Lake Charles Commercial.

SATURDAY, JUNE 4, 1892.

Gents underwear, for spring, big stock and low prices, at Jos. Hirsch & Son's.

Spring samples just received, at Jos. Hirsch & Son's. Call early and have your selection made to order. First come first served.

Gents Clothing, Furnishing Goods, Hats, Shoes, etc., the largest stock, latest styles and lowest prices, at Crager Bros.

Go to Mrs. Jos. Voltz's for cheap tin ware.

Our stock of Hosiery, Gloves, Mitts, Fans, etc., is the largest ever seen here, prices at the bottom. Crager Bros.

Have your spring suit made to order at Jos. Hirsch & Son's.

Perfumery, from the cheapest to the finest, and all kinds, can only be found at M. D. Kearney's drug store.

Our new spring stock is now complete in all lines, with all the latest and best styles, to suit all, at Crager Bros.

Stoves repaired cheap, at Mrs. Jos. Voltz's tin shop.

Hats, the latest styles and lowest prices, at Jos. Hirsch & Son's.

White Goods, Laces, Embroideries, Chiffons, etc., an elegant new stock, at bottom prices, at Crager Bros.

All kinds of tin-work done on short notice when orders are left at Mrs. Jos. Voltz's tin shop.

Spring Clothing arriving daily at Jos. Hirsch & Son's mamoth clothing store on Ryan street.

If your hair is falling out or turning gray try Beggs' Hair Renewer. Sold and warranted by W. A. Knapp.

Get the Fargoe's $2.50 shoe, all styles and wears well, at Jos. Hirsch & Son's.

Go to the Murray-Brooks Hardware Co's for the Mason Fruit Jars. Prices: Pints, 90 cents; quarts, $1.00; half gallon, $1.25 per dozen.

Go to Mrs. Jos. Voltz's when in need of tin ware and all kinds of tin-work.

In order to make room for our large spring stock of clothing, we will offer all clothing on hand for sale at cost. Jos. Hirsch & Son's.

SALESMAN—Energetic men wanted. Free prepaid outfit. One of our agents has earned over $20,000 in five years. P. O. Box 1371, New York.

"Cash Talks."

☞ Save money and price Sol. Bloch's goods before placing your orders.

Gent's business suits, for $10 and upwards, at Jos. Hirsch & Son's.

Religious.

The Right Reverend Davis Sessums, Bishop of Louisiana, will make his annual visitation to the church of the Good Shepherd, Lake Charles, June 25th, and will administer confirmation and celebrate the Holy Eucharist, at 11 o'clock a. m.

Call at Woolman & Williams, for screen doors.

A large and well assorted stock of fine toilet articles can always be found at the lowest prices, at the drug store of M. D. Kearney.

C. Bunker, one of our leading grocerymen, has just received a large and well assorted stock of California Evaporated Fruits, and is selling them like "hot cakes." Call early if you want to treat yourself.

A severe wind accompanied by heavy rain, visited our city last Tuesday night, but fortunately it lasted but a short while and done no damage that we heard of. We have had several much needed showers since.

The latest styles and fashions in neck wear, at Jos. Hirsch & Son's.

Hon. Andrew Price, Louisiana's worthy Representative in Congress, will please accept our thanks for a copy of the memorial addresses on the life and character of late Edward J. Gay, Representative from the Third Congressional District of Louisiana in the Forty-ninth and Fiftieth Congress.

Let Them Swear.

It is reported to us that the new assessment of real estate in the farming districts in this county is being put very materially below former figures, while there has been an increase in the valuation on real estate in town. While this may rejoice the single taxers to see a step made in their direction, though only a little one, yet we opine that there will be little else but swearing amongst the vacant lot owners and speculators in the city.—Parkersburg (W. V.) Daily Sentinel.

The Inge meetings at the opera house closed last Tuesday night.

Don't fail to attend the auction sale of household furniture to-day. See notice elsewhere.

Matt "Pompadour" is having his tonsorial parlor thoroughly renovated and intends putting in another chair.

Mr. John E. Runte has accepted a position in the mercantile establishment of Mr. A. Bluestein, on Ryan street.

Our readers' attention is directed to the notice headed, "Money! Money!!" in another column of this weeks' issue.

Mr. Geo. Cassara has received his new bread-hack and delivered bread to his customers in it last Thursday for the first time.

Rev. Mr. About will hold services at the Episcopal Church, in this city, to-morrow, Sunday. All are cordially invited to attend.

