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Rev. A. KAUB, Pastor.

Announcements

For State Senator

We are authorized to announce
J. S. SETTOON.

of Livingston Parish, as a candidate for re-election as Senator from the Nineteenth Senatorial District of Louisiana, composed of the Parishes of St. Tammany, Washington, Tangipahoa, St. Helena and Livingston, subject to the Democratic Primary Election.

We are authorized to announce
EUGENE B. WATSON.

of St. Helena Parish, as a candidate for Senator from the Nineteenth Senatorial District of Louisiana, composed of the Parishes of St. Tammany, Washington, Tangipahoa, St. Helena and Livingston, subject to the Democratic Primary Election.

We are authorized to announce
DUNCAN S. KEMP.

of Tangipahoa Parish, as a candidate for election as Senator from the Nineteenth Senatorial District of Louisiana, composed of the Parishes of St. Tammany, Washington, Tangipahoa, St. Helena and Livingston, subject to the Democratic Primary Election.

We are authorized to announce
T. E. BENNETT.

of Washington Parish, as a candidate for election as Senator from the Nineteenth Senatorial District of Louisiana, composed of the Parishes of St. Tammany, Washington, Tangipahoa, St. Helena and Livingston, subject to the Democratic Primary Election.

We are authorized to announce the following candidates for Parish officers, subject to the primary election.

For Representative

LEWIS L. MORGAN

For Sheriff

T. E. BREWSTER
M. C. DAY

For Clerk of Court

D. M. WADSWORTH
H. R. WARREN

For Parish Assessor

J. B. MAGEE
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D. C. WALLIS

For Coroner

DR. F. G. MARRERO
DR. L. C. HEINTZ

For Police Juror

First Ward.
GEO. KOEPP, JR.
Second Ward.
MARK FITZGERALD.
LOUIS A. PILAUD
J. E. BLACKWELL
R. T. DISS.
Third Ward.
HERMAN SCHLITZ.
WILLIAM BADON.
HIRAM COOK
THEO. STRAIN
P. V. MALLETT.
Fourth Ward.
GEORGE BIERHORST
S. F. PHILLIPS.
Fifth Ward.
LOUIS GRANTHAM.
EZBON COOPER
Sixth Ward.
EMILE SINGLEARY.
HENRY ANDERSON
Eighth Ward.
B. A. SCHNEIDER
A. M. PLANCHER
M. F. PORTER
Ninth Ward.
L. T. MILES
Justice of the Peace.
Third Ward
EUGEN MORAN.
A. O. PONS.
Fifth Ward
B. B. MIZELL
Eighth Ward.
E. A. J. COMB
JOHN HAGER
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Eighth Ward.
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For wear, comfort and genteel appearance, there is no shoe on the market to day that equals the Hamilton Brown. Go to Schmidt's store, Abita Springs, La.

Lack of Confidence.

The publication by newspapers of comments on the present financial condition of the country has been deprecated and attention called to the injury that might result from keeping the subject prominently before the public.

Since it is undoubtedly true that an impending crisis, heralded by the press, might precipitate a panic, why should not the announcement that the country is in a prosperous condition be received with equal faith and confidence? Does the law of self-preservation intervene to destroy reason?

Columns upon columns of editorials have appeared in the papers throughout the States asserting the prosperity of the country and deploring the injurious consequences of the panic feeling, without producing the desired effect.

How different would be the result were there an implicit confidence that the editorial columns of the papers could be relied upon to represent exact conditions and to give expressions resulting from thorough investigation and unbiased consideration.

This may suggest an idealistic and impossible condition, especially in view of the hurried work that has to be done; yet it is not true that if in the present financial trouble there had been a source of information upon which thorough reliance could have been placed, and which could have been voiced by the press throughout the country, that the hoarding and withdrawal of money from circulation would have been prevented, and the monetary disturbance of today reduced to a slight distress that could have been soon alleviated?

The trouble is that facts are magnified or reduced to suit the object to be attained, and the read in public, instead of placing implicit reliance upon what is said, begin to search for reasons and draw their own conclusions as to the motives behind declarations.

