

PERSONALS

Mr. White, agent of the Southern Pacific, has moved to Union street in one of the Evans houses.

Mr. Albert Gosselin, of Marksville, visited relatives and friends here last week.

Misses Lena Dossman, Reta Sandoz, Edna Wallior and Julia Anding returned last week on the S. P. to resume their studies at the convent in Washington.

Mr. W. M. Platt, Miss Rosenberg and Mr. and Mrs. Suitor, of Melville, registered at the Lacombe hotel last week.

Mr. Marshal Thompson, a Lafayette school teacher, visited relatives here Sunday.

Mr. Abraham Boudreau, of Eunice, visited friends here Sunday.

Mrs. Jim Shute, of Port Barre was a pleasant visitor at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Chachere.

Mr. John N. Ogden was called to Marksville a few days ago on important business.

Mr. J. B. A. Stagg, was called was called to Eunice twice last week on account of his father's illness.

Dr. Bennett Clark and daughter, Mrs. Dr. Webb, of Rayne, made a flying trip to Opelousas last week.

Mr. Adelin Durio and family have moved to Lafayette, where he has accepted a position as bartender, with his brother-in-law, Mr. H. H. Sandoz.

Mr. Maurice Gaffaud, of New Iberia, has accepted a position in the drug store of Haas & Littell.

Mr. Stephen Durand, of Port Barre, was in town last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Pitre have moved into the house vacated by Mr. Durio.

Mr. D. F. Smith and family have moved to their plantation on the Leonville road. The good wishes of a host of friends follow them.

Mrs. Ray and daughter have moved to the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Smith.

Miss Lizzie Anastas, who was a pleasant visitor at the home of the Latiolais family here last summer, and who made a host of friends during her short visit has sympathies of all who knew her in her grief over the recent death of her father.

Mr. Lablanc Williams, of Plaquemine, was here this week visiting his sister, Mrs. Joe Firnberg. He has been making frequent visits to his sister's. Could it be possible that his best girl lives in Opelousas?

Mr. Aaron Jacobs made a flying visit to Alexandria last week and was accompanied home by his wife and little daughter, Lillian. They had been visiting relatives.

Mr. A. Trouard, representing James J. Reiss Co., registered at the Lacombe Sunday. He visited the carnival grounds with friends and had a good time.

Mrs. Bertha Lyons left Monday night on the Frisco to accept a position at Chataqua as teacher. Mrs. Lyons has been working in the store of Mr. J. B. A. Stagg, and was very much liked by all.

Miss Susan Ewell and Mrs. Oscar Dardeau went to New Orleans a few days ago.

Mrs. A. A. Crouchette and children returned Monday evening on the O. G. from Rayne, after spending a week or more with relatives.

The work of waterways improvement should not be regarded as a mere residuary legate of Congress, nor should appropriations for it be traced as a "pork barrel."

Cuba is a sort of play government, but from the bills it runs up, the creditor finds it to be painfully real.

Mr. and Mrs. Simon Levy, Mr. McNasby of Grand Coteau, Mr. Jack Domangeaux of Lafayette, Mr. Chas. Quirk, Gus Zeneth, Miss Aline Mistic of Leonville, Mr. Bienvenue Dora of Crowley, were among their friends in Opelousas Sunday and visited the carnival.

Miss Hester Lemoine, from Beggs, visited friends here Tuesday.

Mr. C. C. Dison, of Crowley, spent a few days here at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Lorenzo Mornhinev, last week.

Messrs. Lawrence Larcade and Callaham visited friends in Washington Saturday.

Miss Mary Poulet and Mr. T. Bourden were among friends and relatives in Rayne last week.

Messrs. J. H. Harmanson and D. L. Guilbeau went to Sunset a few days ago on business.

Assessor D. M. Fontenot and little son Hebert, made a flying trip to Beggs Sunday.

Mr. R. N. Berrin, of Oklahoma representing one of the Monroe houses, was in town Sunday.

Mr. J. E. Bacon, of Dubuissou, was a visitor to Opelousas this week.

W. T. Lyford, of Macland, La., was in town this week.

Sheriff Swords telegraphed Judge O'Neill Friday from Oklahoma expressing regrets that he could not be at the banquet.

Mrs. Vielland Chachere and children, of Beggs, spent a few days at the D. M. Fontenot home.

