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Oct. 9 Fire Prevention Day.

Gov. Hall has issued the following proclamation fixing Thursday, Oct. 9, as fire prevention day in Louisiana:

"The fire loss of this country, amounting to over a quarter of a billion dollars annually, is one of the greatest drains upon the wealth and resources of the nation. It is an irretrievable loss, not a mere transfer of ownership. Statistics show that every year 1500 lives are lost and over 5000 persons maimed as the result of fires. It is indisputable that two-thirds of this great waste and loss of life can be avoided, that most of the fires are due to carelessness and preventable causes, and urgently call for remedial action on the part of the people and their officials.

"Therefore, I, L. E. Hall, governor of the state of Louisiana, do issue this my proclamation, naming Oct. 9, the forty-third anniversary of the great Chicago fire, as fire prevention day.

"I earnestly urge the people of the state to observe this day by a thorough cleaning up and removal of all rubbish, trash and waste from their premises; that all flues and heating apparatus be inspected and made safe for the winter; that schools, hotels, asylums, factories and theatres be looked after, their safety secured; that fire drills be held in department stores, factories, public, private and commercial schools, and that the teachers instruct their pupils through short talks on the dangers of fires and method of prevention."

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St. Elmo Railroad Doing Big Business.

The management of the St. Elmo, Belle Helene & Louisiana Eastern Railroad reports the new line is doing wonderfully well in the way of building up its freight and passenger traffic. The equipment of the road—motor car and trailer, with a seating capacity of twenty-two persons—is on many occasions taxed to take care of the crowds which are traveling on the new road. Week-day business is gaining in volume, and almost every day sees an increase in the number of persons handled.

So far, five carloads of lumber have been brought into St. Elmo over the road, and orders now placed with the mills will double this total within the next few weeks. Shipments of miscellaneous merchandise in small lots are beginning to move, with prospects of a big increase in this class of traffic during the coming fall season.

At present, the company is making two round trips a day on the line, with an extra trip Sunday mornings. It is intended, however, to put on a regular schedule of four trips a day very soon.—St. Elmo Progress Bulletin.

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## ASSUMPTION TO AID.

Progressive Bayou Lafourche Parish to Co-operate in Making Inter-Parochial Fair a Success—Far-Seeing Booster Tells Why Movement Deserves Support.

The following effective boost for the inter-parochial fair is quoted from the Assumption Pioneer of Sept. 13:

"Mr. E. D. Glandon, Editor Assumption Pioneer and Secretary, Assumption Progressive League, Napoleonville, La.

"My dear friend:—It was most gratifying to note how promptly and unanimously the police jury appropriated the sum of \$100 toward the fair to be held at Donaldsonville in the first days of October, under the auspices of the Inter-Parochial Fair Association, of which this parish is an honored member.

"Through our small but determined committee of the Progressive League, we have endeavored for quite a while to inaugurate a movement similar to the one so successfully launched at Donaldsonville last Monday, so that the great possibilities of this parish along the lines of diversification of crops and industries may be made more demonstrable and more apparent to our energetic citizenship, that they may more efficiently and more fully reap the benefits of these possibilities, as yet undeveloped and in a measure as yet unrealized.

"Fairs of this kind will inculcate a better understanding between our various enterprises, agricultural and industrial, will create a greater feeling of friendship and co-operation, and will bring about that interchange of views, of opinions and of experiences so essential to the continued prosperity of allied communities.

"It had been our fond hope to see our town and parish take the initiative in such a progressive movement which directly and indirectly is bound to be of incalculable benefit to our community, but in this we are disappointed, either because the time had not arrived for the exploitation of such a movement here, or because our efforts, though sincere, unselfish and energetic, were misdirected or ill-aimed.

"If our people will aggressively cooperate with this inter-parochial fair, if they will send exhibits to it, if they will attend it, and assist to the best of their effort in making it a success, this parish is bound to become a beneficiary thereby in efficiency and experience, and it may be that the past efforts of our Progressive League, along such lines, will bear fruit, will be better understood and better appreciated, and the aroused interest in these progressive ideas may mean the efficiency and the ultimate success of our League.

