

OFFICIAL VOTE OF BOSSIER PARISH.

Bellevue.	Fillmore.	Center Hill.	Bundy's.	Lattin's.	Mrs. Cain's.	Decks.	Oreland Grove.	Oakville.	Rocky Mount.	Collinsburg.	Benton.	Murri's Point.	Total.	Majorities.
<b>Governor.</b>														
*T O Moore	75	63	9	13	7	10	25	74	41	45	65	48	18	495
†J Well	43	45	2	3	1	7	19	10	1	8	16	14	6	175
<b>Lieut. Governor.</b>														
*H H Hyams	72	62	9	13	7	10	25	74	41	45	62	46	15	431
†John Ray	45	46	2	3	1	3	19	10	3	8	17	11	9	177
<b>Att'y. General.</b>														
*T J Semms	75	64	9	12	7	8	25	74	41	44	59	47	17	481
†J Durant	43	45	2	4	1	4	19	10	3	8	18	8	5	172
<b>Auditor.</b>														
*E W Robertson	71	63	9	13	7	7	24	74	41	44	61	46	17	477
†M Watson	13	43	1	3	1	2	20	7	3	2	2	9	5	95
†Anderson	30					4	3		6	14				69
<b>Treasurer.</b>														
*B L Dufrese	73	60	9	13	7	8	24	74	41	44	61	46	18	478
†J Perkins	43	46	2	3	1	3	18	10	3	8	17	9	4	167
<b>Sec'y. State.</b>														
*P D Hardy	74	62	9	12	7	7	25	74	41	44	63	46	17	481
†E W Blake	43	45	2	4	1	4	18	10	3	8	19	9	5	168
<b>Sup Pub Education.</b>														
*Henry Avery	76	65	9	13	7	7	25	74	41	44	63	46	17	487
†R A Cuny	42	43	2	3	1	2	14	10	3	7	14	9	5	159
<b>Com. Pub Works.</b>														
*L G DeLasse	67	26	9	11	1	14	57	40	34	42	47	16	364	
†W R Turman	42	85	1	3	8	12	27	26	1	16	24	8	7	260
<b>Congress.</b>														
*J M Landrum	85	73	9	13	8	11	27	75	41	52	76	57	21	548
†Milton A Jones	32	37	1	3	2	17	8	3	8	14	2	3	130	
<b>Dist. Attorney.</b>														
*G L Jones	51	38	6	1	13	49	25	10	19	21	7	248		
†A B George	56	70	2	8	6	10	28	35	15	39	57	33	13	375
†H L Pierson	13	4	1	2	1	3	2	3	2	9	6	4	2	53
<b>Senate.</b>														
*B W Pierce	36	46	8	10	1	7	25	40	30	56	38	8	370	
†R J Louney	87	65	2	6	7	11	22	50	5	11	40	25	16	347
<b>Representatives.</b>														
*J R Evans	67	52	9	3	6	8	41	35	37	52	71	34	18	431
*E R Boone	49	35	7	3	6	3	19	70	33	36	37	30	14	342
†R C Coombs	85	72	2	13	3	14	31	60	11	37	67	44	14	453
†Wm. Platt	28	52	10	1	7	3	3	14	9	12	1	140		
<b>Sheriff.</b>														
Russel Jones	56	28	7	4			32	44	10	1	10	192		
Philo Alden	22	34	2	3	16	6	36	27	47	68	55	9	328	
J G Allen	29	30	2	2	1	9	6	16	10	22	0	1	149	
C C Nowell	17	10	9	3	2	4	1	6	1	1	1	56		
<b>Clerk.</b>														
A A Abney	77	43	6	8	5	14	39	60	38	54	50	8	456	
J N West	44	67	6	6	3	3	8	32	6	17	44	18	270	
<b>Assessor.</b>														
J N Inabett	6	33	2	1	2	6	10	33	15	3	33	14	11	229
W L Stroud	5	2	14	6	5	3	12	10	37	12	19	2	127	
J M Doyle	51	29	5	1	1	32	41	10	30	45	23	10	277	
B S Edwards	3	48	1	2	2	3	2						69	
<b>Coroner.</b>														
L Rathbun	41	25	2				23	21	8	18	10	5	17	159
R C Lancaster	56	47	10				7	9	3	9	4	2	138	29

\* Democrat † Opposition ‡ Independent.

