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For Congress:

We are authorized to announce HON. NEWTON C. BLANCHARD, of Caddo, as a candidate for re-election as Representative of the Fourth Congressional District—subject to the action of the Democratic party.

### Vote on the Lottery Bill.

The following is how the members of the House of Representatives voted on the Louisiana Lottery bill last Wednesday, the vote being 66 to 29, as follows:

Yeas—Allain, Armstrong, Badeaux, Ball, Barbin, Bedford, Bernard, Bond, Bourgeois, Brown, Bossier, Caspari, Canonge, Cayolle, Cole, Davidson, DePass, Dickinson, Dossat, Dunn, Dupre, of Orleans, Dupre, of St. Landry, Elder, Faulkner, Farrell, Gagne, Garretson, Gilbert, Grady, Green, Guidry, Haney, Harris, Hirn, Homes, Hyams, Hyams, Jackson, Larrison, Lawton, LeBlanc, Martin, Mahoney, O'Connor, O'Donnell, Patten, Piper, Rochon, Rush, Sandiford, St. Amant, Settoon, Self, Shaw, Shattuck, Shields, Sigur, Smith, Snyder, Stallings, Strachmann, Treseclair, Wade, Warren, Wiggins, Williams, Zeller—66.

Nays—Speaker Henry, Messrs. Alford, Batchelor, Bolton, Borland, Bruton, Cade, Curry, Doss, Dreyfous, Franklin, Gilmore, Jenkins, Kennedy, Kilbourne, Land, Laycock, Loret, McCain, Marqueze, Meeker, Nelson, Newsome, Pipes, Provost, Seals, Sompayrac, Wells and Wren—29.

Absent—Messrs. Hancock, Hawks and Roder—3.

OUR SENTIMENTS.—The New Orleans *Review* concludes a first-class article on "Forgetting an Old Lesson" in this wise:

The *Review* stands ready to bow to the decision of the people, at all times, and in consonance with Democratic principles it has advocated, and will continue to advocate, the submission of this important question in the manner set forth by the Constitution.

The assumption that the people cannot be trusted to decide this question, or any other, wisely, can receive no support or justificatian at our hands.

☞ For many years Mr. B. F. Thompson, of Des Moines, Iowa, was severely afflicted with chronic diarrhoea. He says: "At times it was very severe; so much so, that I feared it would end my life. About seven years ago I chanced to procure a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. It gave me prompt relief, and I believe cured me permanently, as I now eat or drink without harm anything I please." I have also used it in my family with the best results. For sale by E. J. Sullivan

—No one can peruse, day after day, the reports which come from all parts of the State of the Teachers' Institutes, which were held since the first of the month, without becoming convinced that education is enjoying a boom in Louisiana. In every case these institutes were largely attended by the very best people of the parishes in which they were held and the educational progress which was reported was exceedingly encouraging.—[N. O. States.

—Nine of the thirty-eight original members in the House, who "felt each other's pulse every morning, (to use Representative Wells' language) must have gone back on or else got tired of voting with the minority on the Lottery question, for we see that only twenty-nine instead of thirty-eight voted against the measure.

—J. L. Soule, of North Muskegon, Michigan, and Samuel Smith, of Lewiston, N. Y., have made all necessary arrangements to swim the whirl pool rapids of Niagara Falls, on July 4th. Both will be attired in bathing suits and vests made of cork. They will start between 2 and 4 p. m.

—One of our well posted exchanges says: By the aid of Eastern Democrats and Wall street influence, the silver bill pending in the House has been referred to the coinage committee. The free coinage bill is now dead beyond all hope of resurrection.

—Salvator beat Tenny in the great match race at Sheepshead Bay on the 25th ult. Time 2.05, beating the record. Salvator was ridden by Murphy, and Tenny by Garrison.

—In his recent trial at Purvis, Miss., John L. Sullivan, the noted prize fighter, got off with a fine of $500.

### THE FEDERAL ELECTION LAW.

The Federal election law which carries with its adoption, the most momentous issues which have ever been precipitated upon the people of this Republic, and which so vitally concerns the political destiny and material prosperity of the South, is thus summarized in a recent Washington telegram:

"The national election bill, as framed by the House Republican caucus committee, has just been printed. The principal features of the measure are as follows: Chief supervisors of elections in judicial districts are charged with the execution of the law which is to apply to Federal elections in cities of 20,000 inhabitants or upward, and in the entire congressional districts exclusive of such cities, upon application to supervisor of 100 voters, or in counties or parishes forming part of a congressional district upon application of 50 voters. Supervisors are required to make, in towns of 20,000 people and upward, a thorough house to house canvass before the election to inform the voters upon inquiry where and in what box to deposit their ballots and to scrutinize naturalizations. In canvassing the votes State laws are to govern, except that all ballots are to be counted by tens, first by an inspector of election, and second by supervisors, the total to be kept, election officers and supervisors upon separate tally sheets, which are to be compared and the result publicly announced. Ballots deposited in the wrong box are to be counted. Returns are to be made by supervisors in duplicate to clerks of the United States Circuit Court, and to the chief supervisor who is to tabulate and refer them to the United States board of canvassers of the Congressional vote, which is to be appointed by the United States Circuit Court, and consisting of three christians of the State and persons of good repute; not more than two of whom are to be of the same political party. The board is to convene on November 15th, of each even year and declare and certify the results of election and send one return to the clerk of the House of Representatives, one to the Governor of the State, and one to the proper chief *supervisor of elections*. The clerk of the House is to place on the roll of the members elect the names of persons declared elected by the United States canvassers in case there be difference in the result reached by the State election officers."