"I have been closely associated with you in such movements in the past, and I fully appreciate your civic pride and the effectiveness of your efforts along these lines, and I hope that as a private citizen, as an editor and as the most efficient secretary of our League, you will do all that may be done to make this new association and its fair a great success.

"Sincerely yours,  
"R. J. LEGARDEUR."

The Most Beautiful Thing.

That's some dress you've got on, little girl—it sure is. That delicate, clinging, crinkly stuff is the prettiest cloth on the store counters; that silk Persian sash of many colors so gracefully swathed about the center section of your anatomy would knock the spots off Joseph's coat. You are corseted and tailored according to the most extreme mode in the advance August fashion books.

But your neck is too low and your sleeves are too short, and your skirts is far and away better than that ever were meant to be. And that graceful slit exposing that dainty left ankle pump that is almost transparent enough to read through. And you haven't any more petticoat than a rabbit—you know you haven't.

Oh, you're some swell, you are. Haven't you noticed how the loafers around the store rubber after you as you trip demurely on your way to the uplift lectures? And have you been thinking, little foolish one, that they were rubbering out of pure admiration? Ask your brother about it. If he's got any sense he'll tell you some things that will be hard on your vanity and good for your soul. And if you're got any sense, you'll take his word for it; you'll say that dress away and don something that's wide enough around the bottom to allow room for two petticoats and one pair of legs. For there never was a dress designed, little girl, that is half so beautiful as a young girl's modesty.—Emporia Gazette.

Times-Democrat Cuts Subscription Price.

Effective Sept. 15, the New Orleans Times-Democrat reduced its subscription price to 15 cents a week, 85 cents a month, \$1.95 for three months, \$3.90 for six months, or \$7.80 for twelve months, delivered by carrier in either the city of New Orleans or country towns. Subscriptions by mail payable in advance—one month 65 cents, three months \$1.95, six months \$3.75, twelve months \$7.50. Sunday only, twelve months \$2. Weekly Times-Democrat, issued every Friday, 50 cents a year.

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Police Jury Meeting.

Interesting Session of Parochial Lawmakers—Germain Nargassans and Alexis Landry Appointed Members of New River Drainage Commission. Appropriation for Inter-Parochial Fair.

Donaldsonville, La., Sept. 10, 1913. The police jury of the parish of Ascension met this day in regular session, and was called to order at 12:30 o'clock p. m. Present—Adolphe Netter, president, third ward; Karl Spahr, first ward; J. M. Ourso, Jr., second ward; C. H. Landry, fourth ward; L. W. Armitage, fifth ward; Leon Newman, sixth ward; C. N. Gautreau, seventh ward; Z. J. Causey, eighth ward.

The minutes of the regular meeting of July 9, 1913, the adjourned regular meeting of July 23, 1913, and the special meeting of Aug. 12, 1913, were read, approved and signed.

The following communications and petitions were read and received:

Hope Villa, La., Aug. 2, 1913. To the Honorable President and Members of the Police Jury of Ascension Parish:

Gentlemen:—We, the undersigned taxpayers and citizens, do hereby petition your honorable body to rescind your action of July 23, striking from your budget the amount of \$250 which was appropriated for the maintenance of an L. S. U. cadet for 1913-14.

Considering the fact that this valuable appropriation given by the people of this parish has been and will be an incentive to our young men, and that the continuation of same would be a valuable investment which would undoubtedly develop worthy men who could not otherwise obtain a high education as our former beneficiaries have, we hope your honorable body will grant this.

(Duly signed).

Donaldsonville, La., Aug. 22, 1913. To the Honorable Police Jury of the Parish of Ascension:

Gentlemen:—We, your committee appointed to hold a competitive examination for the purpose of selecting a beneficiary student to the State Normal School, do herewith make this our report. The applicants were Misses Rosina Singer and Frances Averitt, and the following are the averages as compiled by each member of the committee separately:

By Mr. Ruses—Miss Proffitt 76 1-7, Miss Singer 73 2-7.  
By Mr. Vickers—Miss Proffitt 74 2-7, Miss Singer 73 1-7.  
By Mr. Weber—Miss Proffitt 72 5-7, Miss Singer 69.

