

Rev. Wm. Hart will hold services at the Methodist church Sunday at 11 o'clock.

Mrs. Emma Ray wife of James, Jr., died in this city Thursday evening of smallpox fever.

The "Boss Grocer" R. J. Nelson received this week one car load Shelby, Ala., Lime. He sells same for \$1.50 to \$1.65 per barrel.

One car load Cement to be sold for \$2.75 to \$3.00. R. J. NELSON.

Mr. Thos. S. Richmond, after an illness of many weeks, died on Tuesday last. He leaves a mother, two sisters, and a host of friends to mourn his memory.

The public schools of this city will open the first Monday of October if necessary repairs are made on the buildings by that time.

The Telegraph congratulates Monroe's worthy mayor and his better half upon the birth of a son, their seventeenth child— one better than our contemporary credits them with.

On Tuesday night a fete champetre, for benefit of Catholic church, was given at Mr. D. A. Breard's. Music was furnished by Monroe string band, and the evening was a success in every respect. The proceeds were about \$40.

Mr. Harry Williams, the Texas Temperance Evangelist, lectured at the Methodist church Thursday night and will appear before our people again at the church Sunday night. All that want to hear him were well pleased and you will not regret going to hear him Sunday night.

Mr. Albert Hartman, representing the great piano house of Junius Hart, of New Orleans, has on exhibition at the store next to Trousdale Bros. a stock of magnificent pianos and organs, which he is selling very cheap for cash or on easy monthly installments. He will remain in the city until next Wednesday. Parties desiring to purchase would do well to call upon him. The ladies are respectfully invited to call around and inspect the instruments. Mr. Hartman has also latest music on hand for sale, and being a splendid pianist, will take pleasure in rendering selections desired.

Personal.

Mr. Sol. Meyer returned from New York yesterday evening.

St. John Liddell left for school at Alexandria on the 15th.

Messrs. Carr, Stano and Mazoni, Monroe's professional base ballers, left for their homes in New Orleans Wednesday, the 15th.

Mr. R. G. Richardson and Mrs. W. A. Wooten arrived in Monroe on the 15th, called hither by the illness of their father, Col. Robt. Richardson.

Mr. A. Hartman, representing Junius Hart of New Orleans, has opened up a branch music house next door to Trousdale Bros. He is a skillful pianist and shows off his instruments to the best advantage.

Miss Lula Herron, who has been visiting relatives in this city returned to her home, Rayville, last Tuesday morning. She was accompanied by Mrs. E. A. Richardson and Miss Lizzie Trousdale.

Railroad Accident.

A fatal accident occurred at the junction yesterday morning which caused the death of Sam Nicholls, a young man well known in this city. For several months Nicholls had been in the employ of the Texas and Pacific as a brakeman and yesterday while switching and separating cars his foot slipped and he fell between the cars. The first track of the car passed over his body, mangling both hips fearfully, causing dislocation of the spinal column. Several parties who witnessed the accident pulled the unfortunate young man from the track. He lived only a few seconds, and his last words were: "Good-bye, my dear, true little wife."

Sam Nicholls was about 21 years old and married a young lady of Marshall, Tex., a short time since. His mother resides in this city. His wife, summoned by telegram, reached this city last evening from Marshall.

The coroner, Dr. Coly, held an inquest over the body. The jury returned the verdict that death was caused by a railroad accident. None of the trainmen were to blame.—Shreveport Times.

Hay Fever Sufferers.—The number of people annually afflicted with this most annoying malady seem to be greatly on the increase. \* \* \* The editor of this journal is an annual victim, and with a view to discover a specific, has tried numerous remedies. Of these, "Ely's Cream Balm" is by all odds the quickest and most satisfactory, two applications greatly allaying the usual symptoms in the nose and eyes. We would recommend its use by all sub-

THAT HACKING COUGH can be so quickly cured by Shiloh's Cure. We guarantee it. Sold by Jno. A. Moore.

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THE CONGRESSIONAL CONVENTION.

First Day's Proceedings.

The Democratic Congressional Convention of the Fifth District assembled at Ruston pursuant to the order of the Democratic Executive Committee on the 15th inst., and was called to order by Mr. Crandall, chairman of the Executive Committee at 12 o'clock.

A temporary organization of the Convention was then gone into. The name of S. F. Colvin of Lincoln was placed in nomination for temporary chairman by the friends of Gen. King and Hon. J. B. Williams of Morehouse was placed in nomination by the opposition.

