

The Donaldsonville Chief

Mississippi Valley Route Steamer Virgie

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FOU TRIPS DAILY

This Swift and Elegant Boat Makes FOU TRIPS DAILY between Donaldsonville and Burnside, connecting with passenger trains of the Y. & M. V. Railroad as follows: Passengers going north take boat at 9:15 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m. Passengers going south take boat at 6:50 o'clock a. m. and 2:15 p. m. Passengers taking 9:00 boat arrive at New Orleans at 11:30 a. m. Dining car service on New Orleans boats. Passengers taking 2:15 boat arrive at New Orleans at 1:40 p. m. Passengers taking 4:00 boat will convey passengers to and from the boat free of charge. Through tickets to all points sold on the boat. TRUNKS and BAGGAGE HANDLED

Texas & Pacific Railway Time Table

PASSENGER TRAINS GOING EAST.	
No. 52—Canton	8:47 A. M.
No. 54—New Orleans mail	2:19 P. M.
No. 56—Accommodation	8:29 A. M.
No. 60—"Early Bird"	1:39 P. M.
PASSENGER TRAINS GOING WEST.	
No. 51—Texas fast mail	9:52 P. M.
No. 53—Texas express	3:05 P. M.
No. 55—Accommodation	7:49 P. M.
No. 59—"Early Bird"	10:10 A. M.
LAPOURCHIE BRANCH.	
No. 63—Leaves for Thibodaux	7:55 P. M.
No. 64—Arrives from Thibodaux	8:18 A. M.
No. 65—Leaves for Thibodaux	10:18 A. M.
No. 66—Arrives from Thibodaux	1:15 P. M.
NAPOLEONVILLE BRANCH.	
No. 67—Leaves for Napoleonville	7:55 P. M.
No. 68—Arrives from Napoleonville	8:15 A. M.
No. 69—Leaves for Napoleonville	10:18 A. M.
No. 70—Arrives from Napoleonville	2:00 P. M.

Local freight trains each way daily, Sunday, excepted.
L. B. MATTINGLY, Local Agent.

PROFESSIONAL

PHYSICIANS

E. K. SIMS, PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON. Office in Houmas street, between Iberville street and Crescent Place. Telephone 90.

D. R. T. H. HANSON, PHYSICIAN. Office: Railroad avenue, between Claiborne and Opelousas streets. Phone 240.

DR. J. D. HANSON, PHYSICIAN. Office and residence: Lessard street, between Nichols avenue and Iberville street. Telephone 54.

ATTORNEYS AND NOTARIES

B. J. YEGA, ATTORNEY AT LAW and Notary Public. Office, 313 Nichols avenue. Telephone 31.

CALEB C. WEBER, ATTORNEY AT LAW and Notary Public. Office in Railroad avenue, opposite the Donaldsonville High School. Telephone 109-2.

SPECIALISTS

D. R. A. W. MARTIN, EYE, EAR, NOSE AND THROAT SPECIALIST. Eye-glasses fitted. Office hours: 9 a. m. to 1 p. m., 2 to 5 p. m. Office, No. 121 Railroad avenue, Donaldsonville, La. Telephone 308.

SURVEYOR.

R. J. LeGardeur, Jr., Surveyor, Napoleonville, La., Practices in all the parishes of this section. Telephone No. 34, Napoleonville exchange.

BUSINESS GUIDE

Plumbing and Tinning

H. SCHAFF & SON. Copper, Tin and Sheet-Iron Workers. 217 Railroad avenue. Roofing, guttering, stove-piping, and repairing. Plumbing work a specialty. Phone 107-2.

Tailors

WOLFSON BROTHERS & CO. Chicago Tailors. Cor. Railroad ave. and Charles st. Get your next suit for pair of trousers from us and save the middle man's profit. We do our own tailoring.

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C. KLINE. Corner Crescent Place and Houmas street. Dealer in dry goods, notions, shoes, groceries, provisions, corn, oats and bran. Phone 162.

