DAILY CRESCENT.

SPRING FLOWERS.

BY THE AUTHOR OF "AZETH THE EGYPTIAN."

The flowers! the lovely flowers!
They are springing forth again;
Are opening their gentle eyes
In forest and in plain!
They cluster round the ancient stems,
And ivied roots of trees,
Like children playing gracefully
About a father's knees.

The flowers! the lovely flowers!
Their pure and radiant eyes
Greet us where'er we turn our steps,
Like angels from the skies!
They say that nought exists on earth,
However poor and small,
Unseen by God; the meanest things,
He careth for them all!

The flowers! the lovely flowers!
The fairest type are they
Of the soul springing from its night
To sunshine and to day;
For though they lie all dead and cold,
With winter's snow above,
The glorious spring doth call them forth
To happiness and love!

Ye flowers! ye lovely flowers!
We greet ye well and long!
With light, and warmth, and sunny smile,
And harmony and song!
All dull and sad would be our earth,
Were your bright beauties not;
And thus, without Life's Flowers of Love,
Oh, what would be our lot!

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DEGREE TEMPLE OF LOUISIANA—meets at Crystal Fount Hall, 222 Tchoupitoulas street, monthly. Officers—O. M. Wozencraft, W D T; R. L. Brace, W D V T; —— Monfort, W D R; —— Wells, W D T; —— Rondeau, W D U; T. B. Heartt, W D D U; J. Ahern, W D G; McCracken, W S.

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PELICAN DIVISION, No. 1—meets every Wednesday evening, at half-past 7 o'clock, in the Sons of Temperance Hall, on the corner of Common and St. Charles streets, fronting the Verandah and St. Charles Hotels. Officers elected for the present quarter—Artemon Hill, W P; Jacob Monfort, W A; R. H. Gillespie, R S; Henry Stevens, A R S; Lawrence P. McIlvaine, F S; Albert Swain, T; James Burke, C; Thomas Curran, A C; —— Westendorf, I S; Martin Hartigan, O S.

OCEAN DIVISION, No. 2—meets every Wednesday evening, at 8 o'clock, in Marigny's Buildings, Front Levee, 3d Municipality. Officers—George Brewer, W P; John R. Rewe, W A; Andrew T. Jackson, R S; Samuel Collier, A R S; Geo Hale, F S; Richard L. Meekins, T; James A McChray, C; Charles Lawrence, A C; —— Westendorf, I S; P. Younker, O S; Edward A F Mitchell, P W P.

UNION DIVISION, No. 3—meets every Friday evening at half past 7 o'clock, at No. 222 Tchoupitoulas street. Officers—W. E. Tapscott, W P; Stevens, W A; J. K. Gile, R S; T. D. Davis, A R S; Alex. McLean, T; A. G. Porter, F S; R. H. Bruney, C; J. Williams, A C; J. H. Saxon, I S; F. R. Williams, O S.

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CRESCENT DIVISION, No. 7—meets every Tuesday evening, at the Engine House, No. 1, Hunter street.

LANE DIVISION, No. 9—meets every Monday evening, in the Algiers Exchange, at Algiers, at half past 7 o'clock.

JEFFERSON DIVISION, No. 10—was instituted at Gretna, Parish of Jefferson, on Tuesday, 17th August, 1847, by the Grand Worthy Patriarch, James Patterson.

LOUISIANA DIVISION, No. 11—meets every Friday evening, in Unity Hall, No. 2 Marigny Buildings, above the "Orleanian" office, Third Municipality. Officers—William Hornby, W P; J. B. Vandergriff, W A; R. M. Lusher, R S; George Sherwood, A R S; John McCay, F S; J. J. Lugenbuhl, T; Wm Cooper, C; William Low, A C; Chas. Rhodes, J S; John Skiffington, O S.

YOUNG MEN'S MAGNOLIA DIVISION, No. 12—meets every Friday evening, at half past 7 o'clock, in their Hall, No. 52 Canal, corner of Royal street. Officers—John Taylor, W P; Peter Hulberg, W A; Horace G. Loring, R S; Avery Barlow, A R S; R. K. Fitch, F S; Henry Leaman, T; Jas. Holtsberry, C; S. Drury, A C; C. Carroll, I S; M. Coile, O S; E. Harper, P W P.

FOUNTAIN DIVISION, No. 13—organized Saturday evening, January 15, at the Hall of the Pelican Division, No. 1, at the corner of St. Charles and Common streets. Officers—James Garland, W P; William Hall, W A; E. P. Hunter, R S; Thos. L. Bailey, A R S; Chas. Vandenbeck, W F S; Geo. Shumway, T; Alex. Sutherland, C; Wm. H. Crane, A C; R. H. Bowles, I S; Augustus S. Foster, O S.

HARMONY DIVISION, No. 15—Organized February 19, 1848—Meets every Monday evening, at 7½ o'clock, at the Hall of Crystal Fount Division, No 222 Tchoupitoulas st.... Officers—W JAMES, W P; James D'Arcy, W A; Geo A Hobson, R S; J C Wyndham, A R S; Jas W McCracken, F S; H Davis, T, C D Bradford, C; Geo F Smith, A C; T K Lusty, I S; Wm Brooks, O S; Wm A Rondeau, P W P.

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I. O. O. F.

Time, Places of Holding Meetings, and Officers of the Several Lodges.

GRAND LODGE OF LOUISIANA—meets quarterly, in January, April, July and October, at the Grand Lodge Hall, corner of Tchoupitoulas and Poydras streets, over the United States Exchange. Officers—J. D. Stewart, M W G Master; Aug. Phelps, R W D G Master; Jas. Walsen, R W G Warden; T. C. Andrews, R W G Secretary; H. W. Williams, R W G Treasurer; C W Whitall, R W G Chaplain; J Paisley, R W G Conductor; W H Rice, R W G Marshall; Thos. H. Shields, R W G Guardian.

LOUISIANA LODGE, No. 1—meets in the Hall of the Grand Lodge, on Friday night. Officers—U. Tyson, N G; J. T. Hammond, V G; A. L. Bechtel, Secretary; S. Hopkins, jr., Permanent Secretary; H. Williams Treasurer.

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