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Social Intelligence.

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At the Old Bayou the water on Monday was waist deep in front of the hotel. At the Pontchartrain railroad end it was over one's knees at Mr. Puel's, and it was up yesterday at noon along the line of the city, as high as Hercules street, in the First District, as Claiborne in the Second; but away beyond, in the Third, which is the highest portion of the city, the water was only up to the waists of the people. The beautiful little bayou was put to a severe test by old Boreas. The Minnie Gilmore is all broke to pieces, the Elephant carried several planks, and her deck and stern are broken. The boat was driven to the shore, and the injury by her indomitable sea-dog of a master, Henry Tracy.

We saw Messrs. Howett and Griffith on an errand to the city, and they were accompanied with a wagon load of bread and flour, bound about in the water, seeking to relieve the distressed and famished denizens of the drowned portions of the rearward. They were seen in the First District and upper portion of the Second it had fallen several inches, and we are informed the Canal Carondelet and Bayou St. John had receded three feet.

No great damage has been done at lake end. The ladies' bath-house has been entirely swept away at the railroad end, and a portion of the gentlemen's, also. Boudro has lost about 25 feet of the made ground east of his restaurant, and the negro settlement along the shore, which runs from the town of Milneburg clean down to Bayou Cochon, although inundated, has suffered nothing in loss of life.

CHARLES FAGOT, Esq., the veteran lighthouse keeper at the mouth of the Pontchartrain Canal, broke and dressed himself on Sunday morning, at the break of day. Mr. Fagot then started out from his light-house dwelling, with his market basket, to take the four o'clock train. He was not very clear, even with his spectacles, nor were his nerves very firm; because, Friday night and Saturday, Saturday night and Sunday the waves rushed in huge rollers against the breakwater and the light-house, where he had his home. Mr. Fagot has never seen such a commotion of the elements at that point and quiet resort, Port Pontchartrain.

Sunday morning, the day upon which our old friend always likes to have his children, grandchildren, and all his connections, connections at his dining table, he called forth, with his servant bearing a market basket, to procure vegetables and meat for the family dinner. The good man had his eyes on the water, and he saw, in the dim morning light, a yawning whirl of water, without any particle of the accustomed wharf to convey him to the railroad track. Mr. Fagot turned back. He lit his lamp, and then started out, and he fell into the water, and he was the superintendent of lights, worthy every respect to be classed with the laconic dispatches of Lord Nelson and Julius Caesar: "I am in prison. Have no boat to go to market in." Mr. Fagot has the great United States government respectability of one of its functionaries. He is a worthy old gentleman, and we trust he will be well furnished.

A GOOD DEPUTY.—Major Mich. Tracey, the excellent clerk of the Second District Court, could not attend the court on Monday, and his deputy, Thomas M. Boylan, Esq., presided. Mr. Boylan is a well known and honorable man. We speak as honestly as we can. We are rejoiced to see Boylan presiding.

TO CUSTOM-HOUSE APPLICANTS there was yesterday displayed at the entrance of the collector's office, a placard reading thus: "Owing to the pressure of official business, no further applications will be received until October 15."

ONE HUNDRED AND SEVEN DEATHS were reported last week to the Board of Health, being a decrease of thirty one from the number reported during the previous week. The number was drawn first of consumption, eleven of fever, three of pneumonia, nine were still-born and the balance from various ordinary causes. Fifty-one deaths were of children under ten years of age.

AN ITALIAN NAMED Frank Roman accidentally struck his thumb on Sunday, on the levee, at the head of St. Philip street.

THE REAR PORTION of the Bienville cotton seed oil factory of Jules Aldridge, corner of Johnson o' Conti streets, was destroyed by fire early yesterday morning. Incendiarism is said to have been the cause.

THE TEMPERATURE yesterday, as shown by the observations of A. B. Griswold & Co., corner Adams and Royal streets, was as follows: At 6 A. M. 73 degrees; 12 M. 75; 3 P. M. 77; 6 P. M. 79.

The temperature yesterday, as shown by the thermometer at C. Duhamel's, 111 Canal street, was as follows: At 4 A. M. 67 degrees; 12 M. 70; 3 P. M. 76; 6 P. M. 74.

