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NEW COVINGTON.

We took a ride through New Covington last week with Mr. F. B. Martindale and were taken the length and breadth of the tract. Everywhere we went were evidences of improvements, new houses being built in all directions, and Mr. Martindale informs us that many more would have been built, but for the difficulty of procuring building material. We are satisfied that nowhere in Louisiana is there a locality of the same dimensions of New Covington that presents so many beautiful views and charming bits of landscape. The lines of the tract run along for two miles to the Tchafanota river, below the bark landing, then across the neck of land adjoining the Old Landing, until it strikes the Bogue Falia river.

Who we have lived here so many years have become so accustomed to our surroundings that we lose all appreciation of the beautiful scenery that we live amongst.

Mr. Martindale is selling a great number of lots and squares, as he told us, which was evidenced by the improvements to be seen in all directions. It will not be long before it will be impossible to locate a desirable home on that tract.

Two-thirds of the land in New Covington is within one mile of the Courthouse, and the balance is not over 1 1/2 miles distant.

We look in the near future to see New and Old Covington to be one of the most beautiful towns in Louisiana.

Baton Rouge is having a railroad boom, and there is talk of a company being formed to build a new boarding house.

The scratch of a pin may cause the loss of a limb or even death when blood poisoning results from the injury. All dangers of this may be avoided, however, by promptly applying Chamberlain's Pain Balm. It is an antiseptic and quick healing treatment for cuts, bruises and burns. For sale by V. H. Frederick, druggist.

RESOLUTIONS.

Geo. Moorman Camp.

In common with the Confederate Veterans of the country we are called upon to deplore the loss of Major-General George Moorman, Adjutant General and Chief of Staff of the United Confederate Veterans.

It is for us not only to share in the common sorrow, but to lament the loss of a member of our camp, who was also its founder and most zealous comrade.

To him the Lost Cause was the most sacred memory of his life, and that its honor might be vindicated and heroic deeds perpetuated, he organized the local cavalry camp which led first to the cavalry reunion, and eventually to the formation of the United Confederate Veterans. To the success of this great organization he devoted his life as a labor of love, and in its service he breathed his last breath.

His winning personal traits endeared him to all who knew him. Devoted in his friendships, his heart was always in sympathy with the interests of his friends. He was ever alive to the welfare of town, parish and state, and his time and purse were at the disposal of the public good.

In the prime of his life he passed away, leaving behind him an untarnished reputation as a citizen, a soldier and a member of our organization.

To his widow and son we tender our deepest sympathy and in their loss and sorrow we have our share. His memory will be cherished as long as the United Confederate Veterans survive.

R. O. PIZZETTA, JAS. M. THOMPSON, GEO. H. GAUSE.

A MOST FATAL CIFT.

Would be the power of foresetting events. This would destroy hope. A knowledge of the future would unmake happiness. There are, of course, some things about the future we do know. If, for instance, a lack of energy, ambition and loss of appetite shows itself, we know it will be followed by serious complaints if not checked. Often Liver and Kidney trouble follow quickly. In any event Electric Bitters will restore you to health. It strengthens, builds up and invigorates run-down systems. Only 50c. Satisfaction guaranteed by J. L. Watkins, of the City Drug Store.

Political Equality and Miscegenation.

Some Southern editors and correspondents are finding fault, not only with the object lesson given at the White House, but are also severely criticizing the honorable "strenuous discipline" of complete equality and miscegenation, who howls for Southern blood. He desires the total extermination of men, women and children of the South that the colored race may become possessors of the land.

Such criticism is entirely wrong. The poor creature is more entitled to pity than to blame. Why blame him, when he could not help it? This is one of the many cases known to science as "reversion to the hereditary type."

His Senegambian ancestors were no doubt of the cannibal type, who roasted and devoured their enemies after a tribal massacre. Women and children were preferable victims of victors. Fat, plump children are still considered a toothsome delicacy at the voo-doo banquets of his race in Hayti. Encouraged by what he considered administrative sanction, it seemed a feasible plan, extermination of the hated Southern white race. Quite an army could be mobilized out of the seven millions of the Afro-American race, in eleven of the Southern States, backed by the cooperation and moral support of the advocates of miscegenation. Quay, the political "humble rigger," and owner of Pennsylvania, could furnish several regiments from that State, and several more from the four new States he is working to admit to Statehood. Why?

