| 9 | Thomas Alberti | 14 | Anatole Dionne |
| 10 | Oliver Fleetwood | 15 | Savinien Morvant |
| 11 | Marcilien Bourgeois | 16 | Edmond Bourgeois |
| 12 | Orclen Breaux | 17 | Joseph Leonard |
| 13 | Alberic Bergeron | 18 | Chas. J. Coulon |
| 14 | Lee Foret | 19 | Leon Gilbert |
| 15 | Numa Folse | 20 | Jules Hoffmann |
| 16 | Sylvere Morvant | 21 | Paul Lee |
| 17 | M. M. LeBlanc | 22 | Adrien Rich |
| 18 | Lenus J. Babin | 23 | Alidor Robichaux |
| 19 | John Lyall, Jr. | 24 | Ferjus Kramer |
| 20 | Isidore Kramer | 25 | J. S. Levron |
| 21 | William Griffin, Jr. | 26 | Leo LeBlanc |
| 22 | Thomas J. White | 27 | Etienne Hébert |
| 23 | Anatole Dionne | 28 | Adelard Torres |
| 24 | Savinien Morvant | 29 | Amaéo Ancoin |
| 25 | Edmond Bourgeois | 30 | Clovis Lusignan |
| 26 | Joseph Leonard | 31 | Richard Griffin |
| 27 | Chas. J. Coulon | 32 | William Disher |
| 28 | Leon Gilbert | 33 | John Webre |
| 29 | Jules Hoffmann | 34 | Charles Flasch |
| 30 | Paul Lee | 35 | Felix Poche |
| 31 | Adrien Rich | 36 | R. J. Naquin |
| 32 | Alidor Robichaux | 37 | Philip Pitre |
| 33 | Ferjus Kramer | 38 | Arthur Lerilly |
| 34 | J. S. Levron | 39 | Evariste Morvant |
| 35 | Leo LeBlanc | 40 | Filmore Molaison |
| 36 | Etienne Hébert | 41 | Jules Monier |
| 37 | Adelard Torres | | |
| 38 | Amaéo Ancoin | | |
| 39 | Clovis Lusignan | | |
| 40 | Richard Griffin | | |
| 41 | William Disher | | |
| 42 | John Webre | | |
| 43 | Charles Flasch | | |
| 44 | Felix Poche | | |
| 45 | R. J. Naquin | | |
| 46 | Philip Pitre | | |
| 47 | Arthur Lerilly | | |
| 48 | Evariste Morvant | | |
| 49 | Filmore Molaison | | |
| 50 | Jules Monier | | |

For second week beginning on Monday, March 13th, 1893.

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| 1 | J. G. Oschwald |
| 2 | Abel Hebert |
| 3 | Emmanuel Barrios |
| 4 | Robert Bourgeois |
| 5 | A. J. J. J. |
| 6 | Thomas Beary |
| 7 | Ozeme Adam |
| 8 | Alphonse Pitre |
| 9 | J. M. Bourg |
| 10 | L. A. Dansereau |
| 11 | Hamilton Ayo |
| 12 | Felix Boyd |
| 13 | Abel Lasseigge |
| 14 | Wm. H. Ragan, Jr. |
| 15 | W. F. Chivers |
| 16 | Clement H. Hargis |
| 17 | Theophile P. Bergeron |
| 18 | John S. Barker |
| 19 | Emile Guillot |
| 20 | Henry Lejeune |
| 21 | Emile Adam |
| 22 | Henry Boell |
| 23 | E. A. Delchamps |
| 24 | Beauregard Clement |
| 25 | Augustin Bourgeois |
| 26 | F. L. Barilleaux |
| 27 | Tucker Adam |
| 28 | Beauregard LeBlanc |
| 29 | Ozeme Hebert |
| 30 | J. A. Legendre |

For third week beginning Monday, March 20th, 1893:

