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"There shall be exempt from taxation and license, for a period of ten years from the adoption of this Constitution, the capital, machinery and other property employed in the manufacture of textile fabrics, leather, shoes, harness, saddlery, hats, flour, machinery, agricultural implements and furniture, and other articles of wood, marble or stone; soap, stationery, ink and paper; boat-building, and chocolate; provided that not less than five hands are employed in any one factory."

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PLAISANCE, DEC. 8TH, 1884.

EDITORS COURIER:

The parishes of Rapides, Grant, Sabine and Union have voted by large majorities to expel the demon of destruction (hydra-headed-alcohol) from their limits, and Natchitoches parish is wheeling into line also. And St. Landry, it is to be hoped, will soon roll up a majority in favor of prohibition in proportion to her magnitude and position as the Empire parish of the State. There is not a shadow of doubt that a very large majority of the people of this parish are in favor of prohibiting the sale of intoxicating liquors. And, as the women and children are the greatest sufferers, in the name of God and humanity, let us, every man "whose heart pity warms," make earnest efforts to have the drinking of useless, and utterly ruinous liquors prohibited. Ladies of St. Landry, please don't let your husbands, brothers and beaux forget the day of election, January 26, 1885. Let every good wife get up early that morning, and give their husbands and sons a good breakfast; and tell them, as they love their wives and children, sisters and sweethearts, God and their country, go and vote to stop that greatest of all evils, drinking intoxicating liquors; and kissing them off to the polls, pray almighty God to take care of the good cause, and save the country.

That the people may have some idea of the diabolical poisons that are being drunk to the utter ruin of the health, the morals, the prosperity and well-being of the parish, and the world generally, please publish enclosed excerpt and oblige.

Yours truly,
D. W. FOSTER.

I manufactured liquor for 25 years. I began the liquor business selling beer over my father's bar when I was 15 years old. I know all about it and can make any kind. The adulteration of liquor is something you know little about, and the extent of it will surprise you. A man stands about as good a chance of being struck by lightning as to get a pure article of brandy in New York. With rectified whisky as a basis we can imitate any kind of brandy. The French are more expert than we are; we begin where they leave off, and God pity the man who drinks the stuff we make. We make champagne which you buy for the genuine article. It cost to manufacture $4 a basket; we sell it for $10 to dealers. We make the stuff and put in our own bottles, make a fac-simile label of the genuine, import Spanish corks for the bottles and French straw and baskets to pack them in. We want to make a genuine imported wine. We buy one barrel of it. Our cooper takes the barrel as a pattern and makes ours by it. They are new and bright. We put them through a staining process, and they come out old and nasty and worn just like the genuine importation. Thirty-two deadly poisons are used in the manufacture of wine. Not one gallon in 50 sold here ever saw France. We sell thousands of gallons of whiskey to France to have them come back to us something else. Of all poisonous liquors in the world bourbon whiskey is the deadliest. Strychnine is only one of the poisons in it. A certain oil is used in its manufacture, eight drops of which will kill a cat in eight minutes, and a dog in nine minutes. The most temperate men in New York are the whole sale dealers. They dare not drink the stuff they sell.—Major C. B. Cotton, New York.

The suggestion has been made, says a correspondent, that Mr. Cleveland could signalize his advent to the Presidency in no more startling manner than by inviting to assist at his first reception the three ladies who still survive the experience of having presided over the White House under Democratic administrations. These ladies are Mrs. Polk, Mrs. Tyler and Harriet Lane Johnston. Mrs. Polk resides at Polk Place, Nashville, Tenn., and is now in her eighty-second year. Mrs. Tyler is still a brilliant woman of less than sixty, and lives among a host of friends in Richmond, Va. Mrs. Harriet Lane Johnston, who was mistress of the White House during her uncle's (Buchanan) administration, is a resident of Baltimore. She is always spoken of in Washington as one of the most brilliant women of its social history. She married Mr. Henry Elliot Johnston, of Baltimore, some time in 1866.