**A YANKEE AT COURT IN THE LOWER REGIONS.**—The Court was sitting, a business seemed to be carried on with a dispatch quite unknown to the oldest inhabitants of even our "upper" tribunals, particularly the English Court of Chancery! Presently one of the constables bowed out—

"Virgil Hoskins! Virgil Hoskins!"

"Here!" answered a Yankee pedlar, quaking up to the bar.

Rhadamanthus was seated with a great number of huge account books before him.

"Virgil Hoskins is your name is it?" said he; "here it is among H's, p 49358. Ah! Virgil terrible account against you. Less see a few of the charges."

Virgil Hoskins, Dr.

"June 27, 18—, To selling in the course of one peddling expedition, 479,367 wooden nutmegs, 281,532 Spanish cigars made of oak leaves, and 637 wooden clocks."

"What do you say that charge Hoskins?"

Hoskins—"Say to it! Why that was counted in our place, 'bout the greatest peddling trip that was ever made over the Potomac."

The Judge reads again—"June 29, 18—: To stealing an old grindstone, covering it with cotton cloth, smearing it over with butter and selling it as cheese."

Hoskins, (quite surprised)—"Jimminy! you wouldnt punish a man for that, would ye?"

Judge reads—"December 15, 1780; To making a counterfeit dollar out of pewter, when you were 6 years old, and cheating your own father with it."

Hoskins—"My father was 'al glad when he found it out. He said it showed that I had a genius."

Judge again—"To taking a wornout pair of shoes, which you found in the road, and selling them to an old lady as being the actual shoes of St. Paul."

Hoskins (with exultation)—"Yes I made four dollars and ten cents by that job!"

The Judge—"July 2, 18—: To taking an old watch case, putting a live cricket into it then selling it as a patent lever in full motion."

Hoskins—"He! he! he! wal that was one of the outest tricks what I ever played in my life!"

Judge Rhadamanthus—"It would occupy me a week, Hoskins to go through all the charges against you I really an getting out of all patience with New England, for it gives me more trouble than all the rest of the world put together. You are sentenced to be thrown into a lake of boiling molasses, where nearly all your countrymen already are, with the same old grindstone tied to your neck!"

**HONEYMOON CONVERSATION.**—A correspondent of the Delawarean, writing from a watering place, gives the following report of a conversation between a newly married couple from Virginia. There is depth of affection in it, which is quite refreshing to contemplate.

"William—dear William!" said the wife, with a world of affection in her eyes.

"Speak, heavenly charmer!" replied the new husband, returning with interest these expressive glances of his spouse.

"Dear William!"

"Adore! Eliza!"

"Sweet flatterer!"

"Angelic creature!"

"Dear—dear William, pardon me—but do you think a short walk would hurt us, as the divine WILLIS says?"

"I fear, loveliest of thy sex, that you may be fatigued."

"Fear not dearest!"

"Heavenly emanation—bright dream of my precarious existence—but I cannot help fearing."

"Sweet William!"

"Celestial Eliza!"

Here they fell to violent kissing, which lasted about fifteen minutes. Almost breathless the lady exclaimed—

"William dear William, why ear you so sweet? Oh, the joy, the ecstasy of wedded bliss! Best beloved, will you ever love me thus?"

"By yonder fearful—I say tremendous, orb—I swear!" he exclaimed, pointing to the setting sun.

"And as a memento of our wedding day, will you yearly bring me here—will your cherished idol?"

"Yes, my only pet—my life—my love—I will bring you here every year—if my capital holds out."

"Oh, bravest and best of thy noble sex, talk not of capital in this, our year of bliss!"

How much they talked the writer cannot say, for he called away at this moment to welcome some friends from Maryland. But he is firmly of the opinion that none but married people know what real happiness is. While the above happy couple were talking, he felt as if immersed in molasses, and everything since has looked, felt and smelt sweet.

In youth, hearts are trumps; in manhood, diamonds and clubs, according to circumstances; but after all, spades are sure to win when the game of life closes.

The love of children appears to us like the love of flowers—holy and innocent; and the man who is fond of them cannot be the possessor of a brutal or bad heart.

A CARD.