BARS. BARS. BARS.

Bauer & Weil have just received a large consignment of Bobbinet, French Muslin and Cotton Bars, made up and in the piece. See their low prices. Store on Front street, opposite the Ferry landing.


THE LOUISIANA SUFFRAGE BILL. We give below the full text of the suffrage bill recently introduced into the Louisiana Legislature by Senator Lott now undergoing the investigation of the judiciary committee:

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Louisiana—That section 6 of the above entitled act be amended and re-enacted so as to read: That applicants for registration shall be required to subscribe to the following oath of registration: I do solemnly swear or affirm that by the time of holding the next election in this Parish I will be at least twenty-one years of age. I was born, naturalized, or declared my intention to become a citizen of the United States (as the case may be,) and am subject to the jurisdiction thereof, and by the time for holding the next election I will have been a resident of this State for at least one year, and of this Parish for at least six months, and of the ward which I now claim to be registered for at least thirty days, and I am not disfranchised for any causes mentioned in Article 187 of the Constitution of this State; and also exhibit to the registrar of the voters for the Parish, his poll tax receipt for the year next preceding that in which he offers to register; and also, shall then and there be able to read and write any portion of the Constitution of this State which may be presented tp him for that pbrpose.

### Dying Like Rotten Sheep.

NEW ORLEANS, LA., June 20th.—New Orleans is closed as tight as a drum against Britfsh Honduras, and if an outbreak should occur on the Aguan there will be no possible means of getting out of the country except by the way of Mexico, which will mean a long, tedious and expensive trip. At the Cayo, seventy five miles northwest of Belize, it is reported that the people are dying like rotten sheep, and the worst part of it is that nobody really knows what the disease is. The European doctors call it yellow fever, but the American medicos differ from them. The only thing they they therefore positively know is that in the course of five or six days it kills everybody whom it attacks, and the survivors are simply asking whose turn next?


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—Referring to the McKinley bill, Mr. Secretary Blaine is reported to have said: "It is the most dangerous, if not the most infamous measure that was ever concocted by any party.—The one vote for this bill will wreck the Republican party. If I were in the Senate I would rather have my right arm torn out of the socket than vote for this bill. I solemnly say that the McKinly bill is an outrage and ought to be killed by the Senate." This hearty condemnation of the measure will be approved by many readers who will be slow to believe that it came from Mr. Blaine.


—They are (we mean Bauer & Weil) doing the business in Alexandria, and there's no use in denying it. They keep at all times the best assortment of goods in the market, and are truly speaking the "leaders of low prices." You can get anything you want at their first-class establishment, from a fine suit of clothes down. Ladies dress goods a specialty.


### PUBLIC MEETING CALLED —SUGAR FACTORY.

CHENEYVILLE, LA., June 26th, 1890.

All persons favoring the erection of a Central Sugar Factory, are requested to meet at Cheneyville, on Thursday, the 17th day of July, for the purpose of effecting an organization:

C. M. Kilpatrick.
A. D. Havard.
C. J. Barstow.
J. W. Stafford.
L. Stafford.
T. J. Stafford.
R. L. Walker.
P. A. Baillio.
Robert H. Jackson.
J. D. Worthington.
D. Levy.
E. C. Herbert.

### JEFF DAVIS ENCAMPMENT.

*Confederate veterans of Central Louisiana.*

The quarterly meeting of this encampment takes place on the 5th of July, 1890. All ex-confederates are requested to attend as business of importance will be transacted, relating to the Re-union to take place on 5 and 6 of August.

G. O. WATTS, President.

W. W. WHITTINGTON, Secretary.

—The following is the latest news concerning the Lottery question. It is the that passed between Mr. Morris and Messrs. Foster, Provosty and Kennedy:

BATON ROUGE, LA., June 23, 1890.

*John A. Morris, Esq., Baton Rouge:*

Sir—Having expressed your willingness to submit the lottery question to white primaries and negotiations to that end having hitherto reached no results, we now enclose a definite proposition, which, we think, we can safely say, will be acceptable to the opponents in the General Assembly of a lottery charter. If you signify your willingness to accept the proposal, we will undertake at once to procure its formal approval by the opponents of the lottery in the General Assembly, as well as such other sanction as may be requisite to render it conclusive. An early reply is requested. We have the honor to be respectfully, your obedient servants,

MURPHY J. FOSTER,
OLIVER O. PROVOSTY,
J. M. KENNEDY.