Firstly. Because every official in those territories are good strenuous Republicans.

Secondly. Because the general mass of the population will be easy to manage and exploit by the ruling party bosses: Negroes 59,140, Indians 149,669, foreign born 58,385, illiterates 48,079.

Here ready for use in these party acquisitions are 378,871 units for the party. The people of the North have got what they voted for. The Dingley tariff to build up the trusts; they have plutocracy instead of Democracy. Black slavery was a disgraceful crime, but white slavery a blessing. The hirings of the trusts get upon their hind legs in Congress and pray profoundly about the pauper labor of Europe competing with American workmen, while their plutocratic masters are bringing over thousands of the same paupers monthly to supplant American workmen in every department of labor. But, to resume the title role. Why should we of the South object to an incident, in the direct line and sequence of events wished for, worked for, and voted for at the command of the bosses of the dominant party?

Judging from the recent event, that function known as the Presidential reception, will in the not distant future, be a fine field of study for ethnologists in search of mixed types. It seems a rather abrupt union, this mingling of Senegambian stock with the caucasian. We would suggest a color scale, as for instance, the yellow Mongolian first, then the Indian, then the brown Philippine, and lastly the African breed. It may take a longer space of time, but it will be more effective eventually, and produce a race of degenerates easily managed by their owners and rulers. This is merely suggestive of course. They cannot, strictly with justice, admit the African breed to their loving embraces, ignoring intermediate grades of color, the yellow, red and brown. The white population of the South may snipely and patiently permit events to take their course, as the imperial bosses shape them. By all means, all colors should be taken into the Miscegenation Scheme. Like Belamy, we may "look forward" to future "receptions." The Mexican half breeds, male and female; the bejeweled Apache Squaw, with her Scandinavian Spouse; the Bronco buster Senator; the old fashioned "greaser" with his mulatto "lady" comes to worship at the shrine of Republican simplicity; with the yellow Mongolian and his odorous black spouse; the Afro-American office holder or Senator, with his white wife and mother-in-law; the tawny Porto Rican, male and fe-

male; the Kanaka Senator with his saddle-colored partner, sandwiched in with the brown Philippine and his Senora. All of the female contingent in very extreme décolleté toilette, vying in nudity with the blonde and brunette mulattoes and quadroons of the political bosses. All very odorous, with their own peculiar scent, personal or purchased, affording a "color study" not to be excelled even in Hayti, or the little military despots of South America, where social miscegenation is the common rule, and the "Man on Horseback" dictates the political creed.

Now that the coon is fairly out of the wool pile, there need be no more skulking, no more insertion of secret planks in the conventional party platforms. Make an open, defiant attack, with the party slogan on your banners. "Political Equality and Miscegenation," so under existing auspices. "So under it be."

A COVINGTON HOTEL.

A Modern Structure to add to our Town's Attractions.

Winter and summer visitors to this region of balmy breezes and flowers will be interested to know that a new hotel plan is about to be launched which will add to the facilities for accommodating both Northern people in winter and home people in summer at Covington. People who come here in winter like to go out in the St. Tammany woods or to the Gulf Coast, but the hotel accommodations have never been adequate to their demands. This is especially true in St. Tammany, where there ought to be plenty of good hotels, which could be filled with winter people seeking summer.

The new hotel is to be built in Covington near the site of the Episcopal Church, on the river front, in one of the prettiest and sandest parts of town. It will be a large house, with modern accommodation costing about \$50,000.

Thomas Sully, who is preparing the plans, said that they were not so far advanced as to admit of his talking about them, and it would be a week before they would be in shape, which indicates that the hotel will be hurried. Considering the way in which all accommodations are crowded over in St. Tammany in summer, it is practically certain that such a venture would be a success from the start, and more of them might follow.

CURED CONSUMPTION.

