

Band Concert Monday Evening. Having an engagement to play for a fair at Geismar tomorrow, Claiborne Williams' band will be unable to give the usual Sunday concert in Louisiana Square, but will give a special concert Monday evening at 6 o'clock.

Rub-My-Tism will cure you.

Miss Freda Singer is visiting friends in Baton Rouge.

Postmaster J. J. Lafargue visited New Orleans Tuesday on business.

Mrs. C. Winter and children are at Biloxi, Miss., for a stay of several weeks.

Miss Mary Whiteman is in Plaquemine on a visit to relatives and friends.

Miss Alice Kock, of Belle Alliance plantation, is visiting friends in New Orleans.

John Forcha returned last evening from a fortnight's visit to relatives in Lake Charles.

H. Picou, of Geismar, spent several days at Thibodaux last week visiting relatives.

James Von Lotten went to New Orleans Sunday morning, returning Monday afternoon.

Miss Kate Landry was the guest of relatives in Baton Rouge for several days last week.

Messrs. B. J. Vega and Walter Lemann visited Baton Rouge and Plaquemine Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Bent, of St. Elmo, spent a few days here during the week with relatives.

Paul Beckel, of New Hope plantation, spent Sunday in Bayou Goula as the guest of his cousin, Sidney Landry.

Robert Prejean, of Belle Alliance, left Saturday for Hot Springs, Ark., where he will enjoy a stay of several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Lambert and children, of St. Rose, are spending some time with relatives in upper Ascension.

Mrs. W. D. Park and Misses Hilda Park, Della Billeaud and Leona Maurin enjoyed a visit to Baton Rouge Wednesday.

Misses Gertrude and Hilda Klos, of Belle Helene, and Charles Mackenzie, of New Orleans, were in town last Thursday.

Miss Nola Simoucaux, after spending several days here with relatives and friends, returned yesterday to her home at Belle Rose.

Miss Adele Brand spent several days in New Orleans last week with her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Brand.

After spending the week-end here as the guest of Miss Mary Flannery, Miss Mary Beaumont returned Monday morning to her home in Baton Rouge.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Landry and their sweet little daughter, Camilla, of Baton, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Duke Dalferes last Sunday.

Dr. A. W. Martin spent several days in New Orleans on business at the beginning of the week, going down Sunday morning and returning Wednesday afternoon.

Judge and Mrs. Paul Leche and their young son, Karl, left Thursday afternoon for a trip to Denver and other points in the west. They will be away several weeks.

A brilliant electrical storm, accompanying a downpour of rain, prevailed Wednesday afternoon, but so far as we have been able to ascertain no damage was done by the lightning.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Erris and their two children enjoyed a trip to New Iberia and back this week on the steamer F. M. Owens, leaving here Tuesday night and returning yesterday.

Mrs. Ed. Schloss and her daughter, Miss Marie Schloss, of Baton Rouge, are spending a few weeks here as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jasmin Tobias at their pretty home in Charleville street.

Mr. and Mrs. Ulysses Esneault, who have been residing in Faubourg St. Pierre, moved to town this week and are pleasantly domiciled in St. Armand street, between Mississippi and Iberville.

James Maurin, who has been visiting relatives here for a couple of months, left this morning for Abome, Anzales, Mexico, where he is employed as chief engineer of the big sugar and Los Mochis sugar refineries.

The Donaldsonville police force will shortly issue their appearance summer uniforms of dark brown and, similar to those worn by the United States troops. The new uniforms are being made by a local tailor.

Adele Blum returned last Saturday evening from a few days' stay at Miss Gussie Reuss at her home in Louisiana plantation. She was accompanied by Miss Reuss, who returned to town until the following week.

Special Train for Baseball Fans.

For the accommodation of Donaldsonville and Bayou Lafourche baseball fans who may wish to witness the great game at Thibodaux tomorrow afternoon between the Donaldsonville and Thibodaux teams, arrangements have been made for a special train on the T. and P. road to leave Thibodaux at 6:15 o'clock p. m., stopping at all way stations. The round-trip rate will be one fare plus 10 cents.

After spending several days here as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Carl DelBuono, Mrs. Frank DelBuono left last Monday for New Orleans, where she will visit relatives for a couple of weeks before returning to her home in Opelousas.

After spending several weeks here as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. Kline, Mrs. J. B. Bourgeois and her daughter, Mrs. R. A. Pendleton, together with the latter's three small sons, left Thursday afternoon for their home in New Orleans.