A POINTER.

That awful headache that comes out of many "whiskies" is not in our high grade brands. On the contrary, they are a bracer and a tonic. While you are drinking drink the BEST. And this is the place to get the BEST. **Welcome Saloon** GEORGE LANDRY, Proprietor

NOTICE OF SALE

—of the—
Donaldsonville Wharf and Market Franchises.

BY VIRTUE OF and in obedience to ordinances of the commission council of the city of Donaldsonville, I will adjudicate to the last and highest bidder, at the principal front door of the courthouse in said city, on SATURDAY, DECEMBER 12, 1914, at 12 o'clock noon, (1) the lease of the Donaldsonville wharf and landing dues, and (2) the lease of the Donaldsonville markethouse and market dues for a term of one year from the 1st of January to the 31st of December, 1915, both inclusive, subject to the terms and conditions set forth in said ordinances, which are on file at the office of the city clerk. The right is reserved to reject any and all bids.

W. J. LEBLANC, Commissioner of Finance. Donaldsonville, La., Nov. 14, 1914.

STENOGRAPHERS WANTED.

Excellent Opportunities for Young Men and Women in Government Service—Next Examination of Applicants Jan. 26, 1915.

The United States Civil Service Commission announces that open competitive examinations for stenographer and typewriter, to fill positions in the Departmental and Panama Canal Services, will be held Jan. 26, 1915, at the following places: Alexandria, Baton Rouge, Monroe, Lake Charles, New Iberia, New Orleans and Shreveport. Both men and women will be admitted to the examination for the Departmental Service, but men only will be examined for the Panama Canal Service. In applying for application forms which may be obtained from the Commission at Washington, D. C., or the secretary of the tenth civil service district, New Orleans, La., the applicant should state for which service he desires to be examined. No application will be accepted unless properly executed and filed with the Commission at Washington in time to arrange for the examination at the place selected by the applicant. The exact title of the examination should be stated in the application form.

The Commission again calls attention to the excellent opportunities for the appointment of qualified male stenographers and typewriters in the Departmental Service at Washington, D. C., in which the demand for such eligibles has been greater than the supply. The usual entrance salary is \$340 or \$900 per annum, and promotion is reasonably rapid to those who merit it. For the Panama Canal Service the usual entrance salary is \$1500 per annum.

In order to become eligible for permanent appointment in the apportioned service in Washington, applicants are, under the law, required to be examined in the state in which they reside and to have been actually domiciled in such state for at least one year previous to the date of the examination. Application Form 304 is required for this service.

The medical certificate in the application form for the Panama Canal Service must be executed by a reputable physician. All appointees to this service are required to be physically sound and in good health. Application Form 1312 is required.

The stenographer and typewriter examination is a combination of the stenographer examination and the typewriter examination. Five hours are allowed for the stenographer examination alone, five hours for the typewriter examination alone, and six hours for the stenographer and typewriter examinations combined. For the combined examination the subjects of copying from rough draft, penmanship, report writing and arithmetic are required to be taken but once.

If a competitor takes a combined examination but passes only in the stenographer or the typewriter examination, his name will be entered upon the register of the examination which he passes. If he passes both examinations the stenography and typewriting will be combined, stenography two will be combined, stenography having a weight of 2 and typewriting of 1, and with the resultant average his name will be entered upon the combined register.

Applicants for appointment as typewriter must provide themselves with typewriting machines and stands for use in the examination.

Age: Departmental Service, 18 years or over; Panama Canal Service, 20 to 45 years. United States citizenship required.

Each applicant must furnish examiner on day of examination his or her unmounted photograph taken within two years. Tintypes not accepted. Schedule of spring examinations and sample questions may be secured after January 15. No sample questions can be furnished at this time.

Enormous Rainfall in Hawaii.

