

Ouachita Telegraph.

MONROE, LA., APRIL 25, 1873.

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The May number of the Southern Magazine has arrived. We know of no periodical so deserving of Southern patronage as this one. Published at Baltimore, at \$4 per annum.

We are indebted to Senator J. R. West for a bound copy of the Ninth Census. The book contains a few pages over 800, and a mass of information impossible to be had elsewhere.

Watch Your Address.

The date when each subscription expires is affixed to the subscriber's name. Receipts of money are acknowledged by a simple change of dates. Don't forget this.

The cotton that had come up has been seriously injured by the cold weather, and the cut-worms are at work on the tender plant. We may conclude that nearly all the early cotton will have to be planted over.

Mr. Robert Layton sends us a head of Hanson lettuce, crisp and brittle, measuring 16 inches in diameter and weighing 2 pounds. That is pretty near as large as some lettuce beds we have seen. Thank you, Mr. Layton.

The weather has been dry and quite cool during the week just ended. Not since the war have we had so dry a spring. The streets are quite dusty, the fields and gardens dry, and the river is at the stage usually seen in August.—The bayous in the swamp are all fordable, and the swamps hard and firm.

We are requested to state that S. W. Odell, agent for Shryock & Rowland, St. Louis, Mo., wishes it understood that no orders are solicited, or wanted, except from legitimate dealers in merchandise; therefore, planters and others (not merchants) will confer a favor by not proposing or sending orders to that house.

Received at the Monroe Book and News Depot: Frank Leslie, Godley, Demorest, and Peterson, for May; Harpers' Bazar, May 3; Scribner's Monthly, for May; Chimney Corner, April 26; Harpers' Monthly, for May. New books: Pascarrel, by Oujda; Lady Sweetapple; Middlemarch, by George Elliott; Godolphin. New music: Gen. Robert E. Lee's Quick March; Soiree Polka; Goober Peas; Home in the West Waltz.

The District Court opened at Rayville on Monday. The writer was in attendance at the tax-resisting meeting there on that day, which was addressed by Gov. McEnery in a speech of nearly two hours' length. The Courthouse could not contain the vast assemblage. It was an earnest enthusiastic meeting that meant no good for the usurpers.—The people of Richland may support Mr. Kellogg's government, but their acts and professions do not justify such a hypothesis.

Arrival of Troops.

A company of U. S. soldiers, from the post of Jackson, Miss., has arrived here, and gone into camp below the city near Mr. Layton's. Capt. Clayton Hale, the officer in command, paid us a business call, and from him we learn that the object of the assignment is to furnish U. S. Marshals with troops, upon a proper requisition from those officials. We are wholly ignorant of any act, thought or purpose on the part of any responsible citizen of this country to resist the authority of the United States. It gives us pleasure to say that we are favorably impressed with Capt. Hale and that he expresses himself well pleased with what he has seen of our little city and its people.

Mail Depredations on the N. L. & T. R. R. Some time in the latter part of last year one of the workmen in the shops of the North Louisiana & Texas Railroad located in this city, in overhauling a mail and express coach, found a number of letters and envelopes between the ceiling and outer plank, which gave every evidence of having been broken open and robbed. A list of these letters with date of mailing, and the names of persons who witnessed the finding, have been placed in our possession. Some of the letters were mailed here and others mailed elsewhere. The post-office special agent and newspaper dead-beat, Major Edgar Seyle, was notified promptly of this depredation, as his letter in our possession shows, but

no notice appears to have been taken of the matter, although his acknowledgment is dated the 29th of January last. The swift-footed Special Agent, who was so prompt to arrest Pipes and Buchanan, the small-fry mail robbers, has it seems, abandoned his honest purpose of bringing robbers to punishment, in consideration of the parties likely to be brought up in the robbery of letters on the N. L. & T. Railroad. From what we can gather only one of the trains, sent on alternate days from Monroe, was subjected to the mail robbers' inspection, and this was Mr. Harry Lewis's train, on which the young Messrs. Rays were in charge of the mails. Neither the road nor its officers have anything to do with the mails, but these young men had the pouches and mail matter in full charge, and it behooves them now to answer fully this grave accusation against their fidelity. We purpose looking into this business still further.

