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Donaldsonville Chief
SATURDAY, MARCH 6, 1920.

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666 quickly relieves Colds and La-Grippe, Constipation, Biliousness, Loss of Appetite and Headaches.

666 proven it will cure Cough, Fever, Bilious Fever, Headache.—(Adv.)

Mrs. Valery Duffel and Sidney Harp, young business men of this city, were the guests of the sick list.

Mrs. R. J. Chauvin and her young son, Galdon, of Faubourg, who were laid up for a sufficient time to be able to be up and about again, much to the delight of their many friends.

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L. E. Bentley of New Orleans, having come up to attend a meeting of the directors of the Donaldsonville Ice Company, "Boss" Bentley is looking as fine as a peach, and his many friends here were glad to see him.

A sweet little baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Samuelson last Monday evening. The tiny miss will be christened under the name of the Chief. The Chief hopes that little girl will grow up to be a social favorite in Donaldsonville society.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Anatole Esneault was christened last Saturday at the Catholic church and the name of George Antoine was bestowed on the youngster. The sponsors were Albert Esneault and Miss Telecie R.

Mrs. S. and her two little daughters, Frances and Jane, and Mrs. Alex. Bloomenstiel and her two young daughters, Misses Pauline and Lillie, motored to Baton Rouge last Saturday, and while in the Capital City were the guests of Mrs. H. L. Cohen.

Mrs. E. Nettles and her two pretty and bright young children, Carmichael and Monroe, La., arrived last Wednesday and will be the guests of W. T. Robertson, parents of the Nettles. The Chief wishes them the best of nursing given him during their stay in this city.

To Honor Memory of Dr. J. M. Calafel, aged 56 years, died at the residence of Mr. J. M. Belle at Port Barrow last Wednesday afternoon at 5 o'clock. He was taken suddenly ill Tuesday afternoon, and died the best of nursing given him and peacefully away. He was a number of years conducted a store on the west bank of the Bayou Lafourche in this parish. He was an upright and peaceful citizen and by occupation a painter. The funeral took place Thursday afternoon, with services and interment at St. Francis of Assisium Church in Smoke Bend. Peace to his ashes!

Memorial services in honor of the late Hon. Edward Nichols Pugh, will be held at the courthouse in this city next Friday, March 12, at 10 o'clock a.m. The public is cordially invited to attend.

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HOME BOY HONORED BY U. S.
Sabin J. Dalferes Made Vice Consul at Warsaw, Poland.

Sabin J. Dalferes, native of Assumption, and for the greater part of his life a resident of this city, has been appointed to the position of vice consul and clerk in the American Consulate at Warsaw, Poland. His duties will be primarily to assist the principal officer at the post to which he has been assigned, with visa work on the entry of aliens into the United States, and to perform such duties as directed by the officers under whom he is to serve. The salary is \$2400 per year, and begins from the day that he leaves home for the post. The notice of his appointment by the state department at Washington was received by Mr. Dalferes last Wednesday, and he immediately wired his acceptance and advised the director of the consular service that he would leave New Orleans on his way to Warsaw on March 8.

Mr. Dalferes will first go to Washington to receive instructions covering his duties as vice consul and clerk. He will probably spend ten days or two weeks at the capital after which he will take ship at New York for the scene of his future labors. The appointment was made with the understanding that it would be undertaken for not less than one year, which has been accepted by the appointee.

Mr. Dalferes served with the American army in France, being connected with the Intelligence Section from September, 1917, to September, 1919, when he was demobilized at Paris. From this time he was connected with the American Peace Commission, until it disbanded in December, 1919, when he returned to the United States with the commissioners, arriving in New York Dec. 21, and returned home on Dec. 26. It bears the distinction of being the first enlisted Donaldsonville boy to cross the seas and the last to return.

Mr. Dalferes received his education at the Donaldsonville High School. Besides English, he speaks French fluently, and this will prove of great assistance to him in discharging the duties of his post. He is a comparatively young man and his appointment to this high responsibility post comes as a high honor and as a reward for the excellent service rendered by him to the government while connected with the Intelligence Department during the war. He is a man of pleasant personality and exemplary habits and stands high in the esteem of all who know him. He is well qualified by experience and temperament to discharge the duties connected with his appointment, and his friends feel no hesitancy in predicting that he will make good.