- | WARD. | JUROR |
|-------|---------------------|
| 1 | Antoine Fernandez |
| 2 | J. Otis Knobloch |
| 3 | Camille H. Braud |
| 4 | Andre Matherne |
| 5 | Leo Bailie |
| 6 | Edward Lee Hunter |
| 7 | J. B. S. Mire |
| 8 | Klebert Schexneider |
| 9 | Thomas Barker, Jr. |
| 10 | Taylor Lejeune |
| 11 | F. Montegut |
| 12 | L. D. Lapeyrouse |
| 13 | Ozeme Boudreaux |
| 14 | Allain Richard |
| 15 | Armand Ancoin |
| 16 | Clifton Lathrop |
| 17 | Hector Caillouet |
| 18 | Ben. Knight |
| 19 | W. A. Roberts, Sr. |
| 20 | Wilfred Bergeron |
| 21 | Philip Naquin |
| 22 | Charles Lasseigne |
| 23 | Loviney J. LeBlanc |
| 24 | J. B. Leche |
| 25 | Peter Fey |
| 26 | James Laforest |
| 27 | Joachim Lagarde |
| 28 | James McCulla |
| 29 | H. J. Lagarde |
| 30 | James Dill |

This completes the list of jurors to serve in the next Criminal Term of the 18th Judicial District Court, of the Parish of Lafourche.

GENERAL BEAUREGARD.

Brief Sketch of His Distinguished Life.

Gen. Beauregard came from a distinguished French family. On his mother's side he was descended from the dukes of Modena and Peggio, and on his father's side from a Welsh lord famous in the thirteenth century. Jacques Touant de Beauregard was the first of this family to settle in Louisiana. He was a comodore in the royal navy, so that the famous general may be said to have, in a measure, inherited his military genius.

Gen. Beauregard was born in St. Bernard parish, May 18, 1818. The basis of his education he secured in New York City and in 1834 he received his appointment to the West Point Military Academy, graduating second in a class of forty-five that included many young men who afterwards became famous in military and civil ranks. He entered the engineers' corps after leaving the great college. When the war with Mexico broke out he went with the army of conquest, engaging himself in the construction of defenses at Tampico, and in the siege operations at Vera Cruz, and accompanying the army in its battles at Cerro Gordo, Contreras, Chapultepec and the City of Mexico, being twice wounded, emerging from the war a brevetted major, and attaining the full rank of captain of engineers in 1853, after years of continuous service.

Returning to New Orleans he was assigned to engineering work in this vicinity and the vicinity of Mobile and in 1861 was made superintendent of the Military Academy at West Point. Before the final clash of the war then impending he resigned from the Federal Army and offered his services to the Confederacy. He was immediately made a Brigadier General and assigned to

THE DEFENSE OF CHARLESTON,

firing the first gun of the great war between the States and rapidly reducing Fort Sumter, then in command of Major Anderson. From Charleston he was ordered to Virginia and was in command of the Confederate forces practically winning the great victory of Bull Run which sent a thrill throughout the country, raising the hopes of the South to the highest pitch. From Virginia he was ordered to Tennessee and was second in command on the bloody field of Shiloh, until the death of the lamented Albert Sidney Johnston, when he took full charge of the Confederate forces, almost completely routing the enemy and only calling a halt at night when his men were entirely worn out with the terrible engagement they had fought. Buell's reinforcements on the following day turned the tide at Shiloh, and Beauregard beat an orderly retreat, falling back to Corinth, whence he retreated southward.

General Beauregard, with the full rank of general, was subsequently ordered to Charleston, and his defenses of the Atlantic seaboard against the operations of the fleet of the Federal navy and land forces and the unlimited resources of the Federal government attracted world-wide attention and established General Beauregard's reputation as a military genius. In 1864 Beauregard reinforced Lee in Virginia, defeating Butler at Drury's Bluff and withstanding the Federal advance at Petersburg. Thence he went West and subsequently to Georgia to intercept Sherman's march to the sea. Retiring from Georgia he joined Johnston in North Carolina and surrendered in 1865.

After the war Gen. Beauregard returned to New Orleans, and up to the time of his death always evinced a deep interest in public affairs. He was Adjutant General under both Govs. Wiltz and McEnery, and in 1888 his name added strength to the movement for the overthrow of the ring government then in power. He was elected Commissioner of Public Works, resigned after a short occupancy of the office. Gen. Beauregard assisted the late Judge Roman in his work on "The Military Operations of General Beauregard in the War between the States," and was the author of "Principles and Maxims of the War and Report of the Defense of Charleston." After the war Gen. Beauregard was offered the command of the Roumanian Army and of the Egyptian Army, and also offered positions of prominence in the armies of France and Turkey, but all of these he declined from a high sense of patriotism.