Miss Proffitt having received the highest general average by each member of your committee, we therefore unanimously recommend that the scholarship to the State Normal School be awarded to her.

R. S. VICKERS,  
C. C. WEBER,  
J. L. RUSCA,  
Committee.

Palisades, Colo., Aug. 14, 1913. To the Members of the Police Jury and the People of Ascension Parish:

I wish to thank all for the great good that I have gotten by the act which the parish does by sending and providing for a needy student at the State University. It is certainly one of the best things the parish does, and every citizen should encourage this, and also have the needy boys try in the competitive examination that is held every four years. Any boy who is ambitious should take the examination, for a college education is one thing that is sure to be profitable.

I again thank the noble people of Ascension for what they have done for me, and hope they will continue to send to the Louisiana State University a beneficiary cadet from the parish of Ascension. Sincerely,  
U. A. TADDIKEN.

To the Honorable Police Jury of the Parish of Ascension:

We, the undersigned property taxpayers of the New River Drainage District, do hereby petition your honorable body for appointment on said New River Drainage Board the following two resident taxpayers of said district, namely, Armand M. Marchand, to fill vacancy on said board, and J. Germain Nargassans, term expired.

(Duly signed).

Ascension Parish, Sept. 6, 1913. To the Honorable Members of the Police Jury of the Parish of Ascension:

Gentlemen:—We, the undersigned property taxpayers of the New River Drainage District, respectfully petition your honorable body to appoint Alexis R. Landry, of Dutchtown, La., a member of the board of commissioners of the New River Drainage District, vice A. U. Babin, term expired.

The resolution was seconded by Mr. Landry and on roll-call adopted by the following vote: Yeas—Ourso, Landry, Armitage, Newman, Gautreau; nays—Netter, Spahr, Causey.

Mr. Armitage then offered the following resolution:

Be it resolved, that the appropriation made on July 9, 1913, of the sum of two hundred and fifty (\$250) dollars, for the benefit of the Donaldsonville high school demonstration farm, be and the same is hereby repealed, and the said amount so appropriated be returned to the general fund of the parish treasury.

The resolution was seconded by Mr. Gautreau and on roll-call adopted by the following vote: Yeas—Ourso, Landry, Armitage, Newman, Gautreau; nays—Netter, Spahr, Causey.

Mr. Armitage then offered the following resolution:

Be it resolved, that the sum of two hundred and fifty (\$250) dollars be and the same is hereby appropriated out of the general fund of the police jury for the inter-parochial fair to be held in the city of Donaldsonville Oct. 10, 11 and 12, 1913.

The resolution was seconded by Mr. Landry and on roll-call adopted by the following vote: Yeas—Netter, Ourso, Landry, Armitage, Newman; nays—Spahr, Gautreau, Causey.

Mr. Newman requested the following explanation of his vote:

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recommending for appointment as member of the board of commissioners of the New River Drainage District of the parish of Ascension J. Germain Nargassans, a resident of and domiciled within said drainage district, owning real estate of the assessed value of more than \$500, and a duly qualified elector of the parish of Ascension, Louisiana, vice himself, term expired.

I, A. A. KLING, assessor of the parish of Ascension, state of Louisiana, do hereby certify that each and every one of the twenty-five signatures attached to the petition recommending the appointment of J. Germain Nargassans as prayed for, are duly assessed for the amount and acreage of property set out opposite their respective names.

In testimony whereof I have heretofore affixed my official signature at the parish of Ascension, La., this 4th day of September, 1913.

A. A. KLING, Assessor.

To the Honorable Police Jury of the Parish of Ascension:

We, the undersigned property owners, residing and domiciled in the parish of Ascension, Louisiana, in the territory embraced within the limits of the New River Drainage District of the parish of Ascension, organized and created by the police jury of the parish of Ascension, Louisiana, on Aug. 3, 1910, and each of us duly assessed on the assessment rolls of the parish of Ascension, La., for property situated within said district, in the amount and acreage hereinafter set out opposite our signatures hereto, do respectfully petition and

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