

Democratic Central Executive Committee of St. Landry.

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DEMOCRATIC STATE TICKET.

For Auditor of Public Accounts: ALLEN JUMEL, of Iberville. For State Treasurer: JAS. D. BLAIR, of Orleans. For Congress—3d District: A. BAILEY, of Opelousas. For the State Senate: F. DAIGLE, of Lafayette.

For the House of Representatives: DR. JAMES DONOVAN, of Plaquemine Bridge. A. L. DUROU, of Armandville. M. D. KAVANAGH, of Washington. LUCIEN DARBAY, of Grand Coteau. For Parish Judge: ADOLPHE GARRIGUES.

For the Police Jury. We are authorized to announce that Dr. J. L. ESTORGE has consented to become a candidate for the Police Jury for the Ward comprising the town of Opelousas.

For Sheriff. We are authorized to announce Mr. EGBERT O. HAYES as a Democratic candidate for Sheriff of St. Landry, at the election of November next. [Sept. 3, 1870.]

For the Legislature. At the solicitation of a large number of voters of St. Landry, I have consented to become a candidate for the Legislature. I am a qualified elector, and if elected will take my seat and perform my duty without fear, favor, or the hope of reward. B. R. GANTT.

For the Legislature. Mr. Editor—Please announce me as a Democratic candidate for the Legislature, at the election in November next. JAMES WEBB.

For the Legislature. I am an independent Democratic candidate for the Legislature at the election next November. B. F. HARDESTY.

Opelousas Howard Association. At a meeting of the Opelousas Howard Association held September 7th, 1870, Felix A. King was appointed President, and O. A. Guidry appointed Secretary. Messrs. F. A. King, Charles Thompson and S. Loeb were appointed a committee to solicit subscriptions. Families about to leave town are requested, before doing so, to leave something for the benefit of their less fortunate neighbors, in case of an epidemic.

EFFICIENCY OF THE QUARANTINE.—No one can deny that the quarantine established in our town, nearly a month ago, has preserved us from the yellow fever, which still exists among our neighbors at Washington and at Barry's Landing. But as the danger becomes more imminent, efforts are made to render the quarantine still more effective. In furtherance of this object, our Town Council, at its meeting on Thursday last, adopted a new Ordinance forbidding persons residing outside the corporate limits to enter town, whether they come from an infected district or not.

It is true that this Ordinance will interfere with the business matters of certain persons residing in the country, but to mitigate this somewhat, persons will be found at the various stations who will run errands, etc., and to a certain extent replace the presence of the country people. We think a strict enforcement of this Ordinance is the surest way, the only way, probably, to ward off this terrible fever until the frost comes. Who can find fault with this measure? Assuredly not the families of our town.

The Yellow Fever. Washington has been more fortunate this week. The sick are gradually recovering, and only one death has occurred—a carpenter named Olofin Vinson, who died on the 19th, one mile from Washington. On the Wartelle plantation there are seven cases of yellow fever, three of which are desperate. We presume they are freedmen. Mr. F. Wartelle himself is out of danger.

There are several new cases at Washington, one of whom is Dr. J. F. Leigh, who was said to be dying on Thursday evening. Only one more death has occurred at Barry's Landing—a young man named Lydrie. The sick are doing well, and we know of no new cases there.

We are pained to have to announce the death of the Rev. F. Bessance, President of St. Charles College, Grand Coteau. He died on the 16th inst., aged 52 years, after a lingering illness aggravated by what is called "painters' colic."

Mr. Bessance will be regretted by all those who knew him, and the College loses in him a professor of merit who, for nearly twelve years, has directed that institution in such a manner as to place it among the best in the country.

FALSE RUMOR.—The rumor that yellow fever had broken out in Grand Coteau last Sunday, is contradicted by the certificates of Drs. Tariton and Millard, who practice in that town and vicinity, and by the Mayor.

GRAND COTEAU, Sept. 22, 1870. We, the undersigned, practicing Physicians, hereby certify that there is not, and that there has never been, this year, a single case of yellow fever in Grand Coteau nor in its vicinity.

F. M. MILLARD, M. D. JOHN TARITON, M. D. Attest: EDU. PETERS, Mayor of Grand Coteau.

Members of the Opelousas Howard Association. Organized October 24, 1870. F. A. KING, President. JAMES K. DIXON, Treasurer. O. A. GUIDRY, Secretary. Col. F. B. REED, Austin Lacombe, Charles Thompson, Theodore Mayo, Joseph Bloch, Pierre B. Moore.

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