The rainfall on the island of Hawaii varies greatly, ranging from the enormous downpour of 353 inches a year in the upper Waipio Valley to 20 inches on some of the slopes of Hualalai. The only surface streams on the island are found along the northeast coast between Hilo and Kohala. Waipio river, according to the United States Geological Survey, is the largest stream on the island and has been partly developed for irrigation. At Kapoho, on the east point of the island, warm water flows from seams in the rocks. These "warm springs" flow into a pool about 100 feet long, 25 feet wide, and 20 feet deep. The pool is entirely surrounded by rocks and its color varies in shade from a beautiful blue to violet. Waiapale, or Green Lake, is a body of fresh water in the pit of an old crater near Kapoho. This lake covers an area of about 5 acres and is fed by springs below the surface. A pumping plant takes water from this lake for domestic use and for irrigations.

Of the 960 graduates from the Louisiana State University, 638 are located in Louisiana, 153 are in 36 other states, 92 are in 21 foreign countries, and 69 are deceased. Eight graduates are living at unknown addresses.

The home merchants are ready to supply your Christmas needs. Buy from them.

The Nicholls

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Mississippi street, between Railroad avenue and Lessard street.

A Popular Resort for Gentlemen

A thorough and select line of Wines, Liquors and Cigars at the bar. Ice-cold Beer always on draught.

Pool and Billiard Hall in Connection

A private room for meetings and social gatherings. Courteous treatment to our patrons.

How He Treated Her.
A certain osteopath was treating a young woman who had very weak ankles and wrists. As she lived in a town quite a distance from his own city, he was forced to leave the city Saturday of each week and go to the town in which the young woman lived, give her the treatment Sunday, and return to the office Monday. A friend once asked the osteopath how he had arranged to give the young woman the treatment for her ankles and wrists when she lived at such a distance, and the osteopath replied: "Oh, I go out and treat her week ends."—Lippincott's Magazine.

An ad in The Chief will pay.

HUSBAND RESCUED DESPAIRING WIFE

After Four Years of Discouraging Conditions, Mrs. Bullock Gave Up in Despair. Husband Came to Rescue.

Carroll, Ky.—In an interesting letter from this place, Mrs. Bettie Bullock writes as follows: "I suffered for four years, with womanly troubles, and during this time, I could only sit up for a little while, and could not walk anywhere at all. At times, I would have severe pains in my left side.

The doctor was called in, and his treatment relieved me for a while, but I was soon confined to my bed again. After that, nothing seemed to do me any good. I had gotten so weak I could not stand, and I gave up in despair. At last, my husband got me a bottle of Cardui, the woman's tonic, and I commenced taking it. From the very first dose, I could tell it was helping me. I can now walk two miles without its tiring me, and am doing my work."

If you are all run down from womanly troubles, don't give up in despair. Try Cardui, the woman's tonic. It has helped more than a million women, in its 50 years of wonderful success, and should surely help you, too. Your druggist has sold Cardui for years. He knows what it will do. Ask him. He will recommend it. Begin taking Cardui today.

Write to: Chattanooga Medicine Co., Ladies' Advisory Dept., Chattanooga, Tenn., for Special Instructions on your case and 64-page book, "Home Treatment for Women," sent in plain wrapper. EOB-B

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Donaldsonville, La. Wholesale River Dealers and Distributors of

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Deliveries made by water to any part of the State.

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Purest and Best Quality Ice Supplied in any Quantity at Factory or Shipped Wherever Ordered

Local Agency For the Anheuser-Busch Brewing Association celebrated Keg and Bottle Beers, (Faust, Anheuser, Beck and Pale in kegs, Exquisite, Budweiser, Anheuser and Bavarian in bottles.) Orders will receive prompt and careful attention. Satisfaction always fully guaranteed. Phone 73.

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Cleans, Paints, Repairs, Puts Up and Takes Down
SMOKESTACKS
Sugarhouse Chimneys, Heavy Machinery, Etc. Satisfaction guaranteed and charges low. Also maker of best and cheapest tarpaulins.