Proceedings of Tax Payers' Meeting, at Monroe, April 19, 1873.

At 12 o'clock, Col. Robert Richardson, Provisional President of the Association of Tax-Payers of the Parish of Ouachita, called the meeting to order; and in a brief and pointed manner explained the object of the meeting.

G. W. McFee, the Secretary and Treasurer, being absent, D. C. Brown was requested to act as Secretary pro tem.

Thos. McGuire, of Trenton, offered the following resolutions, which were unanimously adopted:

1. Resolved, That we, the people of the Parish of Ouachita, in mass meeting assembled, heartily and fully endorse the past action of the government of the State of Louisiana, in its several branches and functions, presided over by John McEnery as Governor of the State, assisted by the Legislature recently assembled at Odd Fellow's Hall in the city of New Orleans; that we recognize the same as the only true and legitimate government of this State; that none other has any civil or military functions within the limits of our State.

2. That said McEnery government having been duly elected by a majority of the voters of the State, we therefore pledge to it our cordial support as citizens, tax-payers and organized militia.

3. That we ignore the so-called Kellogg government as being spurious and illegal—as the creature of perjury and fraud—and as dependent solely on extraneous force for support, it not having the civil countenance or support of the people of this State or of the United States.

4. That we will in every legal manner resist and obstruct the operation of said Kellogg government, both as regards the collection of revenues therefor and the action of those claiming to act as officers thereunder.

The following resolutions were then unanimously adopted:

1. Resolved, That this meeting adopt for the government of the Association of Tax-Payers of Ouachita Parish the Articles of Agreement of the People's League of Louisiana.

2. That the President of this meeting shall be President of the Parish Council, and shall immediately appoint two Vice Presidents from the city of Monroe and one from each ward. A quorum to transact business shall consist of three.

3. The President and Vice Presidents shall constitute the Parish Council, and shall adopt such by-laws and regulations as to them may be deemed appropriate.

4. That the Council shall immediately proceed to organize the tax-payers of each ward.

5. That there shall also be one Secretary and Treasurer who shall reside in the city of Monroe. The President shall appoint the Secretary and Treasurer.

6. That the Vice Presidents shall immediately take up subscriptions in their respective wards to defray the expenses of this Association until an assessment can be made.

The President introduced Governor McEnery to the meeting. The Governor spoke about two hours, and made a most able and eloquent address which was listened to attentively and frequently applauded.

At the conclusion of the Governor's address the meeting adjourned.

R. RICHARDSON, President.  
D. C. BROWN, Sec'y pro tem.

The Sparta Rural Times argues that if we refuse to pay taxes when called on by the Kellogg government, we will be thrown into a state of confusion and anarchy.

That is exactly what our revolutionary sires said when they refused to pay King George's taxes, but they preferred confusion and anarchy to submission, which we understand to be the difference between our cotemporary and these old fools.

Organization of the Parish Council of the Tax-Payers' Association.

The following officers are appointed: Vice Presidents—J. A. Covington, Forksville; C. W. McCain, Pine Grove; J. P. Beasley, Island; David Faulk, Logtown; A. F. Flournoy, Trenton; G. W. McCranie, Isalah Garrett, Monroe; Robert Logan, ward three. Secretary and Treasurer—G. W. McFee.

cell at Monroe, on the first Saturday in May, and every other alternate Saturday thereafter.

R. RICHARDSON, President.  
April 23, 1873.

Proctor & Gamble's Extra Olive Soap is made of the best ingredients and is agreeably perfumed. It is sold at the same price as common soap, in all the groceries in the country and the city of New Orleans. This superior soap has acquired in the market a large sale; for the toilet, to wash linen, and all other domestic uses. It is sufficient to buy once only, to be convinced of its great quality, and to give it the preference to all others. Ask for it in your grocery and you will buy no other. All our acquaintance are perfectly satisfied with it.

Caution! Every genuine box of Dr. McLean's Liver Pills bears the signature of Fleming Bros., Pittsburg, Pa., and their private U. S. Stamp. Take no other, the market is full of imitations. It is the popular verdict that people who have been accustomed to the use of Bitters or Cordials, are obliged, eventually, to resort to McLean's Liver Pills for permanent relief. nov16:6m

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Jan. 25, 1873.—19-6m

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