Mrs. B. W. Evans, Clearwater, Kan., writes: "My husband sick for three months; the doctors stated he had quick consumption. We procured a bottle of Ballard's Horehound Syrup and it cured him. That was six years ago, and since then we always kept a bottle in the house. We cannot do without it. For Coughs and Colds, it has no equal." 25c, 50c and \$1.00 bottle at V. H. Frederick's Drug Store.

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Notice to Stockholders.

The stockholders of the People's Building and Loan Association are requested to bring their books at once to the secretary, for the purpose of having dividend credited.

Notice of Contest.

U. S. Land Office, New Orleans, La. Jan. 29, 1903. A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by Jules S. Barrette, contestant, against homestead entry No. 18,797, made Jan. 13, 1898, for the northwest quarter of the northwest quarter, section 31, township 5, south range 10 east, St. Helena Meridian, by Charles Cager, contestee, in which it is alleged that said Charles Cager has never established residence and cultivated the said land and that he has totally abandoned the same for a period of more than three years and that said abandonment was not due to his employment in the Army, Navy or Marine corps of the United States, etc. Said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond and offer evidence touching said allegation at 10 o'clock a. m., on March 11, 1903, before H. R. Warren, Clerk of Court at Covington, La., and that final hearing will be held at 9 o'clock a. m., on March 16, 1903, before the Register and Receiver at the United States Land Office in New Orleans, La.

The said contestant having, in a proper affidavit filed October 4, 1902, set forth facts which show that after due diligence personal service of this notice can not be made, it is hereby ordered and directed that such notice be given by due and proper publication. CHARLES P. JOHNSON, Receiver. 767-4t.

Bogue Chitto Bridge.

The following is the full text of the bill introduced by Congressman Robertson, for the erection of a bridge across Bogue Chitto, in this parish:

A BILL To Authorize the Construction of a Bridge Across Bogue Chitto, in the State of Louisiana.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That authority is hereby granted, and consent is hereby given, for the building of a wagon and foot bridge across Bogue Chitto River, in the parish of Saint Tammany, State of Louisiana, by the Police Jury of said parish: Provided, That the plans and location for such bridge shall first be approved by the Secretary of War.

Sec. 2. That said bridge shall be a lawful structure, and shall be recognized and known as a post route, and shall enjoy the rights and privileges of other post roads in the United States; and no charge shall be made for the transmission over the same of the mails, troops, and munitions of war of the United States. Equal privileges in the use of said bridge shall be granted to all telegraph and telephone companies and the United States shall have the right of way across said bridge and its approaches for postal telegraph purposes, and any changes in said bridge which the Secretary of War may hereafter require and order, in the interest of navigation, shall be promptly made by the said Police Jury without expense to the United States.

Sec. 3. That this Act shall be null and void if actual construction of the bridge herein authorized be not commenced within one year from the date of approval hereof.

Colonel Robertson's bill, authorizing the construction of a bridge across Bogue Chitto, in St. Tammany Parish, has passed the House and is being looked after in the Senate by Senator McEnery.

WEAK AND LOW-SPIRITED. A Correspondent Thus Describes His Experience.

I can strongly recommend Herbine as a medicine of remarkable efficacy for indigestion, loss of appetite, sour taste in the mouth, palpitation, headache, drowsiness after meals with distressing mental depression, and low spirits. Herbine must be a unique preparation for cases such as mine, for a few doses entirely removed my complaint. I wonder at people going on suffering or spending money on fruitless remedies when Herbine is procurable, and so cheap. 50c a bottle at V. H. Frederick's Drug Store.

Succession of Levisa Zachary, wife of Andrew Wascom—No. 250.

Twenty-Sixth Judicial District Court of Louisiana, in and for the Parish of St. Tammany.

Notice is hereby given to all parties concerned, to show cause, if any they have, within seven days from the first publication hereof, why the final account of Levisa Zachary, administrator of the estate of Andrew Wascom, should not be approved and homologated and the funds distributed according to law. By order of the court this 2nd day of February, 1903.

