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AROUND THE STATE.

Items of Interest Culled From the Louisiana Press.

Baton Rouge Adopts \$300,000 Bond Issue. Shreveport Favors Municipal Ownership—Fine Union Station Planned For New Orleans.

Dallas Dupuy shot and killed A. F. Barbin at a dance near Marksville. A new \$60,000 courthouse will be erected at Gretna, the parish seat of Jefferson.

Cleophas Minon, a negro living near Lafayette, killed his wife and committed suicide.

President Roosevelt will visit New Orleans during his projected southern tour in October.

The annual convention of the Interstate Cotton Seed Crushers' Association was held in New Orleans.

Tom Beaufort shot and killed Haley Cotton and wounded James Wilson during a dance near Morgan City.

Percy McDaniel was shot and killed near his home in St. Helena parish. John Morgan is suspected of the crime.

The Terrebonne grand jury, in session at Houma, recommended high liquor license as a means of reducing crime.

An immense sawmill plant, for the manufacture of pine and hardwood timbers, will be established at Chamberlain.

With the completion of the Harvey canal locks a new short water route to Bayou Lafourche will be opened between July 1 and 15.

The city council of Shreveport passed on the first reading an ordinance providing for the municipal ownership of the electric light plant.

Only two votes were cast at Baton Rouge against the proposition to issue bonds to the amount of \$300,000 for municipal improvements.

The New Orleans Terminal Company bought six squares of ground in Canal street and will erect one of the finest passenger depots in the world.

The assessment of railroad and kindred property in Louisiana, as made by the state board of appraisers, is \$34,503,194, an increase of \$9,502,217 over 1904.

Mrs. Madeline Lasseigne, of St. John parish, took carbolic acid while in the waiting room of the New Orleans charity hospital and died shortly afterward.

The plant of the Enterprise Rice and Farm Company, located in Calcasieu parish, was disposed of at foreclosure sale to the First National Bank for the sum of \$23,423.

The twenty-fifth annual session of the Louisiana grand lodge of the Knights of Pythias was held at Jennings. Monroe was selected as the next meeting place.

Governor Blanchard has offered rewards for the arrest and conviction of members of the mob that entered the parish jail at Harrisonburg and released two prisoners.

General depositories for uniform textbooks to be used in the public schools of Louisiana will be established at New Orleans, Alexandria, Shreveport and Monroe.

The United States department of agriculture will establish a bureau and chemical laboratory at New Orleans for the purpose of localizing the enforcement of the pure food bill.

The plant and stock of the Capital City oil mill at Baton Rouge was destroyed by fire Tuesday night. The estimated loss is \$200,000, with insurance amounting to about \$125,000.

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THE WORLD'S NEWS.

Flashes of the Telegraph Wires From Near and Far.

Storms Cause Loss of Life and Property Damage—Government to Regulate Shipment of Explosives—Nan Patterson Released.

Gen. Maximo Gomez is dangerously ill at Santiago de Cuba. A convention of ex-slaves will be held in Washington June 1.

Seven men were killed by a dynamite explosion at Cors, Mont. An oil gusher was brought in at Dayton, Tex., opening a new field.

There are 245 rural free delivery mail routes in the state of Mississippi. Yi Han Kung, Korean charge d'affaires at London, committed suicide.

Thirty-five or forty persons were injured in Vienna by an explosion of celluloid.

Ivan Kelleff, who assassinated Grand Duke Sergius of Russia, was executed at Moscow.

The National Association of Manufacturers met in annual session at Atlanta, Ga. Hiram Cronk, aged 105 years, the last survivor of the war of 1812, died at Ava, N. Y.

Five thousand storm-eaves are being dug in Oklahoma in preparation for possible future cyclones.

The Southern Railway will spend \$4,000,000 in improvements in and around Chattanooga, Tenn. Jessie Bartlett Davis, a well-known comic opera star, died in Chicago after an illness of two days.

The president approved the recommendation to bury the body of John Paul Jones at Annapolis, Md. Herbert V. Croker, a son of Richard Croker, of New York, died suddenly on a train near Newton, Kan.

An equestrian statue of Gen. N. B. Forrest, the famous Confederate cavalry leader, was unveiled at Memphis, Tenn.

A number of persons were killed and serious damage to property inflicted by storms in Indiana, Missouri and Ohio.

A woman claiming to be Carlotta, wife of Maximilian, former emperor of Mexico, duped Italians in Boston out of \$40,000.

Over 117 persons were killed and as many more injured in a tornado which destroyed the town of Snyder, Oklahoma Territory.

In a fight in the Island of Jolo, Philippine Islands, Gen. Wood lost seven men and had nineteen wounded, while 300 Moros were killed.

Torrential rains, gales and tornadoes have caused great damage to crops and other property in north Texas. Little loss of life is reported.