Gen. Beauregard was married in 1841 to Miss Laure Villere, a grand daughter of the second governor of Louisiana, the issue of the union being three children, Rene T. Beauregard, a prominent attorney and judge of the Circuit Court of Appeals; Henry T. Beauregard, formerly a sugar planter in this State but now a resident of St.

Louis, and Miss Laure Beauregard, who became the wife of Mr. Charles Larendon and who died some years ago. In 1860 Gen. Beauregard married a second time, his bride being Miss Caroline Deslonde, daughter of a prominent sugar planter of St. James and a sister of the wife of Senator Sliedell. She died in 1864 while the general was at the front.—Daily States.

OPINIONS OF THE LOUISIANA PRESS.

MAKES THE FARMERS SCRATCH THEIR HEADS.

Farmerville Gazette: Bacon at 15 cents per pound while cotton is at 7 and 8 cents per pound should make our people turn the thought over in their heads. "It is not the part of good judgment to raise more meat at home and cultivate less cotton." The indications are that meat will continue to rise in price to 20 cents per pound before next summer closes.

INTELLIGENCE AND SUFFRAGE.

Cartell Banner Democrat: Education and intelligence are essential to good government, and should be rigidly required as a condition precedent to the exercise of the right of suffrage. Such an amendment to our state constitution would be strictly legitimate and advisable as speedily as possible. When done, ignorance, the demagogue's stock in trade during elections, would be no longer available as a curse and fraud-producing factor. A free ballot and fair count would then mean exactly what it says.

THE STATE CIRCUIT COURT.

Baton Rouge Advocate: The press of the state seems to be almost a unit on the necessity for the abolition of the Circuit Court of Appeals. An expenditure of \$48,000 a year is necessary for the maintenance of these courts, and that amount of money expended in that manner is just about as wisely spent as it would be if cast into the sea. The opinion of the best lawyers in the state is to the effect that the Circuit Court is an unnecessary encumbrance upon the judicial system of the state, and is altogether an expensive luxury.

CYPRESS TIMBER OF THE ATCHAFALAYA.

Morgan City Advocate: This immediate section of the state is directly interested in the development of the cypress industry, for three-fourths of the timber lands lie in the great basin of the Atchafalaya, the waters of which flow past our doors. No better location for a large mill could be found than that of Morgan City, from which point there is easy communication by water or rail to all parts of the world. There are several magnificent mill sites in this neighborhood which can be easily secured, and only await capital.

MORE CORN, LESS COTTON.

Tensas Gazette: Land and laborers alone cannot grow a cotton crop. Money and supplies are essential to its production. It is plain then that the men who furnish the "sinews of war" can absolutely regulate the production of a large portion of the crop, by insisting that their customers plant less cotton and devote more acreage to corn and other crops. Let the merchants again exert their powerful influence and insist that their customers plant more corn and food crops; let them insert clauses to this effect in their contracts, and enforce them by holding on to their money unless complied with, and the great purpose in view will be more surely accomplished than if meetings for the same purpose be held in every county in every cotton growing state.

To keep Potatoes.

Farm Journal.

It is excessive warmth which causes potatoes to rot in pits, and the warmth is induced by the fermentation in the potato, induced by the moisture. For this reason potatoes should be well dried when pitted and kept dry until they have passed through this fermentation or sweating. Any fresh fruit or vegetable needs the best of ventilation, that the moisture and heat may pass off, otherwise they will decay. It is well, too, to keep them near the freezing point. There is no danger of freezing at a temperature which exceeds two or three degrees below the freezing point of water.

Wheat bran is an indispensable feed for butter cows. Even on the best pasture a daily feed of bran will pay well. It has recently been ascertained that the heaviest bran is not better butter producing food than that which is light. It should not weigh more than eighteen to twenty pounds per bushel.

Cora—If I should marry you, Jake, you must give up the practice of law. Jake—That would be impossible. Cora—Why so? Jake—I never had any.

LIST OF PATENTS

Granted to Southern inventors this week. Reported by C. A. Snow & Co. Solicitors of American and Foreign Patents, Opp. U. S. Patent Office, Washington, D. C.