Mr. Morris replied to the above as follows:

BATON ROUGE, LA., June 23, 1890.

Gentlemen—I am in receipt of your communication of even date herewith, and in reply I am compelled to express my surprise that it should have been addressed to me. It seems to me it ought to have been addressed to your Democratic colleagues in the Senate and House of Representatives who differ with you upon this subject. I therefore return herewith your communication, and beg you most earnestly to address it to your colleagues as above suggested.

I desire it to be distinctly understood that I will not accept any charter that does not meet with approval of a majority of the white people of this State. I have the honor to be your obedient servant,

JOHN A. MORRIS.

To Hons. Murphy J. Foster, Oliver O. Provosty, J. M. Kennedy.

—Assistant State Engineer Kerr, who visited this Parish last week, staked out the following levees to close the crevasses made by the recent flood:

Avoyelles Dike levee—length, 1225 feet; average height, 8 feet, 4 inches; width of break, 300 feet; number of cubic yards of earth necessary to build levee, 12,000.

B. F. Lewis levee—length, 1535 feet; average height, 7 feet, 6 inches. This levee broke in a number of places, averaging from 10 to 75 feet wide. Estimated number of cubic yards of earth necessary to close breaks, 12,500.

J. L. Connella levee—length, 2956 feet; average height, 9 feet 8 inches. Estimated number of cubic yards of earth necessary, 35,000. This crevasse is about 500 feet wide, but as there has been considerable caving below the crevasse, the new levee for that reason will have to be extended.

—The trial of St. Amant, the Representative in the Louisiana Legislature from Ascension Parish, and who was charged with bribery, has ended just as we thought it would. With no evidence against the accused the District Attorney was compelled to nolle prosequi the case.

—And now comes the news that Mr. Morris has again increased his offer to the State for his lottery privilege.—An additional $250,000 has been tacked on to the million dollar offer, making the bid $1,250,000 per annum for twenty five years.

—Hemingway, Mississippi's defaulting State Treasurer, has been tried and found guilty. He was sentenced to five years in the penitentiary.


—It's at Bauer & Weil's What? Anything you want, either in dry goods or groceries.


### AT THE POST OFFICE.

BY J. P. M'GEE.

A trio of "graces,"
Of lovelier faces,
In more suitable places
Never was seen;
So proud each head rearing,
While sweetly its bearing,
Ignoring rude staring—
Just like a queen.

With mildness entrancing,
Bright beauty enhancing,
Thro' the apertures glancing
Questioning eyes,
These visions of neatness,
Of womanly sweetness,
Of fairest completeness,
Cause many sighs.

Oh! by what lucky chance
Of lucky circumstance
Could I their fond acquaintance
Make to speak and bow!
Would some kind stroke of Fate
Might to this end relate,
Ever shall dawn the day too late—
Oh! even now.

—[Hot Springs Sentinel.


### There Is a Time to Dance

According to St Paul, and a time to pray; a time to work and a time to play. Fortunate is that person who does the right thing at the right time. Success will crown all his efforts, and he will end his days in happiness. Such a person is he who keeps his system cooled up in summer with Pe-ru-na, the matchless Tonic. When the thermometer is standing at 50 degrees in the shade, and you can almost feel your stamina oozing out of you, then is the time to take something that will vitalize your blood, build up your wasting tissues, and put new energy into your body. Pe-ru-na will do this. It acts like a charm, so prompt and effective is it. It not only gives renewed vitality and vigor, but it is a splendid cure for all lung troubles, fevers, diseases of the heart and stomach, colic and diarrhoea, kidney and all female diseases. Now is the time to take it. Give it a trial. To regulate your bowels Man-a lin is superb. For sale by Henry St. John.

—Opticians and oculists say that belfry and steeple clocks are absolutely useless to at least a third of those for whose benefit they are set up. In many instances such defect of the eyes is unsuspected in children, and probably hundreds of children earn at school reputation for stupidity when not the intellect but the eye is at fault.

### The New Discovery.

You have heard your friends and neighbors talking about it. You may yourself be one o, the many who know from personal experience just how good a thing it is. If you have ever tried it, you are one of its staunch friends, because the wonderful thing about it is, that when once given a trial, Dr. King's New Discovery ever after holds a place in the house. If you have never used it and should be afflicted with a cough, cold or any throat, lung or chest trouble, secure a bottle at once and give it a fair trial. It is guaranteed every time, or money refunded. Trial bottles free at the Eagle drug store.


—The cane recently presented to President Harrison by Colonel A. L. Snowden, Minister to Greece, was made from the oaken yoke that held the bell on Independence Hall in 1776. The gold cap on the end of the stick is inscribed with a brief history of it.


### Blair Says It's All Right.

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—A large number of the barber shops of New York city have leased the ceilings of their working rooms for advertising purposes. This new fad in abvertising was invented by a Brooklyn man, whose surname is Mapledoram.


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—The man who knew how to run a paper to everybody's satisfaction was, unfortunately, one of those unlucky individuals who missed getting on board the ark.


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