It should be the object of the press to establish feelings of confidence between itself and its readers; and when it shall have come to pass that its utterances are relied upon to represent true thought and are the expression of convictions resulting from a thorough investigation and intelligent conception of the subject discussed, without ulterior motives, then such a question as the advisability of discussion by the press will not be raised. In its stead will come a demand for information and instruction.

Had this confidence existed, there would have been no run on banks in New York that were perfectly sound, and there would be no restriction to day in the amount of withdrawal in our banks in Covington.

The press throughout the United States has repeatedly declared that the country is in no distress, and that business conditions are good; that all that is needed is confidence to restore business to its normal condition. But this confidence is lacking, and faith in the press is not strong enough to overcome the thought that there may be possible danger. There is no stronger power than the press, and it has done much to allay the fears of the people in the present crisis; yet its power would be much increased by the establishment of a thorough reliability for every sentence in its editorial columns.

To the Farmers.

Ozone Fruit and Truck Ass'n, Abita Springs, Nov. 19, 1907.
Looking over the Annual Report of Farmers' Institutes just to hand for 1906, held in the United States, one cannot help deploring the want of interest taken in so vital a subject by the farmers of Louisiana. Quarantine was, to a certain extent, responsible for the small number of institutes held (13); but Mississippi found opportunity to hold 220 sessions, with a total attendance of 10,000, against our 2,657. One thing that militates against us is the paltry amount of State appropriation (\$2,000.00) for the work. Some States give as high as \$30,000.00.

To the best of my knowledge we have only had one institute meeting held in Covington in five years, and that was a fizzle, through the delay of the local train, and also a misunderstanding after the Directors arrived.

I think that the time is ripe for another, in fact several. The Experimental Stations are working for our benefit and have a fund of up-to-date information that can be

ours for the asking. What do you say, farmers of St. Tammany parish?

I shall be glad to hear from each farmer within a radius of twenty miles of Covington who will simply declare his intention to be present, and to bring, if possible, his wife and children. Poultry raisers will also find it to their benefit to attend.

Given the promise of a decent representation, I will take up the matter with the State Board of Agriculture and Immigration.

"Knowledge is power."
A post card addressed to Millar, Abita Springs, La., will be all it will cost you.

G. E. MILLAR.

Mobile and Whisky.

It has been the custom in prohibition campaigns to assume that all respectability in a community is found in alignment in antagonism to the opposing forces who seek to maintain the sale of liquor; and especially has it been the plea of women that only grosser natures could witness the wreck of homes and the destruction of the youth of the land in exchange for the dollars that accrue in taxes. Yet, within a few days, we witness the scene of thousands of women of Mobile, composed of ministers' wives, members of Christian associations, society belles—in fact, women representing all classes of Mobile society—uniting their forces and petitioning the Legislature not to close the saloons, because they netted the city of Mobile \$80,000 annually for the public schools. Is it to be flattered that "every man has his price"? Can it be said the women of Mobile are different from the women of other cities and towns?

Women are great reformers until they become associated with some political party or movement, when their individuality is lost in composite actions that sacrifice opinions to the achievement of party strength.

Public School.

Everything in school is moving on very nicely. The public might be interested to know that we have registered to date in this town 411 pupils throughout the grades.

Thirty five of these pupils are doing high school work, while the other 376 are scattered along among seven different grades.

We are now working ten teachers. We have one teacher to the grade all the way up to the high school. This gives the children in each grade advantages almost equal to the city schools. By the way, we have for these grades a teacher equal to, if not better than, most of the public school teachers throughout the State. Besides regular class work in each grade the children are getting manual training, drawing and singing in each room this year. A great effort is being made to secure thorough work in all departments.

I feel gratified to see pupils and teachers making such effort along all lines of school work this year. The two great things needful are equipment and a school building. Give us something to work with and we will show you some good results.

Will no one follow the example of our New Orleans friend in making a donation to help secure equipment? Mr. Colton gave us \$5 to start a fund to buy maps, globes and laboratories. Who will come next with \$25? Who will bring \$20? Who \$15, and who any amount?

What is to become of the new school building? It is fast decaying and rotting down. Almost one year since work began, and nine months since it ceased. Who can tell us something of the new building, and who can begin the work soon?

Friend, patron, we live for our country; we live for posterity; but let us so live that our children will rise up and call us blessed!

How can we do these things unless we bestir ourselves and complete the new school building soon?