The Chief takes pleasure in extending hearty congratulations to its young friend upon his appointment, which is an honor to his home city and parish as well as to himself, and in extending to him sincere good wishes for success in his new field of activity.

ANNOUNCEMENT!

The management of the South Louisiana Fair Association desires to announce to horse fanciers that they have engaged the services of a competent trainer who will be permanently located at the fair grounds in Donaldsonville for the purpose of taking horses to train either for harness or the saddle. Charges for care, board and training will be as reasonable as conditions permit.

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Traffic Restored.

In pursuance of an agreement entered into by the police jury with the Lemann Company, Ltd., the latter's narrow-gauge railroad bridge which spans Bayou Lafourche at Crescent and Palo Alto plantations has been made available for general traffic. A plank floor was laid and guard rails on each side and the bridge put in serviceable condition for all kinds of motor, vehicle or foot traffic. The work was finished last Tuesday evening and the structure opened to traffic Wednesday morning. This arrangement was made necessary by the recent serious washout in the Smoke Bend drainage canal, which destroyed the temporary bridge recently built along the road. The work of repairing the washout in the drainage canal will begin at once and it is hoped to have it completed before the expiration of the period of four months covered by the agreement between the police jury and the Lemann Company for the use of their bridge.

Home Boy Drowns in River.
Louis Guichet, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Guichet, highly esteemed citizen of this city, was drowned in the Mississippi river opposite Chalmette, a few miles below New Orleans, last Thursday morning. It appears that he together with a few comrades were on duty on an oil barge in tow of the tugboat Wanderer of the Standard Oil Company. Several bananas came floating near the barge and young Guichet reached out to catch one, lost his balance and fell overboard. He swam a distance of two hundred feet and went to the bottom before assistance could reach him. The body has not yet been recovered. Deceased was 21 years of age and was a hard-working and industrious young man and was esteemed by all who knew him. His tragic death has proven a great shock to his relatives and many friends in this community.

Fernandez-Faison.
Tilden J. Fernandez, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Fernandez, was married last Monday to Miss Kate M. Faison, daughter of J. Sharley Montgomery of Indianola, Miss. The ceremony took place at St. Stephen's Church, New Orleans. The groom is well-known here, where he resides the greater part of his life. For the past few years he has made his home in New Orleans, where he is connected with the J. Ott's Manufacturing Company, Inc., and has the management of the company's business in Central America. Mr. and Mrs. Fernandez left New Orleans today on the United Fruit Company's steamer Coppenme for Belize, Port Barrios and other cities. The Chief joins the many friends of Mr. Fernandez in this city in extending to him and his fair bride hearty congratulations and best wishes for a happy wedded life.

Death of Dr. L. E. H. Duffel.
Dr. L. E. H. Duffel, member of one of the oldest and most prominent families of this parish, died at Touros Infirmary last Saturday, at 5 p. m., aged 44 years. The doctor was taken ill about six weeks before and went to the Touros for treatment about three weeks later, but failed to obtain relief. His condition grew steadily worse until the end came. The remains were brought to Donaldsonville on the 10 o'clock Texas and Pacific train, and after services at the Catholic church, the mortal remains were laid to rest in the family tomb in the Catholic cemetery. Besides his wife he leaves to mourn his loss our young daughters, Ruby, Hazel, Lois and Mona; his parents, Dr. and Mrs. L. E. Duffel of Modeste in this parish; a brother, Frank Duffel of Minden, La., and a sister, Mrs. D. E. Allain of Seattle, Wash. Deceased was a native of the first ward of this parish, and a graduate of Tulane University, academic and medical departments. He was located in St. John parish and enjoying a large and lucrative practice when stricken with the illness which finally carried him away. He was a member of the local camp Woodmen of the World at La-Place. Dr. Duffel was a grandson of the late Judge Henry L. Duffel, during his day one of the leading citizens of this parish. He was a popular, upright and highly esteemed young citizen, and his death is universally regretted. The Chief tenders sincere sympathy to the bereaved relatives.

S. J. C. I. Honor Roll.
The following named students of St. Joseph's Commercial Institute scored the highest average in their studies during the month of February:

Eleventh grade—Curtis Bourdier, Allen Dalferes, Leo Mattingly, Valery Babin, Jos. Fontana, Allen Mattingly.

