

The Bossier Banner.

BENTON, LA.,
THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 24, 1903.

Personal.

Mr. Robert Oneal left Tuesday to attend Mount Lebanon College. Miss Flournoy, of Shreveport, is the guest of Miss Gracie Larkin. Messrs. James and Allen Lee left Monday to attend Plain Dealing High School.

Miss Toinette Wyche spent several days last week in Shreveport with Miss Margaret Murff.

Mrs. W. H. Scanland returned Monday from a visit of several days to Mrs. N. B. Murff, of Shreveport.

Miss Louie Ogden will leave in a few days for Dallas, Texas, where she will spend several months with relatives.

Miss Camyle Kelly will leave next Tuesday for Nashville, Tenn., where she will enter school at the University of Tennessee.

Mrs. Kate Wyche and daughter, Miss Joe, are expected home this week from Haughton, where they are visiting Mrs. G. W. Smith.

Miss E. Lee McClintock, of Jackson, Tenn., who commenced teaching Bumgardner school on Monday, was the guest of Mrs. W. H. Scanland last Friday.

Miss Minnie Montgomery, who has been sick for some time, left Tuesday morning for the Sanitarium in Shreveport, where she will be treated. Miss Minnie is a most estimable and popular young lady, and her serious illness is generally regretted in this community, and many wishes for her early and complete recovery will be manifested.

BENTON, LA., SEPT. 14, 1903.

The Democratic Executive Committee for the 23rd Senatorial District of Louisiana met at this place for the purpose of compiling and promulgating the vote cast at the Democratic Primary Election held on the 10th day of September, 1903, for State Senator for said District, and for four members for Executive Committee, and after duly canvassing the returns from Bossier and Webster parishes—composing said District—and compiling the same, we find and hereby promulgate the following result to-wit:

For Senator, 23rd Senatorial District:
E. S. Dortch received in Bossier a total vote of 762
E. S. Dortch received in Webster a total vote of 887

Making in District a total of 1643
The said E. S. Dortch (having no opponent) receiving a majority of all votes cast in the District, we hereby declare him duly nominated as a candidate for the 23rd Senatorial District of Louisiana, on the Democratic ticket, to be voted for at the general State election to be held on Tuesday after the 3rd Monday in April, 1904.

We also find that B. A. Kelly and J. T. Manry for Bossier parish, and Dr. S. J. Harrell and T. J. Jackson, for Webster parish, received a majority of all the votes cast in their respective parishes for Executive Committee-men, and we hereby declare them duly elected as members of the Democratic Executive Committee in and for said District for the ensuing four years.

There being no other business, the Committee adjourned subject to call.

W. B. BOGGS, Chairman.

J. N. SANDLIN, Secretary.

If we want to do the most important work that we can perform for God and for our fellows, we should do with all our heart that which is before us as our present duty. Wise old Dr. Johnson was accustomed to say, "He who waits to do a great deal of good will never do any."

You can find plenty of people who will undertake to manage your affairs, although they have failed to manage their own.

Never make a threat and never break a promise.

In publishing the Levee Board proceedings of the 3rd instant, an omission occurred in the following resolution, which we correct and republish:

"Upon motion of A. J. Moss, duly carried, the President and Secretary of this Board are authorized to enter into writing with Thomas Caplis for the purchase of certain lands belonging to this Board in sections Nos. 3, 4, 9 and 10, township 16, range 12, Bossier parish, at the price of twenty-five (\$25) per acre, subject to survey, at expense of Thomas Caplis.—Final deed to said lands to be made as soon as the suits of A. Lattier and others, versus Bossier Levee Board, now pending in Supreme Court, are finally decided."

Died.

Mrs. Mattie Allen Cason, wife of E. E. Cason, died of swamp fever Sept. 7, 1903.

She was born in Webster parish, La., Nov. 26, 1860, and married Mr. J. W. Coyle January 6, 1881.

After his death she taught school in Bossier parish until she married Mr. E. E. Cason on Nov. 27, 1900.

She leaves him a little girl 18 months old, besides three others, fatherless, motherless. She was a member of Sarepta Baptist Church, and for years was an earnest, lovable Christian.

At her death she gave the brightest testimony of a christian life and hope of future. She was willing to die, and gave loving counsel, asking her family to meet her in heaven.

She leaves a husband, children, mother, sister and brothers, besides a host of friends to mourn the loss of that brightest of all, "a Christian wife, mother and friend." Her Pastor,
JAMES P. OLIVE.

Silhouettes.

N. O. Times-Democrat.]

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Home Visitors' Excursion.

On Sept. 1, 8 and 15 and Oct. 6, the Cotton Belt Route will sell round trip tickets to all points in State of Indiana at rate of one and one-third fare for the round trip. Return limit 30 days from date of sale for leaving destination.

Shreveport Fair, Sept. 21-26.

For above occasion The Cotton Belt Route will sell tickets from points on Shreveport Branch to Shreveport and return at rate of one fare for the round trip. Date of sale, Sept. 23. Return limit, Sept. 24.

St. Louis Fair, Oct. 6th to 10th.

For above occasion the Cotton Belt Route will sell round trip tickets to St. Louis and return at rate of one fare for the round trip. Date of sale, October 4 to 9, inclusive. Return limit, Oct. 12.

Triennial Convocation Grand Lodge, Royal Arch Masons, Little Rock, October 6th to 10th.

For above occasion the Cotton Belt Route will sell round trip tickets to Little Rock and return at rate of one fare, plus 50c., for the round trip. Date of sale, Oct. 3, 4 and 5. Return limit, Oct. 11.

Cotton Belt Excursion.