Mr. Andrew Mcresi and wife Mr. Flanders and wife made a flying trip to Crowley Tuesday.

Misses Marie and Annie Budd, after spending the holidays at the home of their parents returned to the Sacred Heart Convent, at Grand Coteau, to resume their studies.

Mrs. Joe Sibille and baby, from Sunset, and Miss Hattie Twilliger, from Crowley, visited at the home of Mr. Gilbert Dupre this week.

Mr. J. H. Jarett, of Port Barre, visited friends here Tuesday.

Dr. Merrick Swords and little son, McCullom, visited relatives here Tuesday.

Messrs. B. Bennett and Fred Hollier made a flying trip to Port Barre Tuesday on business.

Mr. Fritz Dietlein and wife, Lawrence, of New Iberia, visited at the home of his brother, Mr. F. J. Dietlein.

Messrs. P. B. L. Jones and C. H. Lloyd, of Grand Lake, are visiting Mrs. Lee.

Mr. Vandergriff and wife, are visiting Mrs. Leonce David.

Saved at Death's Door. The door of death seemed ready to open for Murray W. Ayers, of Transit Bridge, N. Y., when his life was wonderfully saved. "I was in a dreadful condition," he writes, "my skin was almost yellow, eyes sunken, tongue coated, emaciated from losing 40 pounds, growing weaker daily. Virulent fever trouble pulling me down to death in spite of doctors. Then that matchless medicine—Electric Bitters—cured me. I regained the 40 pounds lost and now am well and strong." For all stomach, liver and kidney troubles they're supreme. 50c at all druggists.

About the only proposition on which Zelaya and some of our own statesmen agree is that republics are ungrateful.

FOR SALE. A Large Burglar and Fire Proof Safe for Sale Cheap. Good as new. Apply Jacobs News Depot Co.

A Wretched Mistake. To endure the itching, painful distress of Piles. There's no need to. Listen: "I suffered much from piles," writes Will A. Marsh, of Silver City, N. C. "till I got a box of Bucklen's Arnica Salve, and was soon cured." Burns, Boils, Ulcers, Fever sores, eczema, Cuts, Chapped Hands, Chills, vanish before it. 25c at all druggists.

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Mardi Gras Excursion Rates.

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The Frisco will sell from February 1st to 17th, inclusive also for trains arriving at New Orleans before noon of Feb. 8.

Mardi Gras Excursion Tickets Good to Return

Feb. 17th, 1910, at a rate of one fare plus 25 cents for the round trip.

Children 5 and under 12 years of age will be carried for one-half the adult rate.

All tickets will be subject to an extension of limit to reach original starting point March 7th, 1910 by deposit of ticket with special agent and payment of fee of \$1 per ticket at time of deposit.

REMEMBER! The fare from Opelousas for the round trip is, for adults \$4.50 and for children under twelve years of age \$2.25.

Travel Via The Frisco. For further information call on C. A. EMORY, Agent, Opelousas.

Or write Roy Terrell, Gen'l Pass. Agent, Beaumont, Tex.

MARDI GRAS CARNIVAL.

New Orleans, La., Feb. 3-8, 1910. On account of the above occasion the Southern Pacific Railroad will sell round trip tickets to New Orleans and return at rate of one fare plus 25 cents.

Tickets on sale February 1st to 7th inclusive and for trains arriving in New Orleans before noon of Feb. 8th. Final limit to return Feb. 17, 1910.

J. H. R. PARSONS, Gen'l Pas'g'r Agent. H. A. White, Local Agent.

HIGH SCHOOL NEWS AND JOKES.

DEAR MR. EDITOR:—

Will you kindly publish the enclosed in your next issue? The majority of these jokes were taken from the Journal of the Literary Society and were read by Miss Rita Desma rais at the last meeting.

Yours for fun, THREE TENTH GRADE BOYS AND AN EIGHTH GRADER

The Literary Society held its regular meeting on the night of Tuesday, Dec. 21, 1910. After the meeting the members were entertained by the teachers, who had prepared a Christmas tree.

The pupils of the eighth and ninth grades were dismissed on Wednesday and Thursday on account of their rooms being needed for the teachers' examination.

Here are several jokes which your correspondent "picked up" around the schoolrooms during the past week:

Mr. Josie Chachere went into the restaurant the other day, and when the waiter gave him the bill of fare, said: "Thank you, I never read before meals."

