

ANNOUNCEMENTS

We are authorized to announce JUDGE H. L. DAIGRE as a candidate for DISTRICT JUDGE of the Ninth Judicial District...

Marriage in High Life.

There is nothing with which the outer world has so little to do as a man's marriage, and yet there is nothing about which it concerns itself so much.

Inside of a Fighting Turret-Ship.

I once heard an old sailor who fought in a monitor describe the sound of the shots beating against the vessel's plates.

Dying Like a Brute.

THE TERRIBLE DEATH OF A MAN WHO ATTEMPTED TO "CHIAU UP" A BULLDOG.

PLATFORM OF THE DEMOCRATIC-CONSERVATIVE PARTY OF THE STATE OF LOUISIANA

We, the representatives of the Democratic-Conservative party of the State of Louisiana, in Convention assembled...

Table with columns: Date, Morn., Noon, Night. Rows for days 25-31.

Card. TO THE CITIZENS OF RAPIDES PARISH. ALEXANDRIA, LA., July 3, 1876.

HAVING ACCDED TO THE WISHES of many friends and citizens, in announcing myself as a candidate for CLERK OF THE COURT...

SEND TO HENRY ST. JOHN FOR



NEW CROP TURNIP SEED SEED SEASON OF

1876!

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FRESH TURNIP SEED! THIS YEAR'S GROWTH.

By the Pound, Half or Quarter, IN SMALL PAPERS, OR BY THE DOZEN, 100-OR-1000.

RED TOP, WHITE FLAT DUTCH, AMBER GLOBE, SOUTHERN SEVEN TOP, IMPROVED.

RUTA BAGA, HANOVER. CAN SUPPLY DEALERS AT LIBERAL WHOLESALE PRICES; SEND IN YOUR ORDERS.

HENRY ST. JOHN. July 26-6t.

SUBSCRIBE FOR THE DEMOCRAT

Estray.

TAKEN UP BY J. J. NEAL, AND Estrayed before the undersigned Justice of the Peace, on the 24th day of July, 1876, TWO OXEN, one black, with white in each flank, and the other brown speckled, both marked in the upper slope in right and swallow-fork in left ear, and about 10 years old.

REMOVAL! THE FIRM OF J. A. WILLIAMS & Co., have removed from their Old stand, corner Second and De Soto streets, to the Brick Store formerly occupied by A. Heyman & Co., corner of Front and Johnston streets, where they will be pleased to see their old friends and customers.

SAVE YOUR COTTON! BY USING THE TEXAS COTTON WORM DESTROYER.

IT CAN BE APPLIED TO ALL parts of the plant on which the worm feeds, without injury to the staple in the open boll—no application being sufficient to effectually destroy the worms.

For Sale. THE UNDESIGNED OFFERS FOR sale on easy and cheap terms his possession of the "EXCHANGE HOTEL," which consists of twelve completely furnished bed rooms, dining room and kitchen furniture, and all fixtures ordinarily attached to a good Boarding House.

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FOR RENT. A POLITE way of putting it—Troubled with a chronic indisposition to exertion.

POLITICAL. SELECTION OF WARD DELEGATES.

THE Democratic-Conservative voters of the different Wards and Precincts of Rapides Parish, as named and apportioned in the Parish Executive Committee's official call of this date, published below, will assemble in their respective Precincts, on SATURDAY, the 26th day of AUGUST, 1876, for the purpose of selecting or electing the number of Delegates to which they are entitled, to represent them in the Parish Convention to convene in Alexandria on the 2nd day of September, 1876.

CALL FOR A PARISH CONVENTION.

THE DEMOCRATIC-CONSERVATIVE Delegates of the Parish of Rapides, to meet in Convention the 2nd day of August 1876, will assemble in the TOWN HALL in ALEXANDRIA at 11 o'clock A. M., on SATURDAY, 2d of SEPTEMBER 1876, for the purpose of nominating candidates for the following offices: 3 Representatives in the Legislature, a Parish Judge, a Sheriff, a Clerk of the District Court, a Recorder, a Coroner, five Police Jurors, and Ward Justices of the Peace and Constables.

Also to select and appoint EIGHT DELEGATES from the Parish of Rapides to meet in Convention the Delegates from the Parish of Vernon, and Delegates from the Parish of Grant, to nominate Democratic-Conservative candidates for DISTRICT JUDGE and DISTRICT ATTORNEY for the Judicial District composed of the three Parishes of Rapides, Vernon and Grant.

And to meet in Convention Delegates from the Parish of Vernon to nominate a Democratic-Conservative candidate for STATE SENATOR, for the Senatorial District composed of the Parishes of Rapides and Vernon.

The Parish Convention shall consist of sixty-four members, taken from the vote of J. C. Monroie at the last general election, each Ward being entitled to one Delegate for every twenty-five votes cast at that election and one for every vote over the fraction of fifteen.

The following apportionment of the Delegates from each Ward on the basis of the votes cast in them, is hereby published and will be the official data and guide of the Convention:

Table with columns: Ward, No. of Delegates. Rows for Alexandria, Pineville, Paul's, Hueston, Latanier, Bayou Rapides, Holloway's Prairie, Wiley's, Big Island, Cottle, Cheneyville, Calhoun's, Leconte, Nichols.

J. A. WILLIAMS, Chairman Executive Committee.

CALL FOR DISTRICT CONVENTIONS.

THE DEMOCRATIC-CONSERVATIVE Delegates of the Parish of Rapides will assemble in District Convention, on SATURDAY, 2d of SEPTEMBER 1876, at 1 o'clock P. M. in the TOWN HALL, Alexandria, for the purpose of meeting and joining the Delegates from the Parishes of Vernon and Grant to nominate Democratic-Conservative candidates for District Judge and District Attorney.

And the Democratic-Conservative Delegates from the Parish of Rapides will assemble in District Convention, at 2 o'clock P. M. same day and place, for the purpose of meeting and joining the Delegates from the Parish of Vernon to nominate a Democratic-Conservative candidate for State Senator.

Each of these Parishes shall have in these District Conventions the number of Delegates, and be represented by them, by the numbers accorded them by the Democratic-Conservative Committee of the State, and will be as follows:

Table with columns: Parish, Delegates. Rows for Rapides, Vernon, Grant.

J. A. WILLIAMS, Chairman Executive Committee.

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