

LAKE CHARLES COMMERCIAL.

LAKE CHARLES, LA.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 15, 1881.

Subscribers who fail to receive their paper, will please notify us of the fact.

Social, at the residence of H. C. Gill, Saturday evening the 15th. All are invited to participate.

SHARKS AROUND!—A shark was caught out of the lake last Wednesday morning by Tommy Hansen. The shark measured about two and a half feet in length.

Mr. P. F. Doleac, a No. 1 French baker, is preparing to open a new Bakery on Kirby street, at the place lately occupied by L. V. Touchy, as a bakery and grocery store.

NOTICE.—Having failed on account of sickness, to begin my school at the time designated in my regular announcement, I again wish to inform the public of my intention to commence on Monday, October 17th. JNO. MCNEESE.

The Circuit Court of Appeals met here last Monday, Judges J. M. Moore and A. B. Irion were on hand promptly. As there was but one case, they finished their labors and adjourned Monday evening, leaving for their respective homes Tuesday morning.

DREDGING OF CALCASIEU PASS. We are informed that articles of agreement, with Geo. C. Forbes & Co., for dredging out of the bar at the head of Calcasieu Pass, have been signed, and that we may expect that the work will be commenced in a few days.

SOMETHING NEW ON RYAN ST.—Mr. Peter Fassold has opened a Jewelry Store on Ryan street, next door to the store of R. Laundry & Co. He has a fine assortment of jewelry, clocks and watches, and his place has a very neat and attractive appearance.

Mr. G. Kann, Druggist, successor to Dr. J. C. Munday, has just received and is opening a large stock of Drugs, Chemicals and Fancy Articles, also pure Liquors, for medicinal purposes. Call and get acquainted with him, and you will go away well pleased.

Thanks to B. A. Salles, Esq., of Vermilionville, Dr. C. D. Craiu and Capt. Henry Kohn, of Ederly Station, for subscriptions to the COMMERCIAL. By the way, Capt. Kohn is again keeping the boarding-house at Ederly Station, and is prepared to receive and take care of the traveling public.

We invite particular attention to the cards of G. Kann, Druggist, and Dr. J. C. Munday. Mr. Kann comes among us to stay. He is highly recommended from New Orleans as a gentleman, and master of his profession, and, with Dr. Munday, we bespeak for him a liberal share of the public patronage.

NOW IS YOUR TIME FOR BARGAINS.—L. Kaufman, of Kaufman & Bloch, has just returned from New Orleans, where he has selected the largest and best assortment of goods ever brought to this parish. They are selling cheaper than the cheapest, for cash, and paying the highest cash prices for cotton, wool, hides and all kinds of country produce.

Attention is called to the fact that Mr. Jesse Hagar has bought out the interest of Mr. Robt. King, in the saloon recently kept by King & Lyons, on Ryan street, and that Mr. Hagar has just returned from New Orleans with a full and complete stock of fine wines, liquors and cigars, and that they are prepared to receive their friends in style. Give them a call and sample their goods.

Schooners Cleopatra and Rosina, and sloop Star, arrived Thursday, with freight for town. Schooner Devoti Brothers arrived same day at Bagdad, with a full cargo of freight for Lewis Cooper & Co., of that place. The vessels had been detained several days at Galveston on account of head winds, but got a slant Wednesday, came out and made the run. The whole fleet got back.

PERSONAL.

Dr. J. C. Munday has just returned from New Orleans.

Jos. George, Esq., left Thursday morning for Mobile, on a visit to his family.

Mr. Alphonse Levi, an Opelousas, merchant visited Lake Charles, in the early part of the week.

Our young friend A. M. Mayo, left for Opelousas last Sunday, to rest and enjoy himself generally.

F. H. Miller, representing Simon & Kohn of New Orleans, is on hand again with his samples, and a fine lot of them he has.

Isaac S. Meadows, Esq., from upper Sabine, was in town Thursday. He reports the timber business as booming in his neighborhood.

Robt. Landry, our energetic and enterprising young merchant, returned from New Orleans last night. He has been laying in his winter stock of goods.

Felix and Allen Perkins, sons of A. J. Perkins, Esq., and Gus. Farque, son of Amedee Farque, Esq., left Sunday morning for Soule's Commercial College, in New Orleans.

R. F. Gray, Esq., left for New Orleans yesterday morning. He has been rusticated with us since May last, and returns to New Orleans thoroughly re-instated in health.

Capt. L. C. Hershberger and Capt. J. A. Hurd, local inspectors of steam vessels from Galveston, were here this week on their annual tour of inspection, and for the purpose of investigating some alleged violations of the marine laws.