Most respectfully,
C. A. MATHEWS,
Principal.

A METHODIST MINISTER RECOMMENDS

CHAMBERLAIN'S COUGH REMEDY.
We have used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in our home for seven years, and it has always proved to be a reliable remedy. We have found that it would do more than the manufacturers claim for it. It is especially good for croup and whooping cough.
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Pastor Milaca, Minn., "E. Church. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is sold by C. C. Champagne & Co., druggists and J. L. Watkins, of the City Druggists.

The Bond Issue.

The announcement that the government is to issue \$50,000,000 in Panama bonds and \$100,000,000 one-year 3 per cent certificates has been a great restorative to public confidence, and appears to meet the approval of a large number of bankers and financiers throughout the country; and, in conjunction with the letter of approval written by President Roosevelt to Secretary Cortelyou, proclaiming that the business of the country is fundamentally sound and that the lack of confidence and the hoarding of money by the timid is the only bar to a complete restoration of business activity, should add greatly to the strength of the situation.

No one reading the President's letter can fail to be impressed by its earnestness and sincerity, and it should be a warning to those who persistently aid in the depressed condition of affairs by lack of confidence and hoarding of money; that no effort for restoration to a normal condition can avail without people use their reasoning faculties and accept the opportunity that is offered them.

In times like this, when business activities are lessened, a lack of opportunity for investment soon accumulates idle capital, and were it not for the hoarding of money, there would be an all sufficient quantity in circulation. Even as it is, the issue of \$100,000,000 of certificates will probably start the gold we have borrowed flowing back to Europe.

The issue of bonds will give an additional bank circulation; but the issue of certificates more directly affects us of the South, as the proceeds will partly be devoted to the removal of crops. This will ease matters in New Orleans, and the condition there controls the situation in Covington and St. Tammany Parish. The banks in this parish could easily accommodate their patrons, but they could not run the risk of being drawn on by New Orleans. In view of these facts, those who have money they are not using should place it in bank, where it will not only earn something for them, but will help to restore confidence to others.

The two banks in Covington have been joggling along without assistance, neither of them having received from New Orleans banks more than \$250, although money is due them, and it is a very creditable showing and a compliment to their management that they can meet the occasion without embarrassment.

FOLSOM NOTES

Folsom, La., Nov. 17, 1907.
Editor St. Tammany Farmer:

Colton continues coming in. Mr. Wm. Brahl is still quite busy turning cane into sugar and syrup. Miss Willie May Rogers visited Covington last Friday.

Mr. Alex. Blackwell and son Ed., of Blackwell, visited Folsom Tuesday.

Mr. G. F. Pittman, of Hattiesburg, Miss., has leased the Smith saw mill here and is doing a fine business.

Mr. A. Huser has almost completed his handsome residence.

Mr. J. P. Remy, the popular mail carrier from here to Falia, continues his rides through all sorts of weather.

Miss Seymour Hadden, of Covington, spent last Saturday and Sunday here with her friend, Mrs. A. Hammett.

The large brickyard of Fendlasson & Son has added extra force and is now turning out 10,000 bricks a day.

Our friend Mr. J. D. McLain has recently been appointed manager of the new store and postoffice at Onvil. He is also depot agent.

Mr. J. Whimpe, express messenger from New Orleans to Columbia Junction, spent last Sunday here with his friend, A. H. Hammett.

Schmidt, at Abita Springs, handles the famous Hamilton Brown Shoes, for men and women.

A HARD DEBT TO PAY

I owe a debt of gratitude that can never be paid off," writes G. S. Clark, of Westfield, Iowa, "for my rescue from death, by Dr. King's New Discovery. Both lungs were so seriously affected that death seemed imminent, when I commenced taking New Discovery. The ominous dry, hacking cough quit before the first bottle was used, and two more bottles made a complete cure." Nothing has ever equalled New Discovery for coughs, colds and all throat and lung complaints. Guaranteed by C. C. Champagne & Co., druggists, 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

SCHOOL MATTERS.

Local School Trustees Appointed.

The following trustees have been appointed to serve for one year, or until their successors are appointed:
Sand Hill School—John Gottschalok, Neil McDonald and R. M. Bennett.

