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THURSDAY MORNING, MARCH 12, 1898.

Louisiana Intelligence.

Our town has been favored with a visit from Rev. Dr. Nicholson, of the Episcopal Church, who was sent here by Bishop Wilmer, of Louisiana, to see and find out what could be done in the way of establishing a church in our midst.

A number of white laborers bound for Grand Levee, passed through West Baton Rouge last week. Work has commenced upon the levee, but the number of hands employed is not sufficient to accomplish the work in the time.

At sheriff sale in West Baton Rouge Saturday, Pecan Grove, a fine sugar plantation, with two dwellings, sugar house and cabin, situated two miles above this city was sold for \$5000.

There will be a far greater variety and abundance (if all turns out well,) of cereals, esculents, vegetables and other home raised articles of sustenance in our parish this year than were raised here in any one year previous.

Rev. Mr. Strong has become the rector of the Episcopal Church in Baton Rouge.

SAILING OF THE CUSA.—The steamship Cuba, Capt. DeKuhart, sailed last evening for Baltimore via Havana, with a full freight and the following named passengers:

For Baltimore—Hon. Jefferson Davis and lady, O. H. Williams, R. W. Wilson, Wm. V. Walton.

For Havana—Mr. Baldwin and lady, Wm. Helm, Miss Condon, Ant. Gallo, F. Carlos, A. Tomlinson, F. O. Armstrong, J. Justinian and servant.

SAILING OF THE GEN. SWEDEWIC.—The steamship Gen. Sedgwick, G. Gates commanding, sailed last evening for New York direct, with a full freight and a number of passengers.

SAILING OF THE TAPPAN BROOK.—The steamship Tappanbrook, Capt. Olsen, sailed last evening for Havana, with a good freight and a number of passengers.

Billy Emerson takes a farewell benefit Friday evening, March 13th, at the Academy of Music.

THE BELLETRIST AMERICAN CONSUL AT HOME.—The secretary of state sent a communication to the Senate in reply to a resolution of that body on the subject of the alleged interference of our consul in Havana in the late revolution in that city.

The last letter from the consul depute that he went out to join the Papal troops, armed with his rifle. He received permission from the commanding general to join and accompany the moving column of Papal troops simply as a spectator.

In an endeavor to render a wounded man assistance, he was slightly wounded, and found himself a target for a Carabidarian rifle. He was fired at by some person, and feeling that his assistant would be picked up by a gun for his own protection, when his assailant retreated and ceased to annoy him.

Mr. Seward disapproved the conduct of the consul, but no instruction from his government required his presence with the Papal army in the field, either as belligerent or spectator.

No interest of the United States could be served by it, and no motive could be reasonably assigned for it, except an interest in the cause in which the army was engaged, or mere curiosity. Mr. Seward concludes, it will depend in part upon your own better conduct hereafter, and in some part upon the circumstances not yet fully understood, whether the department can be content to leave the case with the reprimand.

EDWIN FORREST.—A St. Louis correspondent relates the following: Edwin Forrest's week was a very poor one; the audiences were slim, the old man quiet and cross; indeed, he thinks St. Louis received him ungratefully. When a boy, thirty-five years ago, Sol Smith was managing a theater in this city, and Forrest presented himself for an engagement. He was not wanted, and being determined to get to New Orleans, he falling short of means, he hired out to a traveling circus to reach New Orleans. Mr. Sol Smith, meeting the old tragedian on the other side, called his attention to the incident, when Mr. Forrest observed, "Yes, sir; and didn't I turn them well, sir?"

A Cincinnati: "Talk about filters! Just set a quart of Ohio river water, and stand in the sun for five minutes, and you will find the finest coming out at every pore, beautifully filtered, while your stomach becomes converted into a small bag, and you can hear the gravel rattles as you walk."

Boards of Registration Appointed. THEIR DUTIES DEFINED.

THE LISTS TO BE REVISED.

HEADQUARTERS FIFTH MILITARY DISTRICT, New Orleans, La., March 10, 1898.

Special Order No. 54

1. Under the provisions of section 4 of the supplementary act of Congress, passed March 23, 1877, the following persons are hereby appointed on the boards of registration for the approaching revision and election for the State of Louisiana, for the districts and parishes respectively named:

Ascension—H. G. Ingham, Elphege Gaudin, Chas. J. B. Ingham, George M. Jackson, Sam'l H. Fields.

Azoulay—Albert H. Blake, T. J. Edwards, F. B. Chabonck.

Baton Rouge, E.—George M. Husted, H. V. Babine.

Baton Rouge, W.—Valentine Dubroca, Julius G. Badenhaus, Wm. B. Obermayer.

Bentonia—Wm. H. Chamberlain, Thomas F. Conklin.

Bossier—James H. Doble, Percy Baker, Sam'l Berry.

Caldwell—Rosa Wilkinson, Fred A. Fuller.

Caldwell—P. A. Burns.

Caldwell—John Ewing, John Bedford, Thilford Smith.

Carroll—George A. Sheridan, G. C. Bonham.

Catahoula—Edward S. Wilson.

Clabre—Charles B. Slack.

Concordia—Isaac A. Abbott, John McConkey.

De Soto—Thomas Carey, John Beady.

De Soto—H. Henry B. Chase, Frank Roig, Robert H. Draughon.

Feliciana—W. S. W. Welton, John McElwee, Matthew Riley.

Franklin—B. S. Small, Leroy S. Ward, Charles E. Jones.

Theriot—Wm. Brown, J. L. Dupreane, C. E. Merrill.

Jackson—G. W. Ferguson, A. A. Milliken, M. K. Kid.

Jefferson—W. D. Smith, Thomas Friend, J. J. Gutierrez.

Lafayette—Jefferson I. Caffrey, Hosmond C. Landry, James Fry.