B. A. Salles gave us a call this week. He is now representing the house of Moffat & Gugenheim, confectioners, of New Orleans. We are glad to see Adrien doing well, and are sure that he will do his best for the house he represents.

Our friend Felix Bellocq had quite a serious attack of paralysis Monday night. At first it was feared that it would prove permanent, but we are happy to say, that he has so far recovered as to be able to be out on the street again.

F. A. Gallagher, Esq., returned home Wednesday night. We are pained to hear that his sister died on Thursday, the 6th inst. This is the second death in Mr. Gallagher's family within two years, his father having died just about two years since.

Messrs. Lewis R. Deputy and Pres. Hampton returned Tuesday night from St. Landry parish, bringing with them forty-five men to work at their tie camp, and expect thirty men more next week. Come on boys, plenty of work here at good wages, and your pay every night, if you want it.

We were pleased to meet Father Badol last Thursday. He was, several years ago, Parish Priest of this parish, and, as such, endeared himself to all with whom he came in contact, Protestants as well as Catholics. He now has charge of the Catholic Church at St. John Baptist, and is here simply on a visit of pleasure and recreation, and returned home this morning.

Miss Lizzie Walsh leaves for New Orleans to-morrow morning, for the purpose of selecting a stock of millinery goods. She informs us that she intends to keep everything in the millinery line, and to make her establishment one of the features of the town. Such an establishment is very much needed here, and we trust that Miss Walsh will meet with the encouragement that her enterprise deserves.

The first number of the first volume of the "Universal Co-Operation of Capital and Labor," published in New Orleans, is on our table. The new paper announces itself as the organ of the "Louisiana's Co-operative Central Factories and Internal Improvements Association," whose objects are the development of the agricultural and industrial resources of the State, to encourage immigration, to foster manufactures, to build schools and academies, and to consolidate the interests of New Orleans with those of the country. Subscription price, \$2.50 a year.

Mr. Isaac Vincent called on us yesterday. He is just from the east, where he has been to deliver a drove of beeves. He informs us that up to the time he left home over 1,000 barrels of rice had been harvested, and there are yet to be cut and harvested above 2,000 barrels more in his neighborhood.

Rough rice is selling now at Jacob Ryan & Sons' rice-mill at \$4 to \$4.50 per barrel, 3,000 barrels at \$3, makes \$12,000 to be distributed in one neighborhood. Rice is bound to be an important item in the commerce of Calcasieu, and that in the very near future.

A Light-Footed Bather.

A lady who went bathing in the river put on a pair of slippers with heavy cork soles to protect her feet from the pebbles. She had scarcely waded out to a point where the water reached her waist ere she was seized with a wild, untamed desire to stand on her head, but the conventionalities of society would be shocked by such an act, she knew, and, by a remarkable exercise of will and power, or something of that sort, she managed to keep her feet under her. After wading out a little further, however, the desire to indulge in a little gymnastic exercise overcame her scruples and in a jiffy her feet were pointing up to the north star, while her head was groping about for a good resting place in the sand at the bottom. A gentleman who witnessed her dilemma swam to her assistance, and holding her head above water, towed her feet ashore. When she next bathes she will probably wear leaden shoes.

Setting a Bloodhound on his Wife.

Frederick Wagner, a bar-room keeper in New York, quarrelled with his wife Tuesday night. He turned down the gas-lights in the room, and, unloosing a fierce and powerful bloodhound, he set the brute on the unfortunate woman. The dog seized her by the neck and arms, lacerating and tearing the flesh badly. Her cries of distress reached the ears of some boys on the streets, and they informed a policeman who entered the room and secured the infuriated animal. Wagner was taken into custody, and the dog was chained in a back room, and subsequently shot.

A journeyman file maker in Hoboken died the other day, and on examination it was found that his lungs were coated with iron filings. Almost simultaneously out West a newspaper man died, and at the post-mortem an entire newspaper was found in his left lung. It was said to have been remarkably edited, too—all stealings.

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DEED: KING—At his residence near the town of Lake Charles, on Sunday, October 9, 1881, Mr. E. A. King, aged 50 years, 3 months and 9 days.

Marine News.

ARRIVALS. Schrs. Champion, Rosina, John Albert, Cecilia. DEPARTURES. From Dees & Mearns' Mill—Schrs. Cecilia, with 17,500 ft. lumber, John Albert, with 22,000 ft. lumber, F. G. Moelling, with 55,000 ft. lumber, and Champion, with 22,000 ft. lumber, for W. F. Stewart & Co., Galveston.

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