To my numerous friends and customers of Bossier Parish I beg to announce that I have taken an agency for Mr B. O. MERRITT, and re-opened at my late stand, corner of Texas and Market streets, in Watson's building, where they will find the largest and finest assortment of goods ever offered in this market before, consisting of

WATCHES.

of the best English manufactures, fully guaranteed, and at PRICES TO COMPARE WITH ANY HOUSE IN NEW ORLEANS. I also keep a large assortment of SILVER WARE, JEWELRY, DIAMONDS, FINE CUTLERY, CLOCKS, BRAZIL PEBBLES, &c.

As for the work department, my personal attention will be given, and nothing will be spared to give satisfaction. P. F. L. FRANK, cor. Market and Texas streets, v1-n20 Shreveport, La.

LANNA & SPOR, TEXAS STREET—NEAR THE LEVEE, SHREVEPORT, LA.

Would respectfully call the attention of the citizens of Bossier, and the world generally that they have on hand, and are continually receiving the largest, best and cheapest stock of Dry Goods ever brought to the wharf of Shreveport. They would call the especial attention of those who wish to purchase goods, to their complete new and splendid stock, which they are confident cannot be equalled in the market. Their stock consists of everything in their line, consisting in part of Dry Goods, Clothing, Boots and Shoes, besides a large supply of every article belonging to the wardrobe; Ladies' fancy goods, &c. They also have a large supply of Groceries, Provisions, Hardware, Cutlery, Crockeryware, Queensware, &c. &c v1n15

SUCCESSION SALE.

By virtue of a writ of sale to me directed, I will, on Wednesday the 14th inst., offer for sale at public auction on the plantation, the following described property belonging to the succession of Isaac Lay, dec'd, to-wit: Sixty head of horned Cattle, two yoke of oxen, two brood mares, and three colts, one stallion, one saddle horse, one hack, one buggy, one rifle gun, and one shot gun; said property sold to pay the debts of said succession.

Terms—sold on a credit till 1st of March, A. D., 1860, purchasers to give their notes with approved personal security, to bear interest at eight per cent. from maturity until paid.

Also at the same place, on Thursday, the 8th day of December next, I will, by virtue of a writ of sale to me directed, by the Hon. A. A. Abney, clerk of the district court in and for the parish of Bossier, offer for sale at public auction, to the best and highest bidder, the following property, belonging to the succession of Isaac Lay, dec'd, to-wit: The negro boy Henry, aged about nineteen years; also the negro man, Reuben, aged about twenty-eight years, and also the negro woman, Mary, aged about twenty-eight years; said negroes sold to pay debts of said succession.

Terms—said property sold on a credit till the first of March, A. D., 1860, purchasers to give their notes with approved personal security and a special mortgage on said slaves to secure the payment of the price and said notes to bear interest at the rate of eight per cent. per annum from maturity until paid.

Bellevue, Nov. 4th, A. D., 1859. ELIAS ONEILL, n19 30d Admr.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

State of Louisiana, parish of Bossier. In the district court, A H Hearne vs. James R Cason, No. 1331. John Bopp vs. James R Cason, No. 1394. By virtue of writs of fieri facias issued out of the honorable the district court of the parish of Bossier, in the above entitled suits and to me directed, I have seized and will proceed to sell, at public auction, at the court house door in the town of Bellevue, parish of Bossier, on the first SATURDAY, the 31 day of December, A. D. 1859, between the hours of 11 o'clock A. M., and 4 P. M., the following described property, to-wit:

The undivided one-eighth part of the succession of Edward J Cason, late of this parish, dec'd, being the entire interest of the defendant, James R Cason therein, the said defendant being an heir of the said Edward J Cason deceased.

Also the undivided one-eighth part of the following slaves, to-wit: JIN, a woman, aged about fifty years.

MOURNING, a woman, aged about thirty-five years.

JUBE, a man, aged about eighteen years.

KATE, a girl, aged about eighteen years.

MILE, a woman, aged about nineteen years, and her child, aged 18 months.

The interest in the slaves herein mentioned will be sold together with the interest in the succession, they having been inventoried as part thereof. The interest in the said property will be sold without said property being present, it being now in the legal possession of the administrator of said succession.

Seized as the property of James R. Cason, and to be sold to pay and satisfy the writs issued in the above entitled suits.