Schwab says he is a candidate for Mayor and intends to be one until 6 o'clock Monday evening. Then he will be elected *or defeated.*

Mr. J. V. Richard returned home Saturday night from a visit to San Antonio and other places of interest in the Lone Star State.

Mr. M. B. Hillyard, special correspondent of the Times-Democrat, was in Lake Charles during this week writing up this section.

Capt. Bryan is having the old court house, corner Ryan and Kirby streets, repainted on the outside and the inside remodled and offices made.

Capt. Cline, of the U. S. mail boat, between Lake Charles and Cameron, has secured the services of Mr. Jos. D. Boutte, of New Iberia, as engineer.

A grand ratification meeting was held last Monday night at the "City Hall" by the supporters of the "invincible ticket" headed by A. Schwab for mayor.

Woolman & Williams, is the place to get your oils.

Mr. Fred. Knapp attended the funeral of his grand-father, Mr. J. G. D'Armond, at Clinton, La., last Sunday evening. He returned home Tuesday night.

Next Monday, June 6th, is election day in Lake Charles. A mayor and five aldermen will be elected on that day to manipulate the city affairs for the coming year.

Mr. Jerry Cline, formerly an employee of the American, but for the last year has been attending college in Kansas, has returned home to spend vacation with his parents.

Last Wednesday morning a man by the name of Joseph Laurant was arrested and lodged in jail on a charge of making an improper proposition to the little daughter of Mr. Alex. McGinty.

Several northern families left this week, and several more will leave in a few days, for their northern home, but will return early in the fall to spend the winter among us.

We learned that forty-two people of this city took advantage of the excursion from Galveston to New Orleans last Tuesday night. There were three trains of twelve coaches each that composed the excursion.

Among our new advertisements this week will be seen that Mr. M. Cantin, proprietor of the "Lake City Barber Shop" the finest and neatest tonsorial parlor in the city. Mack is too well known as a first class barber to need any recommendation from us.

Call at Woolman & Williams for Queensware.

Prof. C. H. Bucher left this week on a visit to his old home in Rexmont, Pa. Mr. Bucher having given such satisfaction in the discharge of his duties as professor in our public school that the Parish School Board has deemed it proper to reappoint him for the coming term. The COMMERCIAL thinks a better appointment could not have been made, and wishes him a pleasant trip.

Last Tuesday Sheriff D. J. Reid was arrested upon two warrants issued out of the Third Ward Justice's Court upon two affidavits made by ex-Clerk of Court Thad. Mayo, charging Reid with defaming his character, and malfeasance, nonfeasance, extortion and favoritism in his capacity of sheriff and tax-collector of Calcasieu parish. Reid was placed under $500 bond in each case by Judge Fournet.

Eighth Month's Report of Our Public School.

The total enrollment and average attendance of our public school for the month ending May 26, were respectively 197 and 149. High school 26-22, grammer 29-26, intermediate 31-22, secondary 35-26, second primary 37-24 and first primary 39-29.

Honor roll.—Charles Bullock, Edith McCoy, Daniel Gorham, Helen McCoy, Ernest Schindler, Philomena McCormick, Emma Alexander, Edwin Gorham, Lizzie Lehman, Ophelia Lehman, Stella McNeese, Daisy Montgomery, Willie Blair, Willie Beyer, Paul Bujard, Clarence Davison, Julius Missen, Richard Keener, Wesley Lyons, Embroise LeBlue, and Pearl Mitchell.

Mass Meeting.

By virtue of authority vested in me, I call upon the white Democratic voters of the parish of Calcasieu to assemble in mass meeting at the Drew Hall, in the city of Lake Charles, at 2 o'clock p. m., on Monday, June 6, 1892, for the purpose of electing eleven delegates to represent the parish of Calcasieu in the State convention to be held in the city of Baton Rouge, on June 14, 1892. And I hereby call upon the members of the Parish Executive Committee to meet at the above appointed time and place for a business session.

H. C. GILL,
Chairman Dem. Ex. Com. for the Parish of Calcasieu.
Lake Charles, May 20, 1892.

Last Sunday evening during the absence of Mr. W. E. Ramsay's family the residence was entered by a sneak thief and stole a big lot of jewelery and was not missed by the family until Mr. Ramsay received word that a man was being held in Lafayette, and some jewelery marked "W. E. R." was found in his posession. Mr. Ramsay notified the city authorities of the fact, and Sheriff Reid went over and brought back the thief Wednesday evening, and is now safely lodged behind the bars. He says his name is Kelly.