HORSE and STEAM-POWER DERRICKS
ROPE SPLICING A SPECIALTY

In New "Easy-Opening-Box" BLACK WHITE TAN

2 IN 1 SHOE POLISHES

Brightens up millions of shoes daily

10¢ POLISHES 10¢

Another Safeguard Against Overflow.

A thorough test made of the experiment levee constructed around the old levee fronting Fairfield plantation, on the right bank of the Mississippi river below Avondale, has shown the levee to be an unqualified success. W. E. Knobloch, assistant engineer attached to the United States engineers' office at New Orleans, went to Fairfield last Saturday morning and cut the levee to allow the water contained between the two levees to flow out. He was accompanied by Major E. M. Markham, stationed at Memphis. Major Markham went to the scene for the purpose of familiarizing himself with the formula and build of the experiment levee.

The embankment at Fairfield plantation was constructed last July under the superintendence of Major E. O. Sherrill, at that time in charge of the government work in this section. His idea has worked out splendidly, in the estimation of his successor, Major W. G. Caples, and will prove of much value in the future.

Facings of gunnite and concrete to the thickness of four inches and sheet piling were used in the building of the levee. It is approximately one thousand feet in length, and when finished formed a pond in conjunction with the old embankment. Water was then pumped into this reservoir and allowed to stand for months against the barriers. The height of the water exceeded by twelve inches the record flood waters of two years ago, but the experiment levee withstood the strain remarkably well.

In Major Caples' opinion levees of this character will render splendid service in re-enforcing others that are weakened and threaten to give way under extreme pressure. When such an emergency arises the smaller levee can be hastily constructed, and will prevent a crevasse. The test to which the new levee was subjected was an exceptionally severe one, but it has met all requirements and has furnished the engineers with another safeguard against overflow.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS

Opportunities for Obtaining Employment Under the Federal Government.

The United States Civil Service Commission announces the following examinations to be held on the dates given below, and circulars containing further information relative thereto may be seen at the office of this paper:

Dec. 29—Assistant engineer, mapping wells, \$1800 per annum. Bureau of Mines, for service in California.

Jan. 6, 1915—Assistant photographer, \$840 to \$1200, in any branch of the service.

Jan. 26—Stenographer and typewriter, men and women, Department of Panama Canal Services.

Feb. 16—Stenographer and typewriter, men and women, field service.

The annual cut of British Columbia timber is approximately two billion feet. There are 420 mills and 790 logging camps in the province, employing about 60,000 men. The timber industry represents 37 per cent of the annual production of wealth in British Columbia.

Be fair to your city and yourself. Your money was made here—spend it here. Outside stores contribute nothing to the upbuilding of this community. The merchants here do. Remember this and buy at home.

The steam schooner Hanalei foundered on Duxbury reef, off the Pacific coast, Nov. 24, and about fifty of the sixty-one persons aboard were lost.

Now is the time to pay your poll tax and do your Christmas shopping.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

State of Louisiana—Parish of Ascension—Twenty-Seventh Judicial District Court.

A. W. Bell Vs. No. 1402 Mrs. Mary J. Smith

BY VIRTUE OF and in obedience to a writ of fieri facias, issued by the above named court in the above entitled and numbered cause, and to me directed, I have seized and taken into my possession, and will offer for sale at public auction to the last and highest bidder, according to law, at the principal front door of the courthouse of the parish of Ascension, in the town of Donaldsonville, on

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 19, 1914, at 11 o'clock a. m., the following described property, to-wit:

The undivided 9-16 of a certain piece or portion of ground situated in the town of Donaldsonville, in the parish of Ascension, state of Louisiana, measuring thirty feet nine inches front on Railroad avenue, between Claiborne and Opelousas streets, by a depth of one hundred and twenty-nine feet, more or less; said piece or portion of ground being the home of the original lot, designated by the number one hundred and fifty-six, in square No. 3, on a plan of said square made by M. W. Darton, parish surveyor of said parish of Ascension, dated Oct. 5, 1882; and said portion of ground is bounded on the side nearest Claiborne street by lot No. 156, on the side nearest Opelousas street by the other half of said lot No. 156, in the rear by lot No. 96, and in front by Railroad avenue; together with all buildings and improvements thereon and thereunto belonging.

