

Opelousas Courier. Official Journal of the Parish of St. Landry. PUBLISHED ON SATURDAY BY LEONCE & L. A. SANDOZ. OPELOUSAS: SATURDAY, AUGUST 20, 1887.

For District Judge. We are authorized to announce L. T. ANSEY, Esq., as a non-resident candidate for Judge of the 13th Judicial District, composed of the parishes of St. Landry and Acadia, at the next election.

WAR DECLARED.—Read Mr. Jos. Bloch's new advertisement, in our supplement. J. J. Burke will be here next week, and he wants particularly to see you.

WEATHER AND FARM.—No rain for the past two days, with west winds prevailing. Cotton is opening rapidly and most planters have commenced picking.

BRIDGEVILLE is evidently on a boom. Messrs. Wilson & Clements' large store building is nearly finished.

NECROLOGY.—The sainted old priest, Father Ange Marie Jan, of St. Martinville, passed quietly away on the morning of the 14th inst.

Among the portraits of distinguished jurists of Louisiana placed in the gallery of oil paintings in the Supreme Court room at New Orleans, is that of the Hon. Henry Adams Bullard, who was one of the most eminent jurists of the State.

THE LITERARY DEPARTMENT of the Opelousas Social Club had an interesting entertainment at their hall on last Tuesday night.

Thursday noon's mail brought us two communications from Bayou Chicot—rather late for insertion in this issue.

TO those of our citizens who have sons to educate we would say read the card of the Tulane University in another column.

WE call the attention of our readers to Mr. Joseph Bloch's new advertisement in our supplement, where it will be seen that he has increased his summer stock of goods for a grand clearance sale to make room for his fall and winter stock to be received in the next few days.

On the night of the 11th inst. a most terrible railroad disaster occurred near Chalmette, Louisiana, in which 118 persons were killed and wounded.

Many people want a group of the whole family and now they will have the chance to get it done, no matter how many or how small the children are—Bourke always gets them.

A Hunting Party Bulldozed. A party from Opelousas enjoying the rustic sports of the Darbonne last week, started out a representative in company with a few natives on a deer hunt one evening.

Items of Interest. The Farmer's Union in Louisiana claims a membership of 10,000. Drought and forest fires have desolated 75,000 square miles of territory in the North-west.

Personal. Miss Melanie Jagon returned from Biloxi on Sunday last. Mr. Henry D. Roy, City Marshal of Lake Charles, is spending some time with relatives here.

Bayou Chicot, La., Aug. 16, 1887. While not disposed to seek notoriety for our section we do not have to look for full justice done our (to us at least) fair section of St. Landry.

A Splendid Democratic Record. N. O. States. An admirable editorial article appears in the Times-Democrat this morning, exposing the malignant nature of the warfare on Gov. McEnery.

A Prosperous Home Industry. Washington Argus. By invitation of Mr. T. J. Lacy we visited the Mount Hope Nursery, and saw there trees and vines of wonderful growth and fruitfulness.

The National Editorial Association. The following are the names of the Louisiana delegates to the third annual convention of the National Editorial Association, which will take place at Denver, Col., September 6, 1887.

Prohibition in Iowa. Governor Lathrop has written a letter in regard to the workings of Prohibition in Iowa. The governor says that in eighty out of the ninety-nine counties the law is all the more enforced, and in the remaining nineteen counties it is partly enforced.

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