Among those from here who attended the dance in Whitecastle Thursday evening were Messrs. H. Vernon Sims, Jaffray Vega, Gordon Gieslard, Ray Dehon, Earl Binnings, John Breaux, Lawrence Babin, Dennis Chambers and Sidney Mollere.

Fish are plentiful in the canals and streams of this section, and quantities of perch are being caught. It is conjectured that the recent flood had something to do with causing such a sudden and marked increase in the piscatorial population of local waterways.

Morris Schneider, one of the courteous young salesmen at Jasmin Tobias' New Orleans Bargain Store, is spending his vacation at Mineral Wells, Texas, and writes that he is having a delightful time and feels greatly improved in health. He will return next Thursday.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Chauvin was christened at the Catholic church last Sunday afternoon, Rev. Joseph Montellard officiating. The name of Alden Joseph was bestowed upon the little fellow, the sponsors being Miss Selma Esneault and A. J. Esneault.

Mrs. Chester Israel has returned to her home in Biloxi, Miss., after spending some time here with relatives. She was accompanied as far as New Orleans by her husband, who is temporarily discharging the duties of wharfmaster owing to the illness of his father, David Israel, Sr.

Miss Olivia Munson and Messrs. Edward and Stephen Munson, of Glenwood plantation, and their house guest, Ed. Garner, of Florida, motored to Donaldsonville Thursday evening, and on the return trip were accompanied by Miss Nita Sims, who is spending the week-end at the Munson home.

Manager A. J. Dupre of the Donaldsonville rice mill returned last Sunday after spending several weeks at Houston and Galveston with his wife and family, who are residing in the former city. Mr. Dupre enjoyed his vacation, to the fullest extent and was greatly benefitted by the pleasant outing.

Charles Mackenzie and Misses Emily and Louise Strack returned last Sunday to their home in New Orleans, after spending a week at Belle Helene as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Klos and family. They were accompanied by Miss Elise Klos, who will be entertained by the Misses Strack for a short while.

A walking club was organized recently by the younger people of Belle Helene and the first contest was held last Sunday afternoon, when the pedestrians proceeded from Belle Helene to Geismar, a distance of three miles. The race was won by Miss Ida Klos, the bright little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Klos.

Mr. and Mrs. William Ball and family left Wednesday on the steamer Wm. Garig for St. Francisville, where they will reside henceforth. The departure of this estimable family is deeply regretted by a host of friends in Donaldsonville, who unite in bidding them Godspeed and extending best wishes for unbounded happiness and prosperity in the new home.

The annual banquet and reunion of the alumni association of St. Stanislaus College, at Day St. Louis, Miss., will be held Sunday, Aug. 11, and all members of the organization, as well as former students of the college, are cordially invited to attend. It being impossible to reach every one personally, on account of lack of address, this means is used instead. Officers will be elected and the usual good time will follow.

The Chief is in receipt of an invitation from Mr. and Mrs. Joseph S. Hebert, of French Settlement, to attend the marriage of their daughter, Althea, to Eugene Lambert, the ceremony to be solemnized at 9 o'clock Wednesday morning, Aug. 7, at St. Joseph's Catholic church, in French Settlement. We join the many friends of the bride and groom in extending their congratulations and good wishes in advance of the happy event.

Jasmin Tobias is having his New Orleans Bargain Store remodeled, and will make a number of alterations to the interior of the building, including the remodeling of the show windows and the substitution of plate glass for the ordinary glass which now encloses them. These improvements, when completed, will greatly enhance the appearance of Mr. Tobias' popular establishment, which is already one of the most modern and attractive store buildings in the city.

FOR CONGRESS Sixth Congressional District



T. SAMBOLA JONES OF EAST BATON ROUGE

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE.

The Chief is not responsible for the views expressed by correspondents.

A Nuisance that Should be Abated.

Donaldsonville, La., Aug. 3, 1912. Editor Chief: The conservation of public health and safety is one of the chief purposes for the institution of municipal corporations, and no more important obligation is thereto confided.

Whatever is injurious to public health constitutes a public nuisance. The power to abate nuisances is a portion of the police power necessarily vested in the authorities.

The offensive and unwholesome smell arising from decaying vegetable and animal matter is injurious to health.

The safe and sanitary removal of dead animals, garbage, offals, etc., comes clearly within the police power of the corporation.

The dumping of dead animals, garbage, offals, etc., in close proximity to dwelling houses is a nuisance per se.

Both the city of Donaldsonville and individual parties have selected as a dumping place for all of the city's waste matter the bank of Bayou Lafourche at the head of Claiborne street.

Daily cart-loads of decaying matter of all sorts, even dead animals, are hauled there and dumped in close proximity to dwelling houses.