Bro. Harrison of the Patriot informed us one day this week, that Mr. C. B. Wilson, late of the Lone Star State, will, in the near future, open a grocery store in this city, in the building formerly occupied by Mr. C. B. Croom, on Ryan street. The COMMERCIAL wishes Mr. Wilson success in this, his new field of business, and bespeak for him a liberal share of the public patronage.

Messrs. Sam. Kinder, Sim. Marx, Claud Mayo, Paul Griner, Tom. Hansen, Tom. Costello, Willie Mayo, Dannie Ryan, Jake Hoffman, A. Bluestein, R. J. Gunn, Geo. H. Woolman and lady, and Mrs. Wm. Athens, and Misses Ida Athens, Ida Joyner, Julia O'Brien, Emma McCormick and many others, whose names we failed to learn, took in the excursion to New Orleans last Tuesday night.

Public School Teachers Elected.

At a meeting of the School Board held last Wednesday, the following teachers were elected to teach in the public school of this city during the next session:

Principal—Prof. C. H. Bucher.
1st Assistant—Miss Mollie Burt.
2d Assistants—Misses Louise Leveque, Myrtle McClelland, Mollie Jenkins, Susie Bradley.

The COMMERCIAL sympathizes with Mr. Geo. Thielmann in the loss of his wife, which sad event occurred Sunday morning while on a visit among friends and relatives in the country. Her body was brought to this city over the K. C., W. & G. R. R., last Tuesday evening and interred in the Orange Grove Cemetery.

Mr. Jas. A. Kinder brought to our office yesterday morning a large bunch of wheat grown at Kinder, on the K. C., W. & G. R. R. Mr. Kinder says that this is not the finest quality he ever seen, but, is confident that wheat can be successfully grown in this section, and intends putting in a larger crop next season.

A committee was appointed last Thursday night, at a meeting held in the City Hall, to make all necessary arrangements for a torch-light procession to-night, in the interest of the "Invincible Ticket" headed by A. Schwab for mayor.

Have our city authorities tried to find out who are the guilty ones that smeared coal-tar over A. Schwab's, sign and show windows, last Saturday night? If not. Why not? For such nuisances should be stopped.

THOMPSON & LOREE,

Ryan Street, Lake Charles,

Wholesale and Retail Grocers,

QUOTE PRICES FOR RETAIL.—FOR DEALERS A REASONABLE PER CENT. OFF WILL BE GIVEN.

Standard Granulated Sugar, 20 lbs. for	$ 1 00
Galveston Flour, "Tidal Wave,"	1 60
" " "Sea Fairy,"	1 50
" " "Nemph,"	1 40
Kansas Flour, "Kansas Rose,"	1 10
Baking Powder,	10c
Sardines, per box,	5c
Three (3) Pound Can Tomatoes,	10c
Strawberries, per can,	10c
PURE MAPLE SUGAR, 6 lbs for	1 00
Evaporated Apples, per pound,	10c
Apple, Blackberry and Currant Jelly, 30 pound Bucket,	1 50
Mason Fruit Jars, 1-2 gallon, per doz,	1 25
" " " quarts, per doz,	1 00
" " " pints, per doz,	90c

Full Line of Smoked and Salt Meats,

HAMS AND LARD.

Come in and let us give you prices on other goods.

Thompson & Loree.

The Single Tax.

The single tax is a tax on land, regardless of its improvements and in proportion to its value. It implies the abolition of all other forms of taxation, and the collection of the public revenues from this source alone. It would be certain, because land values are most easily appraised; wise, because, by discouraging the withdrawal of land from use and encouraging its improvements, it would expand opportunities for labor, augment wealth, and increase the rewards of industry and thrift; equal, because every one would pay taxes in proportion to the value of the land, of right the common property of all, which he appropriated to his own use; and just, because it would fall not upon labor, enterprise and thrift, but upon the value of a special privilege. It is more fully explained in the single tax platform in another column; and in "Progress and Poverty," by Henry George. Every point is discussed and every objection answered.

Morgan City witnessed the very peculiar spectacle of penitentiary convicts walking the streets last Monday without a guard, one of them in the striped pants, carrying a double-barrel shotgun. We hear that one of the convicts in the railroad gang located at Bayou Bœuf escaped a few days ago, and these "trusties," as they are termed, were searching for the escaped companion. Considerable comment was made by the people.—Review.