Experiments to demonstrate the possibility of curing consumption without the use of drugs are being successfully made in New York tannery districts.

Arthur Haynes, a convict in the Alabama penitentiary, was paroled on his honor by Gov. Jelks in order that he might be at the bedside of his dying mother.

The United States may lodge a protest with China against an offensive circular sent out from Washington by Sir Chen Tung Liang Cheng, Chinese minister.

W. B. Robinson, of Los Angeles, Cal., crazed with liquor, murdered three men and one woman, seriously wounded two other persons and then committed suicide.

Dr. F. G. Gaudin, of New Orleans, was elected supreme president of the supreme council of the Catholic Knights of America at the annual convention held in St. Louis.

The executive committee of the Panama Canal Commission decided to purchase in the markets of the world the materials and ships necessary for the building of the Panama canal.

Tom Witherspoon, a negro, was lynched at Belmont, fifteen miles below Cairo, Ill., for holding the wife and child of Frank Hess, member of the Missouri legislature, until Hess gave him \$600.

Mrs. Henrietta Robinson, a dual murderer, died in an asylum at Newburg, N. Y., after fifty years' confinement, during which period she steadfastly refused to disclose her identity.

A Texan asked the treasury department to refund a portion of the money which he recently contributed to the government's conscience fund. Secretary Shaw refused to comply with the request.

Leroy Irome Lixon, a nine-year-old boy of Durango, Col., will be given an education by Miss Helen Gould because he warned a railroad engineer in time to prevent a wreck in Colorado last summer.

Nan Patterson, the chorus girl who went through three trials at New York on the charge of murdering Caesar Young, a bookmaker, was released without bail and will probably not be tried again.

The recent explosion of a car of dynamite at Harrisonburg, Pa., has created a sentiment in favor of government regulation of the shipment of high explosives. Senator Elkins will introduce a bill at the next session of congress covering the subject.

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THE OFFICE BOY WANTS TO KNOW—

Who'll attempt to deny that Donaldsonville's a "fine" town? —after all the fines imposed by the district court?

If judged by this standard, it isn't one of the "finest" in the state? If it's any wonder so many people think the enforcement of the laws is getting down to too "fine" a point?

Whether "Pro Bono Publico" isn't going at the problem wrong end foremost?

What becomes of the time-honored maxim that the best way to kill an obnoxious law is to enforce it?

If it's so that the common form of salutation among our business people is "Good morning; have you paid your fine yet?"

Whether the weather bureau thought to dampen the ardor of the fire-men and the fair-weather?

If the rainmakers supposed a little flood like that would stop a fire parade or church fair in Donaldsonville?

If anybody hereaway couldn't have told them that our fire ladders are regular mud-larks when it comes to having a lark in the mud?

—and that our fair ladies can have a fair whether the weather is fair or not?

Who'd a thunk the sly little Volunteers could steal a march on the lusty Vigilantes?

—and carry off the horn that the Vidges were already blowing in anticipation?

If the wrestle of the V's wasn't one of the prettiest contests at the fair? —and the outcome one of the biggest surprises?

If the voters of the V's for the Volleys and the Vidges wouldn't have voted earlier and oftener if they had known what a close race it was?

If "Tootsy" wouldn't have scraped up another hundred to offset the excess of X's rather than miss the chance to toot that trumpet?

If the old Phoenix bird didn't fly pretty well in such swift company?

Whether the Hooks ought not to furnish affidavits that they also ran?

If everybody concerned isn't glad that the fair realized enough to wipe out the church debt?

How much stock will be taken in the proposition that the payment of the debt will remove the provocation for future repetitions of the annual fair?

What it will be held for next year? —and the year after that? —and the year after that? —and the subsequent years ad libitum?

If you're onto The Boy's Latio? If not, what's the matter with looking in the back of the dictionary, like he did?

Whether "Sucre" oughtn't to do a little dictionary delving in the front part of the book?

What he's driving at when he says Billy may get a job in the "blucoe" factory?

Which kind of a ranch a "blucoe factory" is anyhow?

If it wouldn't stump the Goyer-Alhance layout to get that sort of a by-product out of cornstalks or anything else?

If it isn't apparent that Gov. Newt thinks Donaldsonville is one of the biggest towns on the map? —and its newspapers the most important in the state?

Else why does he ignore all the rest of the Louisiana press and take so much notice of what our papers say about him? —and feel so tickled when one of them puffs him up? —and so grieved when another blows him up?

Why he didn't think to have a bout with his newspaper critics during the New Orleans campaign last year? When nearly every paper in the city and every other one in the state was lambasting him for and for bossing the bosses?

Why he has become so touchy all of a sudden about mixing in municipal contests? If he really learned a little wisdom from experience? —and kept his hands off New Iberia because of the scorching his fingers got in New Orleans?