Mr. Editor, I saw Mr. Grady Childs going past a drug store the other day where there was some fly paper in the window covered with flies. He went in and asked: "How much will you take for that currant pie?"

Charley Thompson: "Are the apple fit for a hog to eat?" Harvey Phillips: "Try one and see."

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A CARD

This is to certify that all druggists are authorized to refund your money if Foley's Honey and Tar fails to cure your cough or cold. It stops the cough, heals the lungs and prevents serious results from a cold, prevents pneumonia and consumption. Contains no opiates. The genuine is in a yellow package. Refuse substitutes. Sold by Sandoz the Druggist.

THE BEST BARGAIN

in reading matter that your money can buy is your local paper. It keeps you posted on the doings of the community.

THE COURIER

will tell you the things you want to know in an entertaining way; will give you all the news of the community; its every visit will prove a pleasure; it gives more than full value for the price asked for it—\$1.00.

LACOMBE HOTEL

G. H. Cretin, Prop. Rates \$2.50, \$3 and \$3.50 Per Day Opelousas, Louisiana

FOR MARSHAL

Opelousas, La., Nov. 20th, 1909 To the Citizens of the City of Opelousas: I beg to announce that I am a candidate for the office of Marshal of the City of Opelousas, and in so doing, I desire to inform the people that I elected, I will be guided intently to fulfillment of any duties which may devolve upon me as an officer.

I shall be guided strictly by the charter of our city as it is defined, and will strictly adhere to regardless of friends or favor. In other word I propose to do my duty and nothing more or less. I think myself competent, I know the people, I believe myself worthy of the position and I respectfully ask your support. Assuring you to do my best to the interest of the community. EDMOND DEVILLE.

NOTICE

At a meeting of the stockholders of the Courier Printing Co., Ltd., held Sept. 22, 1909, it was resolved to dissolve the corporation, and the undersigned liquidators were selected to liquidate the affairs of the company. All those indebted to the company for advertising, subscription or job printing, are requested to settle the same without delay, and all having claims against the company are notified to present them to the liquidators within the next thirty days. M. HALPHEN, P. R. SANDOZ, G. L. LASSALLE. Liquidators Courier Printing Co., Ltd Opelousas, La., Sept. 25, 1909.

FOLEY'S ORINO LAXATIVE

FOR STOMACH TROUBLE AND CONSTIPATION

FINAL TABLEAU

Estate of Harriet Fontenot. No. 6409. Probate Docket, District Court, St. Landry Parish.

Whereas, Dr. Jules C. Vidrine, of St. Landry parish, Administrator of the above named estate, files a final tableau of said succession, accompanied by his petition praying for the homologation of same:

And whereas, prayer of said petition has been granted by an order of court bearing date of January 12, 1910. Now, therefore, notice is hereby given to all parties interested to make opposition to said tableau to file same in writing in my office, within the time required by law why said tableau should not be homologated and confirmed. YVES ANDREPONT, Clerk of Court. Jan. 15, 1910.—2t

NOTICE OF TABLEAU

No. 17437. District Court—Parish of St. Landry. J. B. Sandoz vs. P. R. Sandoz, Curator, et als.

Whereas, George T. Edwards, Notary Public, appointed by a Judgment of Court in the above entitled and numbered suit to partition the proceeds of the sale of the property ordered sold in said suit, has filed a final tableau and report of partition praying that that the same be homologated and approved, and the amounts thereon shown ordered paid.

And whereas prayer of said petitioner has been granted by an order of court bearing date of January 12, 1910. Now, therefore, notice is hereby given to all parties interested to make opposition to said tableau to file same in writing in my office, within the time required by law why the said tableau should not be homologated and confirmed.

YVES ANDREPONT, Clerk. Jan. 15, 1910.—2t

JUST RECEIVED

Another car of BUGGIES and CARRIAGES. You can save money by seeing me before buying. F. L. SANDOZ.

SEIZURE AND SALE.

H. & C. NEWMAN, L.T.D., vs. ERNEST SOLEAU.

No. 18917

District Court, Parish of St. Landry, State of Louisiana.