Account Annual Convention Brotherhood St. Andrews, Denver, Oct. 7-11. The Cotton Belt will sell round trip tickets to Pueblo, Colorado Springs and Denver, Colorado, at rate of one fare, plus 50 cents, for the round trip. Date of sale, Oct. 4 to 8, inclusive. Return limit, October 8th.

International Live Stock Exposition, Chicago, Nov. 28 to Dec. 5.

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Succession Notice.

Successions of M. H. and M. J. Coile. In District Court, Bossier Parish, La.

Notice is hereby given that Charles H. Coile, administrator of the successions of M. H. and M. J. Coile, deceased, has this day filed in my office his final account and tableau of distribution in said succession, and if opposition be not made thereto within the time prescribed by law, the said final account and tableau of distribution will be homologated and made the judgment of the Court. Given under my official signature and seal of office, at Benton, La., on this, the 16th day of September, 1903.
B. A. KELLY, Clerk.

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Homestead Entry No. 6791. Department of the Interior, Land Office at Natchitoches, July 30, 1903.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of her intention to make final proof in support of her claim, and that said proof will be made before the Clerk of the District Court at Benton, La., on October 1, 1903, viz: Homestead Entry No. 6791—Sarah A. Hollingsworth, widow of Robert Hollingsworth—for the southeast quarter of section 34, township 20 North, range 11 West, Louisiana Meridian.

She names the following witnesses to prove her continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Wm. Bryant and James Perte, of Midway, La.; N. E. Hyde and L. C. Biggs, of Bellevue, La.
J. ERNEST BREA, Register.
August 6, 1903. oct 1

Sale of Bossier Levee Board Lands.

By virtue of an ordinance this day, 2nd July, 1903, passed by Bossier Levee Board, I hereby advertise for bids, either oral or written, (the Board reserving the right to reject any and all bids) on the following described lands situated within the Bossier Levee District of Bossier parish, La.

Lot 3, in sections 21 and 22; Lot 8, in section 13; Lot 7, in section 5; all in township 16, range 12.

Said land being within the limits of the east and west boundaries of the traverse of Half-Moon Lake.

All of which will more fully appear by the survey, plats and field notes, made by Geo. D. Alexander and J. M. Davies, surveyors, under the authority of the Board of Commissioners of the Bossier Levee District, on file, with the Recorder of the Parish of Bossier, and also on file with the Secretary of this board, at Curtis P. O., La., which may be seen and examined upon application. All bids must be submitted to the Levee Board in special or regular sessions convened, either orally or in writing. Bids will be received on the first Thursday in October (1st day) 1903, and on the dates of each of the meetings of the Board thereafter, until further notice.

T. N. BRADEN, JR., Secretary of Bossier Levee District.

Homestead Entry No. 7305.

Department of the Interior, Land Office at Natchitoches, La., August 31, 1903.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before Clerk of District Court, at Benton, La., on November 2, 1903, viz: Homestead Entry No. 7305—Granville Smith, of Antrim, Louisiana—for the southwest quarter of southwest quarter of section 6, township 21 North, range 12 West, Louisiana Meridian.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Randle Coleman, Robert Gay, Bill Williams and Mack Pay, all of Antrim, La.
J. ERNEST BREA, Register.
September 10, 1903. oct 29

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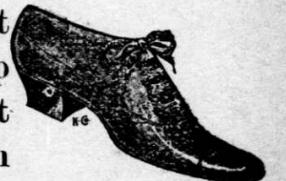
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No. 3 daily	No. 1 daily			No. 2 daily	No. 4 daily
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9:00 p. m.	9:00 p. m.	St. Louis	Ar	1:00 a. m.	12:01 p. m.
2:23 p. m.	2:23 p. m.	Thobos	Ar	11:30 p. m.	11:30 p. m.
7:45 a. m.	7:45 a. m.	Carroll	Ar	8:15 p. m.	8:15 p. m.
8:50 a. m.	8:50 a. m.	Paragould	Ar	7:20 p. m.	7:20 p. m.
9:30 a. m.	9:30 a. m.	Jonesboro	Ar	6:30 p. m.	6:30 p. m.
11:05 a. m.	11:05 a. m.	Memphis	Ar	5:45 p. m.	5:45 p. m.
9:05 a. m.	9:05 a. m.	Texas	Ar	4:55 p. m.	4:55 p. m.
11:54 a. m.	11:54 a. m.	Fair Oaks	Ar	4:05 p. m.	4:05 p. m.
12:52 p. m.	12:52 p. m.	Brinkley	Ar	3:20 p. m.	3:20 p. m.
1:01 p. m.	1:01 p. m.	Clarendon	Ar	2:35 p. m.	2:35 p. m.
2:10 p. m.	2:10 p. m.	Sherman	Ar	1:50 p. m.	1:50 p. m.
3:15 p. m.	3:15 p. m.	Sutton	Ar	1:10 p. m.	1:10 p. m.
4:20 p. m.	4:20 p. m.	Pine Bluff	Ar	12:30 p. m.	12:30 p. m.
5:25 p. m.	5:25 p. m.	Carroll	Ar	11:50 a. m.	11:50 a. m.
6:30 p. m.	6:30 p. m.	Shreveport	Ar	11:10 a. m.	11:10 a. m.
7:35 p. m.	7:35 p. m.	Waco	Ar	10:30 a. m.	10:30 a. m.

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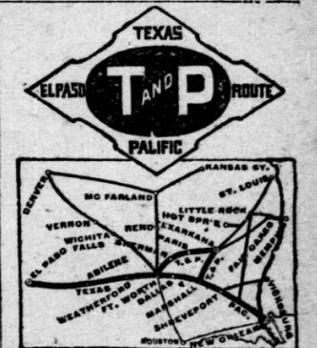
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