Lafayette—E. J. Bruff, Octave Blanchard, Thomas L. Morris.

Lafayette—N. T. Hyer, Lafayette Evans.

Madison—Henry Carstons.

Madison—W. A. Moulton, John W. Bowles.

Orleans—O. N. Blackington, William Roy, S. W. Kile.

Orleans—First District: J. A. Roberts, J. P. Moore. Second District: C. H. Roberts, J. P. Stagg. Third District: J. E. Scott. Fourth District: Theo. James, Dr. John Green.

Orleans—J. R. Gillan, David Hasley, Ansel Edwards.

Plaquemine—Julius Lovell, R. H. McMillan.

Pontchartraine—James M. Cooley, Bernard Darrin, J. F. Watson.

Rapides—N. G. Smith, Geo. J. Penfold.

Sabine—Garham Munson, D. W. Brandan.

St. Bernard—Thomas Eng, Edmund Villard, Jules Levesque.

St. Charles—Geo. E. Emerson, Ben. G. Adams.

St. Helena—Abraham Womack, J. E. Yerkes, D. F. Setton.

St. James—Dr. Chas. Gray, Wm. H. Lawton, George Collins.

St. John Baptist—James T. Reid.

St. Landry—M. D. Kavanagh, Geo. N. Rogers, Edmund H. Martin.

St. Martin—Bernardville Olivier, Placide Bienville, J. W. Seaman.

St. Mary—Homer H. Smith, Jas. G. Parkinson, Fred. C. Palfrey.

St. Tammany—John J. Morlee, Isaac Evans, Nelson Collins.

Tensas—Robert Worrell, R. D. Mitchell.

Terrebonne—William J. Minor, Joachim Guena, George H. Packwood.

Union—Lorenzo M. Bronson, C. J. McMillan.

Vermillion—Rudolph Curtis, Lyman O. Lyons, Levi H. Kibbe.

Washington—Joseph Chillet, John P. Ard, Wesley W. Faust.

Winn—William Wright, Egbert H. Deloach, John T. Cooley.

Each member of the boards of registrars, before commencing his duties, will file with the chairman of his board, for transmittal to the headquarters of the Fifth Military District, the following oath: "I, A. B., do solemnly swear that I have never voluntarily borne arms against the United States since I have been a citizen thereof; that I have voluntarily given no aid, countenance, counsel or encouragement to persons engaged in armed hostility thereto; that I have neither sought nor accepted, nor attempted to exercise the functions of any office whatever under any authority or pretended authority in hostility to the United States; that I have not rendered any aid, countenance, counsel or encouragement to any person in violation of the laws of the United States; that I will support and defend the Constitution of the United States against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear faith and allegiance to the same; that I take this obligation freely, without any reservation or purpose of evasion; and that I will well and faithfully discharge the duties of the office on which I am about to enter, so help me God."

Registrars will be governed in the execution of their duties by the provision of the reconstruction acts, faithfully administering the oath therein prescribed to each person registered.

Heads of registrars will select suitable offices—in the country parishes, at the Court House—and in the parish of Orleans, within their respective districts, having reference to convenience and facility for revision of registration.

Office hours will be from 7 A. M. to 12 M., and from 1 to 7 P. M.

Each board will immediately proceed to establish polling places in each voting precinct of the respective parishes and districts, and select three suitable persons to act as commissioners of election therefor. The election precincts will be as heretofore established by law.

Commissioners of election will be required to take the same oath of office as taken by the registrars, and which may be subscribed to before any registrar and justice of the peace, and will file with the chairman of the board for transmittal to these headquarters.

Two of the commissioners in each precinct will be required to act as clerks of the election, and care must be taken to select suitable persons for this purpose.

Registrars will be paid eight dollars per day for the time actually employed, and for necessary expenses incurred for transportation to their respective parishes, and in traveling therein, in accordance with this order.

Commissioners six dollars per day for their services on the day of election.

Every voucher must be approved by the chairman of the board, and if for expenses incurred, must be accompanied by sub-vouchers or an affidavit of its correctness.

Registrars appointed by this order, now in the city, will report to these headquarters without delay.

The records, papers, etc., pertaining to each parish, will be forwarded to the chairman of the board of said parish, who will be held responsible for their safe keeping.

By command of Maj. Gen. Hancock: GEO. L. HANCOCK, Major General, Adjutant General, Second Louisiana Infantry, Revere, La. Lieutenant, U. S. A., Acting A. G.

AUCTION SALES. G. DE FERRET'S SALES.

VALUABLE IMPROVED AND UNIMPROVED LOTS IN THE THIRD DISTRICT OF THIS CITY AT PUBLIC AUCTION.

BY G. DE FERRET, Auctioneer.

Office and Sale Rooms 85 Bienville street.

THURSDAY, March 12, 1898, at 12 o'clock P. M., at the Merchants' and Auctioneers' Exchange, on Royal street, between Canal and Customhouse streets, will be sold at public auction, by virtue of an order from the Honorable the Second District Court of New Orleans, dated the 23rd day of February, 1898, the following described real estate, to-wit:

1. A certain lot of ground situated in the First District of this city, in the square bounded by Canal street, on the north, by the Canal, on the east, by the Customhouse street, on the south, and by the Bienville street, on the west, measuring 100 feet in depth, and 100 feet in width, together with the buildings and improvements thereon.

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AUCTION SALES. CHAS. E. FORTIER'S SALES.

SECOND AND LAST ADJUDICATION.

SUCCESSION OF JOHN GEORGE BAUMAN, SECOND DISTRICT COURT OF NEW ORLEANS.

BY CHARLES E. FORTIER, Auctioneer.

Office No. 45 Exchange Alley.

THURSDAY, March 12, 1898,