W. A. Beatty, Plant City, Fla. Phosphate-washer. W. W. Bierce, Montgomery, Ala. System of tracks for transferring cotton-bales. F. W. Bruce, Mayport, Fla. Rotary valve. J. L. Butler, Huntley, N. C. Apparatus for wiring wood fences. A. A. Cameron, Cobsville, Ga. Bed-bottom. H. Campbell, Baltimore, Md. Crozing machine. H. Campbell, Baltimore, Md. Stave-crozing machine. J. J. Campbell, Gleason Station, Tenn. Flood fence. J. P. Canfield, Baltimore, Md. Feed-organ. T. J. Clement, New Orleans, La. Cooking utensil. J. Cornelius, Oakland, Md. Truck. J. M. Crews, Arlington, Tenn. Fastening device. A. S. Des a, Nolton, Ark. Car-door. C. C. Egerton, Baltimore, Md. Folding Basket. C. E. Emig, Baltimore, Md. System of water-supply. T. Fitzgibbon, Grove Centre, Ky. Combined reel-support and wire-stretcher. J. R. Gladney & J. C. Mayfield, Roanoke, Ala. Plow. J. E. Hill, Germantown, N. C. Filter. W. H. Johnson, Shreveport, La. Mosquito canopy. W. H. Keeckley, Covington, Ky. Coupling for trolley-wires. F. G. Kollenberg, Owensborough, Ky. Letter-box. J. L. Madden, Lewisport, Ky. Baling press. J. R. Pflanz, Louisville, Ky. Railway-crossing. E. Poole, Fordyce, Ark. Nut-lock. G. W. Ramsburg, Van Clevesville, W. Va. Flood-fence. D. W. Reed, Bearden, Ark. Cant hook. J. C. Riley, New Orleans, La. Sugar-cane juice strainer and elevator. J. T. Satterwhite, Five Points, Ala. Mop. L. T. Slaughter, Roanoke, Va. Locomotive sand-box. J. F. Standford, Indian Ter. Magnetic tool. C. C. Stockard, Sr., Columbus, Miss. Garden-hoe plow. F. Stratner, Salisbury, Md. Draft regulator for locomotive smoke-stacks. W. H. Tinsley, Homer, La. Fish-trap. T. L. Willson, Leaksville, N. C. Electric reduction of refractory metallic compounds.

Oratorical Contest.

MR. O. H. SIMPSON, OF LAFAYETTE, CHOSEN AS VALEDICTORIAN.

The oratorical contest for the positions of valedictorian and salutatorian in the coming commencement of the law department of the Tulane University was held in the Tulane Hall Wednesday night. The room was crowded with the friends and sympathizers of the contestants. Mr. W. R. Great-house, the president of the law class, began the exercises by introducing to the audience Mr. Henry C. Miller, who presided. The contestants and the judges then took their places upon the stage. The judges were Mr. Frank Richardson, Mr. Brown, Mr. Preat, also Mr. James Davidson Hill and Mr. Gus A. Breaux, but the last two named gentlemen were not present.

The first speaker was Mr. H. Dink elspiel. His subject was "A Plea Against Capital Punishment." Second Mr. A. J. Peters, subject "Our Country." Third Mr. A. Muller, subject "Our Republic." Fourth Mr. P. A. Sompayrac, subject "Political Freedom." Fifth Mr. O. H. Simpson, subject "Our Responsibility as American Citizens." Sixth Mr. Percy Saint, subject "Progress of Americanism." Seventh Mr. J. C. Henriques, subject "Tariff."

The speeches were all of them very creditable productions, and one or two were quite remarkable as coming from undergraduates. The favorite of the audience was Mr. O. H. Simpson, both before and after his oration, and frequent cries of "Simpson" were heard while the judges were discussing their decision, and when he was announced the winner the enthusiasm was unbounded and his classmates bore him out on their shoulders. His delivery was good, his English clear and forcible and his arguments strong and logical. Mr. A. J. Peters was given the second place, which confers upon him the position of salutatorian. —N. O. Times-Democrat.

For the first time in ten years hogs have reached eight dollars per hundred in the Pittsburg market \$7.85 and \$7.87 at Chicago, St. Louis and Omaha. Now this looks like business for the hog raisers, but not for the pork buyer. These figures ought to stimulate hog raising all over our State. We used to do it, why not again?

AT THE WORLD'S FAIR,

BELL BOY (in hotel)—Come, wake up, sir; it's time for breakfast.

STRANGER—Why, Great Scott, it's only one o'clock in the morning!

BELL BOY—I know it; but it will be half past eight by the time the elevator reaches the ground floor.

The Celebrator.