H. R. WARREN, Clerk.

United States Land Office, New Orleans, La., February 2, 1903. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the clerk of the District Court at Covington, La., on Saturday, March 14, 1903, viz:

NEWTON PERCE. Who made homestead entry No. 18,692 for the southeast quarter of section 20, township 4, south range 13 east, St. Helena Meridian. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: L. W. Purvis, W. M. Crawford, Ira Purvis and S. T. Cowart, all of Thomsville, P. O., La., j81-5t. WALTER L. COHEN, Register.

U. S. Land Office, New Orleans, La. Jan. 29, 1903. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the clerk of the District Court at Covington, La., on Monday, February 23, 1903, viz: THOMAS W. CAMERON. Who made homestead entry No. 20,811 for the east half of the southwest quarter of section 35, township 6, south range 13 east, St. Helena Meridian. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: W. H. Gardner and Henry Keller of St. Tammany P. O., La.; James Gallovey, of Covington P. O., and A. Laurant, of Violin P. O., La. j81-5t. WALTER L. COHEN, Register.

U. S. Land Office, New Orleans, La. Jan. 19, 1903. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before H. R. Warren, clerk of the district court at Covington, La., on Saturday, February 14, 1903, viz: SIMON P. LEWIS. Who made homestead entry No. 20,696 for the west half of the northeast quarter and northeast quarter of the northwest quarter of section 6, township 6, south range 10 east, St. Helena Meridian. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: George Core, Louis Pea, R. D. Jones and Ishai Daniels, all of Alma P. O., La. j81-5t. WALTER L. COHEN, Register.

U. S. Land Office, New Orleans, La. Jan. 3, 1903. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before H. R. Warren, clerk of the district court at Covington, La., on Saturday, February 14, 1903, viz: SIMON P. LEWIS. Who made homestead entry No. 20,696 for the west half of the northeast quarter and northeast quarter of the northwest quarter of section 6, township 6, south range 10 east, St. Helena Meridian. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: George Core, Louis Pea, R. D. Jones and Ishai Daniels, all of Alma P. O., La. j81-5t. WALTER L. COHEN, Register.

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VENIRE.

BEFORE KNOWN and remembered, That on this 4th day of February, in the year of our Lord, nineteen hundred and three, being the day fixed therefor by law, I, R. Warren, clerk of the Twenty-sixth Judicial District Court and ex-Officio Jury Commissioner for the Parish of St. Tammany, having previously summoned in writing Charles Oulliber, H. A. Verret, V. H. Frederick, H. J. Smith and S. J. Fall, Jury Commissioners, and W. E. Blossman and L. J. Heintz, freeholders and citizens of said Parish, as witnesses, to appear on this day, and Charles Oulliber, S. J. Talley, H. J. Smith and H. A. Verret, Jury Commissioners, V. H. Frederick, being absent, having appeared in my office, in the Courtroom in the Town of Covington, Louisiana, the place designated by aed. did proceed with the Jury Commissioners in the presence of the witnesses aforesaid, to examine the general Venire List, and strike therefrom the names of all persons who have served as grand and regular jurors since the previous drawing of the general Venire, as well as all those persons who have died, removed from the parish, or otherwise disqualified, and to remove from the General Venire box the slips containing the names of the persons so stricken from the list.

We, the said Jury Commissioners aforesaid, in the presence of the aforesaid witnesses, then supplemented the General Venire List by adding thereto the names of as many qualified jurors as was required to make three hundred, and by adding to the ballots in the General Venire Box, on separate slips of paper, the names of the persons so added to the list. We then did select from the said supplemented list the names of thirty (30) persons, as far as possible from different parts of the parish, which persons, good and true men, and old, in the presence of the other Jury Commissioners and the aforesaid witnesses, place their names, written in ink, on separate slips of paper, in an envelope sealed and endorsed by me, Clerk, as List of Jurors, to serve as jurors for the first week of the March term of Court, commencing Monday, March 9, 1903, as follows, to-wit:

Table with 3 columns: No., Name, Ward. 1. William P.ow 8, 2. Louis Ferreand 2, 3. Albert Theohaid 3, 4. Abe Talley 7, 5. H. Borey 4, 6. T. A. Provost 8, 7. F. H. Williams 7, 8. Taylor Cousin 7, 9. Paul Faciane 9, 10. Charles Davia 4, 11. C. W. Bush 5, 12. Z. Henley 8, 13. William Bruhl 2, 14. Louis Peter 1, 15. J. E. Poirson 4, 16. Archie Strain 4, 17. Peter Perrin 1, 18. Alard Cousin 7, 19. D. A. Porter 9, 20. John Attenhofer 1, 21. Albert Pichon 9, 22. Albert Frederick 9, 23. L. C. T. Jenkins 5, 24. John Lee 2, 25. J. S. Breakfield 9, 26. J. D. Thomas 5, 27. Walter Parker 6, 28. B. F. Bowman 6, 29. Claiborne Stanga 4, 30. A. Duple 4.

And we being of the opinion that a jury was not needed for the second week of said court, the said Jury Commissioners placed all of said slips in an envelope, and endorsed as above stated and sealed, were by me placed in the "Jury Box" and locked and sealed and placed in the custody of the Clerk of court, in the presence of the above mentioned witnesses, for use at the ensuing session of court.

All of these acts of the Jury Commissioners aforesaid having been done in the presence of each other and one of the witnesses above named and an ex-Officio Jury Commissioner and Clerk, all of whom hereunto sign their names, on the same day, to-wit: first above written, CHARLES OULLIBER, H. J. SMITH, S. J. TALLEY, H. A. VERRET, Jury Commissioners.

H. R. WARREN, Clerk and ex-Officio Jury Commissioner.

U. S. Land Office, New Orleans, La. Jan. 27, 1903. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before H. R. Warren, Clerk of Court at Covington, La., on Monday, March 9, 1903, viz: WILLIAM ALBERT LAWFOR. Who made homestead entry No. 23,885 for the fractional southeast quarter of the southeast quarter of section 17, township 5, south range 13 east, St. Helena Meridian.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: L. W. Purvis, W. M. Crawford, Ira Purvis and S. T. Cowart, all of Thomsville, P. O., La., j81-5t. WALTER L. COHEN, Register.

U. S. Land Office, New Orleans, La. Jan. 27, 1903. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Register and Receiver at New Orleans, La., on Saturday March 14, 1903, viz: ROBERT W. BREADON. Who made homestead entry No. 22,806 for the west half of the southeast quarter, and the northeast quarter of the southeast quarter of section 10, township 6, south range 10 east, St. Helena Meridian.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Thomas A. Flanagan, Walter DuFour, Levi Bardon and Edward Taylor, all Covington, La. j81-5t. WALTER L. COHEN, Register.

U. S. Land Office, New Orleans, La. Jan. 3, 1903. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before H. R. Warren, clerk of the district court at Covington, La., on Saturday, February 14, 1903, viz: SIMON P. LEWIS. Who made homestead entry No. 20,696 for the west half of the northeast quarter and northeast quarter of the northwest quarter of section 6, township 6, south range 10 east, St. Helena Meridian. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: George Core, Louis Pea, R. D. Jones and Ishai Daniels, all of Alma P. O., La. j81-5t. WALTER L. COHEN, Register.

HERE IS YOUR CHANCE! To Buy Lots in New Claiborne and New Covington. New Covington is too well known to go into any particulars in regard to the tract. The East Louisiana Railroad runs through the center of New Claiborne. Lots can be purchased fronting the Railroad or the Abita wagon road, which forms the north boundary of the tract, and on the Arthur road which also leads to Abita Springs and which bounds the tract on the south. These Lots are Five Minutes Walk from Claiborne Station. Lots in New Claiborne will be sold for \$85 00 each. Lots in New Covington \$40 00 and upward, according to location. Titles will be Given Purchasers FREE; Purchasers to pay for the Recording. Lots and squares are being sold in New Covington rapidly, and all wishing desirable location had better hurry up and purchase. FOR FURTHER INFORMATION APPLY TO F. B. Martindale, COVINGTON, LA. Room 9, Frederick Building.

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