MARRIED.

NEVILLE—TAYLOR—At the residence of Miss S. S. Taylor, the bride's sister, in this city, on Thursday, June 2d, 1892, MR. CHARLES H. NEVILLE, of Trinity, Ala., to MISS CARRIE HOLT TAYLOR, of Jackson, Ala.

The COMMERCIAL acknowledges the receipt of a bountiful supply of delicious wedding cake, and in return wishes the young couple a long life of unalloyed happiness.

DIED.

TOUCHY—In this city, on Saturday, May 28th, 1892, at 4:15 o'clock a. m., MRS. ROSALIE KIRKMAN, wife of L. C. Touchy, aged 22 years, 3 months and 6 days.

ELLIOTT—At the residence of his brother, W. N. Elliott, in this city, on Tuesday, May 31st, 1892, at 10:30 p. m., ALEXANDER ELLIOTT, a native of Port Huron, Mich., aged 25 years, 2 months, and 5 days.

GEARY—In this city, on Tuesday, May 31, 1892, at 8 o'clock a. m., FREDRICK JOSEPH, infant son of Jas. P. and Laura R. Geary, aged 4 months and 27 days.

TOUCHY—in this city, on Wednesday, June 1st, 1892, at 8 o'clock a. m., MAMIE LEE, infant daughter of L. C. and R. E. Touchy, aged 15 days.

Public Auction.

SATURDAY, June 4th, at one o'clock. Household goods, such as Furniture, Bedding, Dishes, Stoves, Carpets, Mattings, Wringer, New Sewing Machine, nearly new Top Buggy, Harness, Saddle, 85 chickens, and numerous other articles

Terms—Cash. W. F. PALMER.
2nd house south of Dr. Perkins', near Public School.

Money! Money!!

The Lake Charles Homestead and Loan Association will offer, on

Saturday, June 4, 1892,

at 8:30 o'clock p. m., at Wm. Meyer's drug store, all funds on hand, to the last and highest bidder.

Veterans' Meeting.

Calcasieu United Confederate Veterans' Camp No. 62. Regular meeting, 1st Monday in each month, June 6th, at the court house, at 8 o'clock p. m. Full attendance requested. By order,

W. A. KNAPP, Commander.
W. L. HUTCHINS, Adjutant.

GOOD WORK! CITY PRICES!

D. W. JESSEN,

FASHIONABLE TAILOR.

Moss Street,

LAKE CHARLES, LA.

Lake Charles, La., March 7, 1891.-1y.

NOTICE.

LAKE CHARLES, LA., May 4 1892.

We have this day sold our entire business, Ice Plant, Electric Light Plant, franchises and contracts, lands, etc., to THE LAKE CHARLES ICE, LIGHT & WATERWORKS CO. We retaining all assets and assuming all liabilities of the commercial firm of

J. A. LANDRY & CO.

Lake Charles, La., May 7, 1892-1m.

Sheriff's Sale.

Fourteenth Judicial District Court, Parish of Calcasieu, State of Louisiana.—No. 1751.

Aladin Vincent vs. John G. Gray.

BY virtue of a writ of seizure and sale issued, and to me directed by the Honorable Court aforesaid. I have seized and will offer for sale, at public auction, to the last and highest bidder, without the benefit of appraisement, at the Court House door of this parish, in the city of Lake Charles, La.,

On Saturday, June 18, 1892,

between legal hours, the following described property, belonging to defendant, situated in the parish of Calcasieu, State of Louisiana, and described as follows:

The undevided one-half of the SE¼ of NW¼ and E½ of NW¼ of Section 1, Tp 11 S, R 12 West.

Also, the W½ of NW¼ and E½ of NE¼, E½ of NW¼ and SE¼ of Section 4.

The SW¼ of SW¼, and E½ of Section, the NW¼ and N½, SW¼ and SE¼ of SW¼ of Section 5.

All of Sections 6 and 7.

The NW¼ of NW¼, the E½ and SW¼ of Section, the E½ of NW¼, and SW¼ of NW¼ of Section 8.

The W½ of Section and W½ of E½ of Section 9.

The N½ of Section and N½ of S½ of Section and SE¼ of SE¼ of Section 17.

The S½ of Section, and N½ of S½ of Section 18.

Also, the W½ of SW¼ of Section 16.

All in Tp 11 S, R 12 West.