By virtue of a writ of seizure and sale, issued out of the Honorable the Sixteenth Judicial District Court, in and for the parish of St. Landry, in the above entitled and numbered case, and to me directed, I will proceed to sell at the front door of the Courthouse, in the city of Opelousas, in the parish of St. Landry, at 11 o'clock a. m., on

Saturday, February 19, 1910.

1st. All that portion of the Noland plantation lying north of Bayou Negrofoot, the center of the said Bayou Negrofoot being made the line, containing about one hundred and ten (110) acres, more or less, and being more particularly described as being that portion of the northwest quarter of the northeast quarter and that portion of the southeast quarter of the northwest quarter, and that portion of the southwest quarter of the northwest quarter, section eight (8), and also that portion of the southeast quarter of the northeast quarter of section seven (7), lying north of the center line of Bayou Negrofoot, all in township four (4) south, range six (6) east, Southwestern Land, District of Louisiana, in the parish of St. Landry, La., and being part of the same property acquired from the estate of the late Jno. T. Noland, see plat on file, and being the same property acquired by mortgage herein from the Noland Land and Improvement Co., as per act No. 47,487, dated November 8th, 1900, recorded February 3rd, 1902, recorder's office, St. Landry parish, La.

2nd. A certain tract of land situated in the St. Landry parish, La., containing two hundred and fifty (250) acres, more or less, situated near Palmetto station; this property being the same which was bought at tax sale by Wesley Budden, being sold as the property of Chas. Frith; bounded by Turner heirs, south by Jno. T. Noland, east by Ernest Soleau, and west by Westly Budden, and being the same property acquired by mortgage herein from Westly Budden on Dec. 30th, 1898, as per act No. 42,740, recorded Jan. 17th, 1899, recorder's office, St. Landry parish, La.

3rd. A certain tract of land containing ninety (90) arpents, more or less, bounded on the north by Frith place, south by property of Jno. T. Noland, east and west by Ernest Soleau, being the same property acquired by the mortgage herein from Mary Lucinda Carroll, wife of Erteluce Lafleur, on Nov. 16th, 1903, the same property having been the last residence of Dolz Meau.

4th. A certain tract of land containing one hundred and nineteen (119) arpents, more or less, situated on the Taw Paw Flats, in the St. Landry parish, La., bounded on the south by Theogene Smith, north by Westly Budden, west by Dolz Meau, east by Westly Budden, being the same land acquired by mortgage herein, on the 6th day of December, 1897, from Lastie Son, as per act No. 41,082, recorded on same day in conveyance book "N" No. 3, at page 536, Files of Recorder's Office, St. Landry Parish, La.

5th. A certain tract of land containing one hundred and sixty (160) arpents, more or less, bounded north by unknown, south by Dr. V. Bouagni, east by Tom Clayton, west by Westly Budden, being the same property acquired by mortgage herein, from W. Budden, administrator of the estate of Leon Lafleur, on the 24th day of March, 1897, as per act recorded in Conveyance Book "M" No. 3, at page 187, on same date of the files of the Recorder's Office, St. Landry parish, La.

6th. A certain tract of land situated on Bayou Paw Paw in the St. Landry parish, La., containing two hundred acres, more or less, bounded on the north Godchaux Valley Land Co. and property of Roberts, east by Paw Paw Bayou, south by Ernest Soleau, west by Frith lands, being the property acquired by mortgage herein, from Westly Budden on January 17th, 1906, being the same property formerly owned by Adam Malbough, and the estate of Leon Lafleur.

7th. A certain tract of land on Bayou Rouge in the parish of St. Landry, La., described as follows: The northeast quarter and the north half of the south range three east, Southwestern Land District of Louisiana, said tract containing three hundred and twenty acres, more or less, being the same property acquired from R. Tanner, Sept. 2nd, 1897.

Terms—Cash. M. L. SWORDS, Sheriff. Jan. 8, 1910.

FINAL TABLEAU

ESTATE OF ELIZABETH GULLORY.

No. 6401. Probate Docket, District Court, Parish of St. Landry, La.

Whereas, Avenaud Fontenot, of St. Landry parish, Administrator of the above named estate, files a final tableau of said succession, accompanied by his petition praying for the homologation of same:

And whereas, prayer of said petition has been granted by an order of court bearing date, —

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

YVES ANDREPONT, Clerk of Court. Jan 8 2t

SHERIFF'S SALE.

No. 18916.