LAST EVENING about 11 o'clock officer Calhoun espied on Carondelet street a man carrying upon his back a pack of merchandise, which upon examination proved to consist of dry goods, female wearing apparel, a parasol, etc., which the bearer stated belonged to a colored man, and he inquired where he was going, the man replied, giving a certain number on Canal street as his boarding house. The officer repaired with him, only to find the building referred to to be a wholesale dry goods establishment. The man, after making no further explanation, was conducted to the station where he gave his name as John Freedo. He was detained for examination before the recorder this morning.

THE METROPOLITAN POLICE BOARD met yesterday but transacted no business of moment.

ABOUT 1700 names have thus far been registered in the Second Ward.

THE CAMPAIGN IN EAST FELICIANA.

Special Correspondence of the Crescent.

NEAR JACKSON, LA., Sept. 29, 1868.

Having noticed the anxiety of your subscribers to get your paper when the mail arrived, and without the delay of the express, I thought I would devote the interest, assures me that its able columns of local news are telling most wonderfully in behalf of our common cause, the great Democratic party. It is through your paper that we have been greatly encouraged; and permit me to say that the parish of East Feliciana is now striving to be, at the coming election, the banner parish of the State. The town of Jackson was first in the ranks in giving Democracy. Democratic barbeque, at which many of our former deceived and deluded colored friends came boldly to the standard of Democracy, which is the polar star of our old and much beloved Constitution. Now, sir, there are clubs being formed in every portion of the parish, many of them not forgetting to attach the much esteemed name of Hancock at their heads, in honor of that gallant commander, whose name will be cherished by Louisiana as a grateful memory shall last.

These clubs have already nearly two-thirds of their colored brethren with them, and before the election in November there will yet be many more standing in the ranks of Democracy. We are confident that there is earnest, faithful, zealous work to be accomplished; and if you could witness the enthusiasm and zeal manifested at our different clubs, barbeques and public gatherings, it would do you good. I might say that we are not only daily avocations we never let an opportunity pass to convince our colored citizens of their error. We persuade, exhort and entreat them, for their own good, to leave the diabolical party of Radicalism, and come out and identify their interest with their true friends, who will not deceive, mislead or desert them. Our motto is "No compromise." D. S. O.

SILVERSMITHS REGISTRATION OF CASE JUDGE.—The attention of our readers is called to the notice in another column of this morning's CRESCENT, in which Mr. H. O. Ames cautions the public against any infringement upon Robert S. Brewster's patented process of "Silversmiths' Registration of Case Judge" in the manufacture of sugar, in which he is joint owner, will be made liable for damages, and that no one has any right to use this patent without a license from him, which license may be had by applying to him at his residence, No. 104 PETERS street, opposite the Custom House.

NEGRO RIOT AT SHREVEPORT.

THREE CITIZENS KILLED.

20 Negroes Killed and Wounded.

On Wednesday last a serious difficulty occurred on the Texas road, a short distance from the town of Shreveport, resulting in the death of three white men and nineteen negroes. The following facts we have gathered from various persons who have arrived here since last Saturday night:

A driver of a wagon, being intoxicated, fired his revolver in the air, and immediately afterwards was seized by a party of negroes who happened to be in the immediate vicinity, and carried to a grove near by, where he was bound with ropes to a tree. Upon the suggestion of a few clear-headed negroes of the party, in a few minutes the man was released. At this moment a negro from an adjoining plantation came up, and without a word of provocation fired upon and killed Mr. Jas. Bruwales and Messrs. Ogden and Thompson, citizens of Caddo parish. Upon hearing of this state of affairs, the citizens of Shreveport turned out en masse and proceeded to the scene of the outrage. About nineteen negroes, supposed to have been ringleaders in the affair, were killed, having first from their quarters fired upon the citizens as they came down the road. When the steamer Eight Way left Shreveport, last Thursday, everything was quiet.

EDITORIAL PARAGRAPHS, ETC.

Banks has been re-nominated for Congress.

Emerson, Allen and Manning are in Louisville.

The Baltimore Opera Troupe are at Louisville.

Chase is said to be ruddy and reticent.

Carleton is at the Louisville Theatre Company.

President Hill, of Harvard College, has resigned.

Gen. E. Kirby Smith has gone to California.

Theodore Jones, artist of Cincinnati is dead.

John Flinn, an old judge of Cincinnati, is dead.

Broad street, Mobile, was flooded on the 3d.

Gold closed in New York at 140 to 140 1/2.

The Mobile Register would have government pitch in for Cuba.

The Perry statue was unveiled at