The effluvia arising therefrom certainly cannot be of any benefit to health; it is injurious, and per se a nuisance, and should be abated. WLFRED GUIGOU.

Sentence Day in District Court.

The regular summer term of district court was brought to a close last Saturday forenoon, when the following business was transacted: John M. Maher vs. Heirs of H. E. Duffel, third opposition of Mrs. Duffel; Judgment for plaintiff.

Pleard & Geismar, Ltd., vs. F. Thompson et al.; partially tried and continued indefinitely. Judge Bros. vs. Antoine Oursou; judgment for plaintiffs for \$125, with legal interest from Dec. 25, 1911.

Matteo Randazzo, receiving stolen goods; tried by judge and acquitted. James Colbert, against whom the district attorney filed an information for breaking and entering in the night-time with intent to steal, was arraigned, pleaded guilty, and was sentenced to two years in the penitentiary.

Sentence was passed as follows upon prisoners convicted during the term: Philip Charles, larceny of \$25, two years in the penitentiary; Philip Williams, manslaughter, one year; Laura Dupuy, alias "Pondou," receiving stolen goods, one year; Henry Williams and Mary Bico, receiving stolen goods, eight months in the parish jail; Joe Jones, larceny of \$2.50, sixty days in jail.

The prisoners sentenced to penitentiary terms, all of whom are negroes, were taken to Baton Rouge Monday morning by Deputy Sheriff Lucien Acosta, Sr.

Misses Rena and Kate Landry entertained very charmingly on Thursday evening at a five hundred party complimentary to the Pleasure Seekers Card Club and their house guest, Miss Camille Skoffield, of Lutcher. The pretty prizes were captured by Misses Annie C. Adele Blum and Andrews, and Dr. A. W. Martin.

After the games tempting refreshments were served by the dainty little tea girls, Misses Doris Hanson and Lucille Landry. The Misses Landry were assisted in receiving and entertaining their guests by their mother, Mrs. John P. Landry, and those present were Misses Miriam Blum, Laure Fernandez, Anole Cize, Lee and Maude Landry, Adele Blum, Coline Landry, Camille Skoffield, Jennie Allen and Andrews, Messrs. Guy Landry, Warren Williams, Sabin Dalferes, Alfred Landry, Arthur Lemann, and Dr. A. W. Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Simpson and Mr. and Mrs. Ferrier Blanchard.

A delightful event of the current week was the dance given Monday evening at the Knights of Columbus Hall by Miss Hilda Park, complimentary to her house guest, Miss Della Billeaud, of Broussard. Upwards of thirty couples were in attendance, and to the strains of the exquisite music furnished by Claiborne's band the merry throng of young folk tripped the light fantastic too until a short while after midnight. Dainty refreshments were served throughout the evening.

Peru is second to the United States in the production of rice in the western hemisphere and the production in that country is increasing.

For local news read The Chief.

Swing Fund.

It gives us pleasure to record a contribution of \$10 to the swing fund from Fred Linde, formerly of this city, but who for the past several years has been located in Alexandria. During his residence here Mr. Linde was regarded as one of the community's most progressive and public-spirited citizens, and that he has lost none of his good qualities in this respect with the passing of the years is attested by his very generous donation to the worthy cause embraced in the project of the swing fund. No longer a resident of Donaldsonville, with his property and business interests elsewhere and under no obligation whatever to the place of his former residence, Mr. Linde nevertheless comes forward to the support of a movement having for its object the promotion of the happiness and physical well-being of the children of this community, and thereby displays a spirit of altruistic citizenship worthy of the highest commendation. Certainly, with Mr. Linde's fine example before them, our people should need no further stimulus to bring them to a realization of their duty in this instance—a duty that has already been too long neglected and the non-performance of which will be a serious reflection upon us all.

In remitting his contribution to the swing fund, Mr. Linde writes as follows: "Alexandria, La., July 27, 1912. Editor Chief: I have been reading in your paper that you have opened a fund for the laudable purpose of erecting swings for the children in your public square, and as I think we can not do too much for the little ones in providing nice, clean sports, I hereby contribute \$10 as my share. Hoping others will follow soon, so the children can have their fun, I remain, Yours truly, "FRED LINDE."

Jasmin Tobias, who conceived the idea of installing the swings in Louisiana Square for the amusement of the little folk, and who started the fund, instructs us to increase his donation to \$5, and while we are at it we take pleasure in adding \$1.50 to our own original contribution. We shall be happy to receive and acknowledge subscriptions of any amount, and it is our confident expectation that the accessions to the fund within the coming week will be so numerous and liberal as to insure the early accomplishment of the splendid project.