Also, the SW¼ of SE¼ and SE¼ of SW¼ of Section 32, and S½ of SW¼ and SW¼ of SE¼ of Section 33, in Tp 10 S, R 12 West.

Containing in all 4760 acres of land.

Seized under said writ.

TERMS:—Cash on day of sale.

Sheriff's Office, Lake Charles, La., May 12, 1892. DAVID J. REID,
Sheriff of Calcasieu Parish, La.

A. P. Pujo, atty of Plaintiff.

Look Here!

NEW GOODS!

We have just received our lines of

New Fashionable Spring Goods!

Which have been selected with great care and will be sold at close figures.

COME AND SEE THEM!

Also, have in store and constantly arriving, a choice lot of

Staple and Fancy Groceries!

New No. 1 Mackerel, Catch 1891.
New Maple Syrup.
Comb Honey.
Choice Syrup.
Choice S. C. Hams.

Choice California Evaporated Fruits.
Choice California Canned Fruits.
Choice Table Can Fruits.
Choice Raisins.

Choice Selection Green and Black Teas
Choice Can Goods of all kinds.

All we ask is a trial of our goods or a visit to our stock for examination, and we guarantee every satisfaction. While we do not propose to under-cut our brother merchants by offering starvation prices, we do propose to give every one full value for their money in good fresh stock. We do not sell goods for less than cost, but will be satisfied with SMALL PROFITS.

C. BUNKER,

At Rosteet's old stand,

Ryan : Street, : Lake : Charles, : La.

NOTICE!

BY virtue of authority vested in me, Know ye that I, Alexander L. Reid, Mayor of Lake Charles, do issue this, my proclamation, ordering an election for the election of a Mayor and Five Aldermen, to represent the town of Lake Charles for the ensuing year. Said election to take place on Monday, June 6, 1892, in accordance with law.

A. L. REID, Mayor.

Lake Charles, La., May 26, 1892.

BROKEN DOWN men and women suffering from any form of Nervous Disease, can secure a valuable work, on receipt of 10 cts. in stamps (sealed). Free, and learn how they can be cured at home, by writing DR. PARKER & CO., 340 North Cherry Street, Nashville, Tenn. Better write to day. Sufferers are dangerous. Please state your trouble and how long afflicted. (36)

M. T. JONES & CO.,

(Successors to A. H. Moss.)

MANUFACTURERS AND WHOLESALE DEALERS IN

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CALCASIEU

Pine and Cypress Lumber,

LAKE CHARLES, LA.

Bills Sawed to Order on Short Notice and Lowest Rates

[March 10, 1888.-tf.

JOS. HIRSCH & SON,

LEADING

Clothiers, Hatters and Furnishers.

A LARGE VARIETY OF

Boys' and Children's Clothing.

Clothing Made to Order

A SPECIALTY.

Chavanne's Old Stand, Corner Ryan and Division Sts., Lake Charles.

SOL. BLOCH,

Is Still in the Lead With His

LARGE STOCK

OF

Spring and Summer Goods!

The Public is Respectfully Invited to Call and Examine Same.

Come and See

AT

JULIUS FRANK'S,

LAKE CHARLES, LA.,

The largest and most complete stock of Dry Goods, Groceries, Hats, Caps, Clothing, Grains, Boots, Shoes, Notions, Furnishing Goods, Trunks,

Crockery, Stoves, Tinware, Buggies, Gigs and Wagons,

ALSO,

A HANDSOME AND FULL LINE OF

Furniture,

Carpets, Wall Paper, Matting, Window Shades, Etc.

T. JAY LACY,

MOUNT HOPE NURSERY,

WASHINGTON, LA.

Fruit Trees for Louisiana that will Produce Fruit:

LeCONTE PEARS, KEIFFER PEARS, PEACH TREES, STRAWBERRY PLANTS, PLUM TREES, JAPAN PERSIMMON TREES, APPLE TREES, GRAPES, JAPAN CHESTNUT TREES,

Everything belonging to a first-class Nursery. Save money and time by buying Trees that are acclimated. Send for my Price List and Illustrated Catalogue

N. B.—Very low rates per hundred.

[Nov. 29, 1890.-tf.

ACME SALOON,

P. CROWLEY, PROPRIETOR,

Dealer in Wines, Liquors and Cigars.

Board by Day, Week or Month.

Cor. Kirkman and Railroad Sts., Near Depot.

Feb. 2, 1891.-1y.