A large eagle, measuring 6½ feet from tip to tip, was killed in Rapides parish, Thursday week last by Mr. G. L. Wilson. The bird had been known in the parish for 50 years. The Alexandria Town Talk says:

"Some years since Mr. Wilson, Sr., cut down a tree containing a nest of these same eagles spoken of, and by counting the different layers of brush, bones, rubbish, etc., found that the nest was thirteen years old, and would have been a heavy load for a four-horse cane wagon."

A paper in the far West was describing a serious accident, and neatly ended up its graphic story as follows: "Our rising young townsman, Doc. Hinton, who was laying out the new graveyard at the time, was hastily summoned to the scene of the unfortunate accident, and under his skillful treatment poor Billy died peacefully two hours afterward."

Germany has shown a more practical interest in cremation than other continental countries, and Coburg has just registered 200 cases since 1878, when the first furnace was erected. It is noticeable that of these 138 were foreigners, and that the men outnumbered the women almost two to one, there being only 69 of the latter cremated and five children.

The Mobile Register declares the cotton picker "the greatest and the most useful invention of the nineteenth century." As a substitute for human fingers, it is a device which will completely revolutionize cotton production.

Mr Page M. Baker, for several years editor-in-chief of the Times-Democrat, has been made manager of that paper. He succeeds Maj. E. A. Burke.

Pens, Pencils, Ink, Stationery, Sealing Wax, Paper Fasteners, Ink and Pencil Erasers, Slates, School Books, School Bags, etc., at the Star Grocery.

Hardware, Tinware, Crockeryware Glassware, Lamps, Wicks, etc., at the Star Grocery.

Central Fire Shells, Powder, Shot and Caps, at the Star Grocery.

ST. CHARLES COLLEGE,
GRAND COTEAU,
December 9th, 1884.

EDITORS OF THE COURIER:

Gentlemen.—The song of triumph and exultation, which from the wave-beaten shores of the Atlantic to the waters of the Pacific, has thrilled through every heart; that song of victory and liberty which, since a few days, both old and young have chanted in union; that same song has found an echo within the patriotic breasts of that cosey but far famed Grand Coteau.

It was on December 4th, that its citizens wished worthily to celebrate that victory, the news of which had made their hearts leap for joy.

A grand and imposing Cleveland and Hendricks procession had been prepared for that occasion. Since early morning the town was in a bustle and everywhere could be seen signs foreboding the grandeur of the parade to be held. Grand Coteau as could be expected answered readily to the call of some of its most respected, enterprising and industrious citizens. Messrs. J. Barry, A. Mêche, Dr. E. S. Barry, and Hon. A. Pavy, could be seen in every direction, assigning to the various bodies their respective places. At three o'clock every one was astir, and when the shrill notes of the cornet re-echoed through the town, each one was at his post, Mr. J. Barry then presented our Brass-Band with a handsome Cleveland and Hendricks flag and the procession commenced its march in the following order:

Marshals Hon. A. Pavy, and Messrs. A. Mêche and J. Barry and a numerous mounted escort; Brass Band, College boys; next came a host of gentlemen, and, last, carriages. The procession, with stars and stripes floating on the breezes and marching to the melodious notes of our Band paraded through the whole town. Many a fair countenance greeted this pageant on the way, and plainly spoke the high hopes which are nurtured within the hearts of every true American.

We had now reached the magnificent stand where the names of Cleveland and Hendricks figured in gorgeous letters, and from this platform we were to be addressed by St Landry's best orators.

However, as their arrival was somewhat retarded, Mr. G. L. Dupré, who chanced to be there, was called upon and with his usual graceful delivery, eloquent and flowery diction, charmed his audience; we regret the gentleman was so brief. Finally, the band played again announcing the arrival of the invited speakers.

Messrs. H. L. Garland, and E. D Estilette were led to the platform by Hon. A. Pavy and Mr. J. Barry. Hon. A. Pavy then introduced the gentlemen to the audience.

Mr. Garland spoke, and with his clear sonorous voice captivated his listeners. He fully understood the occasion which brought him in our midst, and by his terse and logical arguments amply satisfied the democratic feelings of the people of Grand Coteau.

Mr. Estilette spoke last, and we feel it our bounden duty to heartily thank, and sincerely congratulate the gentleman, for his very appropriate introduction. Indeed the heart of each and every one of us thrilled when the gentleman made allusion to our College walls where he himself had spent his boyhood; when he spoke with love and respect and gratitude of those that guided him in the paths of learning and science.