The fund to date stands as follows: Fred Linde, Alexandria, \$10 00 Jasmin Tobias, Donaldsonville, 5 00 Donaldsonville Chief, 2 50 Miss Anna May Allen, 50 Walter Lemann, 2 50 Total, \$20 50

Excelsiors Eclipsed—Thibodaux Tomorrow.

The Pelicans defeated the Excelsiors of St. James in a ragged game at Cleveland Park last Sunday afternoon, the score being 5 to 4. Both teams played listless ball, and despite the fact that the score was tied three times, the game was slow and uninteresting. Errors and bone-head plays were plentiful, and there were several tiresome squabbles over the decisions of Umpire Ed. Prejean, which were in the main correct. The Pelicans' infield was broken up by the absence of Tearney, Robert Prejean and Hugh LeBlanc, and the patched line-up was responsible for many of the bobbles perpetrated by the locals. At that, the regulars were not in anything like their usual form, and lacked the vim and snap which has characterized their playings heretofore. Dugas, usually as steady as a rock, was badly and ineffectively, and Vezzy, whose throwing to second is ordinarily perfect, failed to frustrate a single steal. Puigh and Mang constituted the battery for the visitors, and their work was mediocre, as was their support. The solo feature of the punk pastime was the batting of the Dugas brothers, Joe and Charlie, who brought home the bacon for the locals by their fifty stick-work.

The Pelicans copped the contest in the last half of the ninth inning, when, with two out, Mang threw wild to third to catch Joe Dugas, who was attempting to steal. The ball went over the baseman's head and traveled into left field, and Dugas trotted across the pan with the run that broke up the proceedings.

The Pelicans will journey to Thibodaux tomorrow to tackle the reorganized Greys of that town in their own back-yard, and it is expected that quite a number of fans will accompany the team. The locals will line-up as follows: Joe Dugas, pitcher; Vegas, catcher; J. Polse, first base; Hugh LeBlanc, second base; Pat Tearney, third base; Wallace Prejean, short stop; Dr. LeBlanc, left field; Charlie Dugas, center field; Stockwell, right field; Crook, Blumenthal and Allsman, extra.

Death of Mrs. R. C. Braud.

Mrs. Rodolph Cecile Braud, aged seventy-two years, died Thursday night of last week at the home of her brother, John Ory, in Whitecastle, after an illness of long duration. The remains were brought to Donaldsonville Saturday morning and interred in the Catholic cemetery, funeral services being held previously at Our Lady of Prompt Succor church, in Whitecastle. Mrs. Braud is survived by five children, Mrs. Henry E. Braud and Simon Braud of New Orleans, Joseph Braud of Darrow, Mrs. Emilie LeBlanc of Bran Hall plantation, and Henry Braud of Iberville.

Two brothers, Benjamin F. Ory of New Orleans and John Ory of Whitecastle, and one sister, Mrs. Gervais LeBlanc of Lake Charles. To these afflicted ones profound sympathy is extended by a wide circle of friends.

Leopold Well, for several years head salesman at the Tobias store in this city, left Thursday for Abbeville, where he will engage in the selling of horses and mules in partnership with his brothers. Mr. Well is a young man of admirable character, industrious habits and charming manners, and during the period of his residence here has made a number of loyal friends, all of whom sincerely regret to see him leave Donaldsonville, the while wishing him a liberal measure of success and prosperity in his new undertaking.

Florian Michel, one of Donaldsonville's most skillful young carpenters, has been employed by V. L. Duffel to demolish the two frame buildings in Railroad avenue recently purchased by him from the local Elks' lodge, and to erect the larger structure on his property in the Lemann addition. Mr. Duffel has disposed of the smaller building, and will occupy the reconstructed cottage with his family.

CLAIBORNE A CANDIDATE.

Prominent Young Pointe Coupee Lawyer and Legislator Seeks to Succeed the Lamented Wickliffe as Congressman from the Sixth District.

Through the medium of a card appearing in the proper column in this paper, Hon. Ferd. C. Claiborne of New Roads announces his candidacy for the unexpired and the succeeding term as representative in congress from the sixth congressional district. Mr. Claiborne is so well and favorably known, and has been so prominently before the public of late, that he scarcely needs any introduction to the people of this parish at our hands. He is a son of Judge L. B. Claiborne and was born in Pointe Coupee thirty-seven years ago, receiving his early intellectual training in the schools of that parish. Later he attended successively the Louisiana State University, Soule's Commercial College and Tulane University, graduating from the law department of the latter institution in 1901, since when he has successfully practiced his profession in New Roads. Some years ago he organized the First National Bank of New Roads and was its first president, being at that time the youngest president of a national bank in the United States. He served in that capacity until his law practice grew to the extent that it required all his time.