In the Sixteenth Judicial District Court, Parish of St. Landry, La.

W. F. Shackelford vs. Geo. L. Havard.

By virtue of a writ of seizure and sale issued out of the Honorable the Sixteenth Judicial District Court, in and for the parish of St. Landry, in the above entitled and numbered case, and to me directed, I will proceed to sell at the front door of the Courthouse, in the city of Opelousas, in the parish of St. Landry, at 11 o'clock a. m., on

Saturday, February 19, 1910.

The following described property, to-wit: A certain plantation situated in the parish of St. Landry, La., known as the Josiah Scott place, and containing two hundred and twenty-five (225) acres, more or less, bounded on the north property formerly owned by C. Ward, south by public road and property of Hicks and Cason, west by property of Dr. W. F. Clifton, and on east by unknown owners.

To pay and satisfy the sum of thousand dollars, bearing interest at rate of 8 per cent per annum from date of January 3rd, 1903, and 10 per cent on the principal and interest as attorney's fees.

Terms—Cash. M. L. SWORDS, Sheriff. Jan. 8, 1910.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

No. 18916

In the Sixteenth Judicial District Court, Parish of St. Landry, La.

Eunice State Bank vs. D. T. Forbes, Absentee.

By virtue of a writ of seizure and sale issued out of the Honorable the Sixteenth Judicial District Court, in and for the parish of St. Landry, in the above entitled and numbered case, and to me directed, I will proceed to sell at the front door of the Courthouse, in the city of Opelousas, in the parish of St. Landry, at 11 o'clock a. m., on

Saturday, February 19, 1910.

The following described property, to-wit: Twelve certain lots of ground situated in what is commonly known as the Bacciochi addition to the town of Eunice, parish of St. Landry, state of Louisiana, more fully described as being lots 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12, in Block No. 1. All of the above lots front on E. street, and measure as per official plat said addition to the town of Eunice.

Terms—Cash. M. L. SWORDS, Sheriff. Jan. 8, 1910.

BANKRUPT'S PETITION FOR DISCHARGE.

No. 576 In Bankruptcy.

In the matter of JOHN PAPA, Bankrupt.

The Honorable Aleck Boardman, Judge of the United States District Court for the United States for the Western District of Louisiana:

John Papa, of Melville, in the Parish of St. Landry, La., in said District Court, respectfully represents that on the 15th day of January last past, he was adjudged bankrupt under Act of Congress relating to bankruptcy; that he has duly surrendered all his property, rights of property and has fully complied with all requirements of said Act and of the orders of the Court under his bankruptcy.

Wherefore, he prays that he may be decreed by the Court to have a full discharge from all debts provable against his estate under said bankruptcy Act, except such as are excepted from such discharge.

Dated this 20th day of December, 1909. JOHN PAPA, Bankrupt. By Lewis & Lewis, Attorneys.

ORDER OF NOTICE THERRON.

Western District of Louisiana: On this 6th day of January, 1910, on reading the foregoing petition, it is ordered by the Court that a hearing be had upon the same on the 23rd day of January, A. D. 1910, before Geo. S. Taylor, Referee and Special Master, at Lake Charles, in said District, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, and notice thereof published in the Opelousas Courier, a newspaper printed in said District, and that all known creditors and other persons in interest may appear at the same time and place, show cause, if any they have, why prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered by the Court that the clerk shall send by mail to known creditors copies of said petition and this order, addressed at their places of residence as stated.

Witness the Honorable Aleck Boardman, Judge of the said Court, and seal thereof, at Shreveport in said District, on the 6th day of January, 1910. Attest: LEROY B. GILLOTTA, Clerk.

Town Residence for Sale.

In a desirable neighborhood in Opelousas, with an entire square of land, well shaded with live oaks, magnolias, cedars, peaches, about 9 squares from the Courthouse, a square from High School, 2 squares from Church and convent. House is two brick basement, 2 rooms, four fireplaces, buildings, etc., all under good roof. Sold cheap for cash, or part cash and balance on time to suit. Apply at this office.

FOLEY'S ORINO LAXATIVE

for all stomach troubles—indigestion, dyspepsia, heartburn, gas in the stomach, bad breath, sick headache, torpid liver, biliousness and habitual constipation. Pleasant to take.

For Sale by SANDOZ the DRUGGIST