In graphic language he narrated the life of our next President, and showed us how honesty and uprightness have brought Grover Cleveland from the lowly position of a clerk in a store to the summit of human glory, the Presidency.

Our heartfelt thanks are due to the gentlemen of Grand Coteau who invited us to attend this patriotic display; for though Mathematics and Literature may now preoccupy us more than politics, still our daily inttructions implant in our hearts that love for our country's weal, which ought to animate every true citizen and of which we hope to prove ourselves, in some future day, wholly worthy.

Yours, &c.,
VINCENT LEBLANC.

"Rough on Coughs."—Ask for "Rough on Coughs," for coughs, colds, sore throat, hoarseness, troches, 15c; liquid, 25c.

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Life Preserver.—If you are losing your grip on life, try "Wells' Health Renewer." Goes direct to weak spots.

"Rough on Toothache."—Instant relief for Neuralgia, Toothache, Faceache. Ask for "Rough on Toothache." 15 and 25 cents.

Pretty Women.—Ladies who would retain freshness and vivacity, don't fail to try "Wells' Health Renewer."

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Our readers have seen, by the handsome illustrated supplement accompanying our last week's issue, that our wide awake and enterprising jeweler, R. Mornhinveg, Esq., is determined to keep abreast of the times, and that having a full line of jewelry, which he can and will sell at cheaper rates than can be bought elsewhere, he is determined that everybody shall know it; there is therefore no excuse for our people to go away from home to spend their money for anything in his line, and if you are going to the Exposition, call on him before leaving and get your outfit, and you will save money by the operation. If you want a neat and appropriate Christmas or New Year present, you will find it at Mornhinveg's—and get it for less money than anywhere else; and you will have the satisfaction of knowing it will be just as represented. Read our supplement through and give him a call.

Read the advertisements in the COURIER and then you will know where to buy holliday goods.

Try It Yourself.

The proof of the pudding is not in chewing the string, but in having an opportunity to try the article yourself. M. P. Young & Co., the druggists, have a free trial bottle of Dr. Bosanko's Cough and Lung Syrup for each and every one who is afflicted with coughs, colds, asthma, consumption or any lung affection.

JUDICIAL NOTICES.

PUBLIC SALE.

Probate Court, Parish of St. Landry, No. 4304

ESTATE OF ERNESTINE COULEAU.

By virtue of an order of the Hon. the Probate Court in and for the parish of St. Landry, there will be sold at public auction, to the last and highest bidder, by the undersigned natural tutor or a duly qualified auctioneer, at the last residence of the deceased, parish of St. Landry, on *WEDNESDAY*, December 31st, 1884, the following described property, belonging to the estate of Ernestine Couleau, deceased, to-wit:

1 The plantation on which the deceased last resided, situated in Ville Plate prairie, parish of St. Landry containing thirty-two arpents, more or less, together with all the improvements situated thereon and bounded north and east by the public road leading from Ville Plate to Opelousas, south by Onézime P. Guillory and west by Ernesne Couleau.

2 A tract of wood land situated contiguous to Ville Plate prairie, parish aforesaid, containing ten arpents and bounded north by Y. Vidrine et als., east by John F. Shaw, south by Samuel Haas and west by D. W. Foster.

3. A tract of land situated in Prairie Faquetaique, parish aforesaid, containing eighty arpents and bounded north by Pierre Jeamisse, east by Villeneuve Ortégo, south by Ernest Holly and west by ——.

4 Ten head of horned cattle, one yoke of oxen, two head of horse creatures, one wagon, one hack and harness, a lot of lumber, one saddle, agricultural implements, household

Terms and Conditions.—One tenth part of the purchase price of the landed property together with all the movable property to be sold payable cash on the day of sale; the remainder of the purchase price of the landed property to be payable to the heirs of said estate at their majority, to-wit: to Ernest Ortégo the amount of his inheritance the day of his majority, and to Laurent Ortégo the amount of his inheritance in said estate on the day of his majority. If the aggregate of said estate exceeds the amount of inheritance of said minors, then said excess shall be paid to Joseph I. Ortégo, one-half at the majority of the first-named minor and the other half at the majority of the last-named minor. The unpaid amounts to bear five per cent per annum interest from day of sale; said interest to be paid annually to the tutor of said minors. Special mortgage and vendor's privilege shall be retained on said property until the same is finally paid.

