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Le Jour d'Action de Graces.
Le Président a lancé sa proclamation annuelle ordonnant des prières publiques pour remercier la Providence des bienfaits qu'elle a prodigués à la nation américaine.

Les personnes en retard pour le paiement de leurs abonnements au COURRIER, sont instamment priées de régler l'arriéré.

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AROUND THE EMPIRE PARISH.
Bayou Chicot.
Nov. 6th, 1894.
We are sorry for you, Major, but it cannot be helped.

Deputy Sheriff Williams was in town Sunday distributing ballot boxes. Pine Prairie, as usual, went solid. It's still "Congressman" Robertson. Hello, neighbor correspondents, what is the matter with you all? Don't let the old times worry you but let 'em easy. Howdy, Cal, how is the water? Hope you are enjoying the cool north winds. Our well known back sends greetings to you.

Indian River Attractions.
SEBASTIAN, FLA., Oct. 29, 1894.
If you wish to see nature attired in her most bewitching apparel, at the same time to enjoy the most beautiful scenery on the continent, you should visit that portion of Florida extending from historic St. Augustine to Palm Beach where the St. A. & L. R. railway line terminates.

It has two communications with the ocean, one opposite St. Lucie and the other at Jupiter. One of the features of the river is its depth—or lack of depth, since it is nowhere more than ten feet deep.

Prosperity in the South.
N. Y. Times.
Southern railroad men agree in the belief that there are prosperous times coming for the Southern States. Railroad traffic is steadily increasing, and a tide of immigration is setting toward Georgia and Florida from the North such as has never before been known.

General Notes.
The male registration in Chicago, this Fall, is 343,676; in New York, 309,931.

The population of Oklahoma, according to the annual report of the Governor, is 123,635.

The warehouse of the William Deering Harvester Works, in Chicago, was partially destroyed by fire last Friday; loss \$150,000.

The Third Assistant Postmaster-General says that on Jan. 1, a reduction will be made in the price of stamped envelopes.

A bronze equestrian statue of General Geo. B. McClellan was unveiled in Philadelphia last Wednesday with an imposing civic and military display.

The Supreme Court of Minnesota handed down a decision last week giving to bicyclists all the rights of the general thoroughfare granted to other vehicles.

The steamship Lucania, of the Cunard Line, was again lowered to the record for the westward passage, having made it in 5 days, 7 hours and 33 minutes.

The strike commission authorized to be appointed by Congress has completed its labor, and will soon send its report to the President. The action taken is unanimous.

Emperor William has ordered all the Protestant churches in Prussia to celebrate on December 9, the 300th anniversary of the birth of Gustavus Adolphus.

Rules and Regulations and Suggestions to Farmers.
DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, Baton Rouge, La., 1894.
Every package of any fertilizer, or chemical for compounding or composting the same, must have both the manufacturer's guaranteed analysis and the Commissioner's label attached to it.

Section 9. Be it further enacted, That it shall be the duty of every person who sells any lot or package of commercial fertilizer, upon the request of the purchaser to draw from the same, in the presence of such purchaser or his agent, a fair and correct sample in such manner as the Commissioner of Agriculture may by regulation establish.

Section 10. The sample provided for by section 9 shall be taken from a small quantity from each package of the same brand; or if a large quantity is purchased, from a sufficient number of packages to fairly represent the whole lot.

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The salient fact in Commissioner Lochren's report—an actual falling off in the number of pensioners on the roll during the last fiscal year has naturally excited attention and comment.

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