Four years ago he was elected as one of Pointe Coupee's representatives in the general assembly, and, being a candidate for re-election this year, was nominated in the first primary, despite the fact that he made no speeches for himself, did no advertising, spent no money. He took a prominent part in the organization of the Democratic Good Government League and was a well-backed candidate for endorsement by that organization for the office of lieutenant governor, but very magnanimously relinquished his claims and retired from the race when it was apparent that a fight was in prospect between his supporters and those of H. L. Gueydan, and that harmony could only be achieved by the withdrawal of one of the candidates.

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Crop Comment. The blessing of another week of good weather has been vouchsafed us, and while the cane is still backward and will undoubtedly fall short of an average yield, there can be no question that the crop has improved materially in the past fortnight. In some sections where not as much rain was received as in others the plants are said to be of almost average size, but in general the stalks are much smaller than they should be at this period of the year, and will have to be favored with exceptionally propitious weather during the remainder of the growing season in order to attain even a fair stage of maturity by ending time. The work of laying-by the crop has proceeded apace and is nearly completed. ESTRAY NOTICE. COW TAKEN UP. Owner may recover same by giving proper identification and paying costs. GERMANIA PLANTATION, Hohen Solms P. O., La. FOR RENT. FIVE-ROOM COTTAGE in Nicholls Avenue, adjoining Jewish synagogue. Apply to WALTER LEMANN or RAPHAEL SINGER, Donaldsonville, La. WANTED. RELIABLE AGENTS to handle Royal Under-riding Automobiles. This car has a record and will make friends fast. Address: FORD MOTOR CAR CO., 807 Whitney Central Bldg., New Orleans, La. WANTED. ONE OR TWO energetic young men to sell life between Abita Springs and Mandeville. Good commission. Address: MARYSTEELE AND ABITA SPRINGS LAND CO., 421 Eennen Building, New Orleans, La. POSITION WANTED. BY MARRIED MAN, 26 years old, as time-keeper, clerk, cashier, collector, bill clerk, drummer, shipping clerk or assistant book-keeper. Good penman, and can furnish highest references. Address: E. L. LAMAR, McCall P. O., La. ESTRAY NOTICE. TAKEN UP on my premises at Hope Villa, La. (Oakland corner), an IRON GRAY MARE, about five years old. The owner may recover the animal by establishing title to property and paying all costs. NICK BROWN, Hope Villa, La. FOR RENT. THE TWO-STORY brick building at the corner of Mississippi and St. Patrick streets, containing of commodious two-story frame building and large lot of ground. An ideal residence or business site. Will be rented for any length of time, or sold at a bargain on reasonable terms. For further information apply to or address: FRED EGGES, Sr., Donaldsonville, La. FOR RENT OR SALE. THE BATHING PROPERTY at the north-east corner of Mississippi and St. Patrick streets, consisting of commodious two-story frame building and large lot of ground. An ideal residence or business site. Will be rented for any length of time, or sold at a bargain on reasonable terms. For further information apply to or address: FRED EGGES, Sr., Donaldsonville, La. FOR SALE. LIGHT DELIVERY WAGON; closed top; suitable for grocer, baker, dry goods dealer or general use; capacity, 1000 pounds; hardwood floor; poplar panels; canvas roof and sides; steel axles, with 31 cans in arms; heavy running gear; well-trimmed; seven patent wheels; riveted rims; bent hickory shafts; neatly painted and trimmed. Can be economically shipped to any point on east or west bank of the Mississippi. Made in St. Elmo, Louisiana, by the ST. ELMO WAGON FACTORY, J. A. McGovern, proprietor. Write or call, New Orleans office, 432-434 Andalus Bldg. FOR SALE. FARM on east bank of Bayou Lafourche, a short distance below Donaldsonville; 16 acres of fertile land; 24 acres of plant cane and about 19 acres of corn now in cultivation; residence with four bedrooms, dining-room, kitchen, bath and front and back porches; hay barn, corn crib, tool room, stable, chicken house, two negroes, one mule, one well. Buildings almost new, and nearly all covered with tin roofs. Also, two mules, two plows, two hammers, one crib. Price for entire property, \$2000; for land and buildings only, not including crops, mules and implements, \$2500. Address PHILIP MARIE, Box 8, Donaldsonville, La.

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