JOSEPH I. ORTEGO,
Nov. 29, 1884. Natural Tutor.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

SOLOMON B. HARMON, ET AL., VS. JOHANN DUNZERBERG.

District Court, Parish St. Landry, No. 13762

By virtue of a writ of fi. fa. issued out of the 13th Judicial District Court in and for the parish of St. Landry, in the above entitled and numbered suit, I will proceed to sell at public auction to the last and highest bidder, at the Court House in the town of Opelousas, Parish of St. Landry, on *SATURDAY*, the 20th day of December, 1884, at 11 A. M., the following described property, to-wit:

A certain tract of land of one hundred and forty arpents, situated in St. Landry Parish, on the west and near bayou Plaquemine Brulee, bounded north by lands of vendor, south by Charles Dexler, east by bayou Plaquemine Brulee and west by homestead of Green, together with all the buildings and improvements thereon, being the same inherited by vendor from David Harmon.

Seized in the above entitled suit.
Terms and Conditions—Cash.
Nov. 15, 1884. C. C. DUSON,

JUDGMENT. JUDGMENT.

District Court, Parish of St. Landry, No. 13810

MRS. LASTIE FRUGE, JR., WIFE, VS. LASTIE FRUGE, HUSBAND.

In this case, the matter being regularly called up, was taken up and tried; the law and evidence being in favor of plaintiff and against defendant, the plaintiff having proven her demand, the said plaintiff having been duly authorized to stand in judgment; It is therefore ordered, adjudged and decreed that there be judgment in favor of plaintiff and against the defendant, decreeing the dissolution of the community of acquets and gains existing between them; that the plaintiff be invested with the exclusive and separate management of her own affairs, and control of her individual earnings, apart and independent of her husband, and with the administration of the revenues of her labor; and that defendant pay all costs of suit to be taxed. Done, read and signed in open Court at Opelousas, La., this 29th November, 1884.

G. W. HUDSPETH,
Judge 13th Judicial District of La.
A true copy: B. F. MEGINLEY,
D'y-Clerk 13th Judicial District of La.
Dec. 6, 1884.

NOTICE OF TABLEAU.

District Court, Parish St. Landry, No. 3498

ESTATE OF PIERRE S. GUIDRY.

Whereas, David P. Saizan, of the parish of St. Landry, administrator of the estate of Pierre S. Guidry, has filed a final tableau of said estate, accompanied by his petition praying for the homologation of the same;

And whereas, notice of filing of said petition and tableau has been ordered by an order of court bearing date December 10, 1884;

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given to all persons interested to make opposition to said tableau, in writing, at my office in the town of Opelousas, within the time required by law, why said tableau should not be homologated and confirmed.

JAMES O. CHACHERE,
Dec. 13, 1884. Clerk.

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION.

Probate Court, Parish of St. Landry, No. 4580

ESTATE OF ISAAC RICHARD.

Whereas, Théogène Chachere, of the parish of St. Landry, has applied by his petition to be appointed administrator of the estate of Isaac Richard, deceased, late of St. Landry parish;

Therefore any person intending to make opposition to said appointment will file the same in writing, in my office, in the town of Opelousas, within ten days from the present notice.

JAMES O. CHACHERE,
Dec. 13, 1884. Clerk.

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION.

Probate Court, Parish of St. Landry, No. ——

ESTATE OF WILLIAM B. REYNOLDS.

Whereas, Mary A. Buchanan, widow, of St. Landry, has applied by her petition to be appointed administrator of the estate of William B. Reynolds, deceased, late of the parish of St. Landry;

Therefore, any person intending to make opposition to said appointment will file the same in writing, in my office, in the town of Opelousas, within ten days from the present notice.

JAMES O. CHACHERE,
Dec. 13, 1884. Clerk.

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R. M. LITTELL,
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