Tenth grade—Richard Hanson, John Landry, Ralph Betz, Rene Courreges.

Ninth grade—Clarence Richard, Mark Melancon, Arthur Veron, Irwin Mollere.

Eighth grade—Uton Dugas, Leonard Laves, Nemour Landache, Lloyd Bourdier, Joseph Bandazzo.

Seventh grade—Dumond St. Martin, George Daigle, Mulford Bourdier, Bryan Landry.

Sixth grade—Peter Grando, Chas. LeBlanc, Clarence Tanno, Frank Daigle.

Fifth grade—Valery Dalferes, Odel Montero, Rodolph Hebert, Andrew Dill, Vernon Aleman.

Fourth grade—Frank Falgoust, Edward Falgoust, Lorenzo Milano.

The New Theatre.
Work on the new theatre building to be erected here by the Community Company, Inc., was begun last Monday. The two large lots in Mississippi street between the Vega building and the Palace Drugstore, on which the new structure will be located, are being cleared and leveled off; sand, gravel, bricks and other material are being hauled to the scene, and the laying of the foundation, which will be of concrete, has been inaugurated. The brick and concrete work is under the supervision of Justilien Delatte, well-known local bricklayer, who has a large force of men under his employ, and operations will be pushed to completion as rapidly as possible.

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Rub-My-Tism is a great pain killer. It relieves pain and soreness caused by Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Sprains, etc.—(Adv.)

Death of Lawrence J. Marchand.
Lawrence J. Marchand, a native and life-long resident of this parish and one of the leading citizens and farmers of the fifth ward, died at his home a short distance above Darrou, last Monday at 8 o'clock p.m., after an illness of several days with pneumonia. The funeral took place from the late residence of the deceased, Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Services were held at St. Anthony's Chapel, Darrou, after which the remains were brought to Donaldsonville and laid to rest in the Catholic cemetery. A large number of relatives and friends attended the last sad rites and followed the remains to their last resting place. Deceased had been engaged in the cultivation of rice for the past several years, and in this industry he had proven very successful. He was a hard working, upright and industrious man, with a pleasant smile and kind word for everybody and numbered his friends by the score. He was a devoted husband, an affectionate father and a splendid example of the best type of citizenship of the state. He was highly respected and esteemed by all who knew him and his untimely passing away will prove a distinctive loss to the community in which he lived and labored all his life. He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edmond Marchand, his wife and seven children and four sisters and five brothers, to all of whom the Chief professes its deepest sympathy.

Miss Christina Bartholomaeus Dead.
After an illness of a few days' duration, Miss Christina Bartholomaeus passed away at her home in Port Barrow last Tuesday night at 8:45 o'clock, aged 28 years, 5 months and 14 days. Funeral services were held at the Episcopal church in this city Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock, after which the remains were laid to rest in the Protestant cemetery. A large number of relatives and friends followed the remains to their last resting place. Deceased was a very pleasing and amiable young lady and her untimely death has cast a gloom over the community in which she resided. Besides her mother, Mrs. George Bartholomaeus, she is survived one brother, George Bartholomaeus of Plaquemine, and four sisters, Mrs. D. Glauner of New Orleans, Mrs. G. H. Chapman of Donaldsonville, Misses Emma and Josephine Bartholomaeus of Port Barrow, and several nephews and nieces. The Chief condoles with the sorrowing relatives in their bereavement.

Elks Elect Officers.
At a well-attended and enthusiastic meeting of the local lodge of Elks held last Thursday night, the following officers were elected to serve for the ensuing year:

Paul Gisclair, exalted ruler; Dr. Paul T. Thibodaux, esteemed leading knight; Sidney Harp, esteemed loyal knight; Hubert Richard, esteemed lecturing knight; J. C. Bouchereau, secretary; Aramis Melancon, treasurer; Isidore Marx, clerk; East Exalted Ruler E. P. Blanchard, trustee.

The officers will be duly installed at the first regular meeting in April.

PLANTS FOR SALE.
CHRYSANTHEMUM plants—white, yellow, red, bronze and pink—large size, 50 cents per dozen; button, 30 cents per dozen. Tomato plants, ready for delivery March 25, per dozen, 25 cents, postpaid.

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