Fendlasson School—Alex. Bennett, Wm. Lee and J. F. Morgan.
German Settlement School—T. L. Dutsch, Archie Cook and L. Talley.

Lewisburg School—Wm. Boyle, Sydney Smith, George Smith and Jos. Smith.

Mandeville School—P. H. Hansbrough, W. G. Hutchison, J. W. Tucker, L. C. Vicks and H. Borey.

COLORED SCHOOLS.
Hay Hollow School—Tom Cyrian, Geo. Richardson and Robt. Brown.

Populus School—Sylvian Populus, Cassimere Populus and Albert Benthone.
Flot School—John Baham.
W. M. G. EVANS, Sec'y.

Teachers Examinations.

The next examination of applicants for certificates of qualification to teach in the public schools of the parish will be held in the public school building in Covington on December 19, 20 and 21. The examination will begin at 9:30 o'clock sharp on the morning of Thursday, November 19. Both white and colored applicants will be examined on the same dates. In sending out the notices of this examination to the Parish Superintendents, Mr. Aswell states:

"The law, as you know, permits no teacher to draw a dollar of salary from any public school fund unless said person shall hold a valid Louisiana teacher's certificate. You and I are sworn to comply with the law. Let all teachers not holding valid certificates be informed. Provisional certificates now in force will not be valid after December, 1907. Many of the questions on the 'Theory of Art Teaching' will bear upon the reading course and the work outlined this year in the plans for the Teachers' Association meetings."
W. G. EVANS.

A GOOD LINIMENT

When you need a good reliable liniment try Chamberlain's Pain Balm. It is superior for sprains and swellings. A piece of flannel slightly dampened with Pain Balm is superior to a plaster, for lame back or pains in the side or chest. It also relieves rheumatic pains and makes sleep and rest possible.
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The words: "In God we trust," have been stricken from the new coinage.

Hon. Fritz Salmen has been named as a member of the Commission to investigate the Port of New Orleans.

The New Orleans Port bill has passed; to be a legislative commission; also the bill debarbing corporations from appealing from State to Federal courts.

Sheriff Brewster has offered a reward of \$25 for the capture of Ira Taylor, the negro who killed Ed Crawford some days ago, but who evaded the officers.

The announcement that Gen. Leon Jastrenski, candidate for Governor, has been stricken with paralysis has been met everywhere with deepest expressions of sympathy.

The trial of Ansil N. Simmons for the murder of A. D. Varnado, at Franklinton, last week, resulted in a mistrial by reason of the illness of one of the jurors. The case will come up again in December.

We wish to call attention to the card of G. E. Miller, in another column, addressed to the farmers of St. Tammany Parish. We will have something further to say in the matter next week, and in the meantime would suggest that it is to the interest of every farmer to aid all he can in the movement to secure the institute meetings.

There has been a great disparity in the figures turned in by some of the Assessors, as between the amounts figured out by the State Board of Equalization and those made on the rolls by the assessors. The difference between the figures of the assessors and those of the State Board of Equalization in some instances reaches thousands of dollars. The supposition is that the instructions of the Board were not carried out, and investigation is in progress.

APPENDICITIS

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G. E. MILLAR

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STRAYED—A red cow on our premises. Owner may phone St Joseph's Abbey.

The recent decision of the Supreme Court of Illinois that the owners of property rented for saloon purposes are liable to damages in case of illegal sale of liquor by their tenants, will be a weapon in the hands of the prohibitionists that they will not fail to wield. The Court held that "not only actual damages, but also vindictive or exemplary damages may be had against an owner of the building, who has no knowledge of the illegal sale of liquor made by his tenant in violation of the law is established against the tenant."

HE FOUGHT AT GETTYSBURG.
David Parker, of Fayette, N. Y., who lost a foot at Gettysburg, writes: "Electric Bitters have done me more good than any medicine I ever took. For several years I had stomach trouble and paid out much money for medicine to little purpose, until I began taking Electric Bitters. I would not take \$500 for what they done for me." Grand tonic for the aged and for "male weakness. Great alternative and body builder; best of all for lame back and weak kidneys. Guaranteed by C. C. Champagne & Co., druggists, 50c.

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W. G. HUTCHISON,
Land Agent for Pottevent & Favre Lumber Company. ap 27

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