Terms of Sale—Cash with the benefit of appraisement. Sheriff's office at Bellevue, October 19, A. D. 1859. L. F. STEELE, Sheriff. By W. J. HANCOCK, Deputy.

STRAY SALE.

Estrayed before me, the undersigned authority, by E. S. Clark, on the 16th day of October, 1859, and will be sold before the court house door, in the town of Bellevue, on the 3d Saturday in January, 1860, for cash, the following described STEER, to-wit: a white steer with black head and spot on the right shoulder, about 12 years old, with the points of his horns sawed and marked with a smooth crop and saw-set in the left ear.

The owner of said animal is requested to come forward, prove property, pay charges, &c. Bellevue, La., Oct. 16th 1859. W. H. HILL, n17 3m Stray-master.

STRAY SALE.

Estrayed before V. Walker, J. P., by Wm. P. Mason, on the 14th day of September last, and will be sold before the court house door, in the town of Bellevue, on the 4th Saturday in April, 1860, for cash, the following described animal, to-wit: a blood bay MARE, about 18 years old, 14 hands high, blind in the right eye, a star in the forehead, and branded on the left shoulder with the letter S, and appraised at forty dollars.

The owner of said animal is requested to come forward, prove property, pay charges, &c. Bellevue, La., Oct. 18th, 1859. W. H. HILL, n17 6m Stray-master.

STRAY SALE.

Estrayed before V. Walker, J. P., by Bethell Smith on the 24th day of June 1849, and will be sold on the 31st day of December 1859, before the court house door in the town of Bellevue, for cash, the following described animal, to-wit: A dark bay MARE, about three years old, about 14 hands high—branded on the left shoulder with the letter R and with the letter D on right shoulder; has the mark of gear on the shoulder and back. Valued at one hundred and forty dollars. The owner of said mule is requested to come forward, prove property, pay charges, &c. W. H. HILL, Stray master. July 1, 1859. v1n10m

STRAY SALE.

Estrayed before B. F. Crowmover, J. P., by James Millons, on the 10th day of September 1859, and will be sold before the court house door, in the town of Bellevue on the 2nd Saturday in March, 1860, for cash, the following described animal, to-wit: A small white MARE, about 14 hands high, six years old, branded with "S H" on the right hip. Said animal was taken up at the premises of the said Millons about the 10th day of August last, and appraised at one hundred dollars.

The owner of said mare is requested to come forward, prove property, pay charges, &c. W. H. HILL, Stray master. Bellevue, Sept. 13, 1859. n12-6

STRAY SALE.

Estrayed before the undersigned, authority, on the 16th day of August 1859, by Col. Elijah Hudson, and will be sold before the Court house door, in the town of Bellevue on SATURDAY, the 24th day of February, 1860, for cash, a Mustang MARE MULE, of red sorrel color, with white mane and tail; allowed five years old; branded with a Spanish brand, and appraised at twenty-five dollars. The owner of said mule is requested to come forward, prove property, pay charges, &c. W. H. HILL, v1n9-6ms Stray Master.

SUCCESSION NOTICE.

State of Louisiana, parish of Bossier. Clerk's office, 17th district court. Notice is hereby given that William Platt, tutor for all the minor heirs of Wm. M. Hodge, dec'd, has this day filed in the office of said clerk, his final account as tutor aforesaid. Now, therefore, this is to admonish all persons concerned, that if opposition is not made thereto within the time prescribed by law, the said account will be homologated and made the judgment of the court.

Given under my hand seal of office, [L. s.] at Bellevue, this 17th day of October, A. D., 1859. A. A. ABNEY, Clerk. n17 6t \$6 00

SUCCESSION NOTICE.

State of Louisiana, Parish of Bossier. Clerk's office, 17th District Court. Notice is hereby given that James M. Jones, administrator of the estate and succession of Edward J. Cason, deceased, by his attorney Richard W. Turner, has this day filed in the office of said Clerk his list or tabeau of debts. Now, therefore, this is to admonish all persons concerned, that if opposition is not made thereto within the time prescribed by law, the said list or tabeau will be homologated and made the judgement of the Court. Given under my hand seal of office, at Bellevue, this 10th day of November A. D. 1859. n20-2t A. A. ABNEY, Clerk.

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