Terms and conditions—Cash in United States currency. E. C. HANSON, Sheriff, Parish of Ascension, Donaldsonville, La., Oct. 10, 1914.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

State of Louisiana—Parish of Ascension—Twenty-Seventh Judicial District Court.

George Landry Vs. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Jackson

BY VIRTUE OF and in obedience to an order of seizure and sale, issued by the above named court in the above entitled and numbered cause, and to me directed, I have seized and taken into my possession, and will offer for sale at public auction to the last and highest bidder, according to law, at the principal front door of the courthouse of the parish of Ascension, in the town of Donaldsonville, on

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 12, 1914, at 11 o'clock a. m., the following described property, to-wit:

A certain lot of ground, together with all the buildings and improvements thereon or thereunto belonging, and all the rights, ways and privileges thereto attached or in any wise appertaining, lying and being in Suburb Nolan in the town of Donaldsonville, parish of Ascension, Louisiana, in the rear of the right of way of the Texas & Pacific Railroad Company in Donaldsonville, designated on a plan of said suburb made by P. N. Justice, civil engineer and surveyor, which plan is deposited in the notarial office of Edmund Manning for safekeeping as being lot No. 23, measuring front on St. Elizabeth street forty (40) feet, by a depth of one hundred and two (102) feet between parallel lines. Said lot being bounded on the north side by lot No. 22, on the south side by lot No. 30, and in the rear by lot No. 24; being the same lot No. 23 acquired by the present vendor at sheriff's sale for the interest of the heirs of Corinne Knott.

Terms and conditions—Cash in United States currency. E. C. HANSON, Sheriff, Parish of Ascension, Donaldsonville, La., Nov. 7, 1914.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

State of Louisiana—Parish of Ascension—Twenty-Seventh Judicial District Court.

Edgar F. Berteaut Vs. No. 2269 Harry Hogan

BY VIRTUE OF and in obedience to an order of seizure and sale, issued by the above named court in the above entitled and numbered cause, and to me directed, I have seized and taken into my possession, and will sell at public auction to the last and highest bidder, according to law, at the principal front door of the courthouse of the parish of Ascension, in the town of Donaldsonville, on

SATURDAY, JANUARY 2, 1915, at 11 o'clock a. m., the following described property, to-wit:

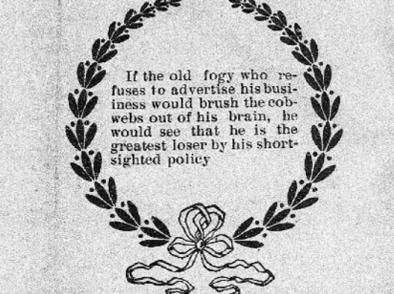
A certain tract of land situated in the parish of Ascension, on the left bank of the Mississippi river, at about six miles below the town of Donaldsonville, measuring one arpent front on said river, with all of the depth thereto belonging, bounded above by the lands formerly of John L. Manning, and below by the lands formerly of Jacob Lemann; together with all the buildings and improvements thereon and thereunto belonging, being the same property acquired by the present vendor from Frank A. Berteaut on the 17th day of December, 1902, by act passed before G. A. Gondrau, notary public in and for the parish of Ascension, which act is recorded in Book of Conveyances No. 43, folio 529 et seq.

Terms and conditions—Cash in United States currency. E. C. HANSON, Sheriff, Parish of Ascension, Donaldsonville, La., Nov. 28, 1914.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County, ss. Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE. Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1898. A. W. GLEASON, Notary Public. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testing free. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by all Druggists, 75c. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

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THE CHIEF

A WIDE-AWAKE AND NEWSY

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Advertise Now

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TELEPHONE 84