On motion M. Rees Bryan of Claiborne and W. J. Corbill of Franklin were appointed tellers.

The roll of parishes was then called with following result:

Table with 3 columns: PARISHES, COLVIN, WILLIAMS. Rows include Concordia (contested), Caldwell, Franklin, Tensas, Richland, Catahoula, Ouachita, Jackson, Lincoln, Union, Morehouse, East Carroll (cont'd), West Carroll, Claiborne, Madison, Total.

The result of the vote having been declared the election of Hon. J. B. Williams was, on motion of S. F. Colvin, made unanimous.

Gen. W. T. Theobalds of Ouachita and Dr. G. McD. Brumby of Richland were selected as a committee to escort Mr. Williams to the chair.

Upon taking his seat Mr. Williams thanked the convention in appropriate terms for the honor conferred. He stated that while he was an ardent supporter of Hon. C. Newton for Congress he was no partisan and that he would treat everybody before the convention fairly.

On motion, M. Rees Bryan of Claiborne and W. J. Corbill of Franklin were elected temporary secretaries of the convention.

The following motion was then made by W. W. Heard of Union: That a committee on credentials be appointed to be composed of one delegate from each uncontested delegation, each delegation to suggest the name of its member on said committee, and credentials to be handed in for filing upon the call of the roll of parishes for that purpose. Adopted.

Upon the call of the roll of parishes the following committee on credentials was appointed.

W. W. Heard of Union, chairman; S. H. Gilbert of Caldwell; W. M. Bonner of Franklin; Jos. Currie of Tensas; J. G. Doney of Madison; C. P. Balfour of Richland; F. G. Hudson of Ouachita; W. R. Wormack of Jackson; W. K. Duncan of Lincoln; T. G. Brigham of Morehouse; W. J. Gray of West Carroll; J. H. Simmons of Claiborne; Hugh Watson of Catahoula.

Concordia and East Carroll being contested were unrepresented on the committee. The convention then took a recess until 5 o'clock to await report of committee on credentials.

Proceedings of the Second Day's Session.

[Shreveport Times.]

RUSTON, La., September 16.—At 9 o'clock this morning the convention met. Everybody looked a trifle weary, but there was vigilance and watchfulness everywhere.

The committee on credentials had been in session most of Wednesday night, the East Carroll and Concordia contest occupying its attention.

The East Carroll trouble was settled, by giving each delegation a half vote.

The Concordia contest presented the novel spectacle of two brothers, F. S. and Wilmer Shields, leading rival delegations. Hon. F. S. Shields, collector of internal revenue, is a strong King man, while his brother believes that King tipifies all the political vices. It was hoped by many that this quarrel could be settled within the delegations by a compromise, but the hope was vain. The committee was forced finally to pass upon the question, and the decision was in favor of the King delegation.

The report of the committee on credentials was handed in at once on the assembling of the convention, and a motion to adopt it as a whole went through without a dissenting voice.

A motion was next made that the temporary organization be made permanent. This would have continued Hon. James B. Williams as permanent president, and Messrs. Bryan and Corbill secretaries. Mr. Hudson, of Ouachita, moved, as a substitute that Hon. James A. Ramsey, of Union, be elected permanent chairman. This substitute was accepted by the mover and Mr. Ramsey was elected. Captain W. T. Theobalds and Dr. G. McD. Brumby were chosen as a committee to escort him to the chair. On taking the chair Mr. Ramsey delivered a telling speech, counseling harmony, and making an excellent impression on the convention. The temporary secretaries were made permanent.

It was moved that the nomination of candidates be made by speeches not exceeding five minutes. Thereupon the following gentlemen were placed in nomination by their respective friends as stated:

- 1. Judge John Young, of Claiborne, was nominated in an excellent speech by D. W. Harris, Jr., of the same parish.
- 2. Judge A. A. Gunby was named by Mr. H. W. McLeod, of Caldwell, in a good speech.
- 3. Gen. J. Floyd King, "the great immortal," was nominated by Hon. T. W. Castleman, of Concordia, in a rattling speech, which was the best of the day.
- 4. Col. Hiram R. Lott, of West Carroll, was nominated by Mr. W. J. Gray, of the same parish, in a brief speech.
- 5. Judge E. M. Graham was nominated by Senator G. L. Gaskins in a speech that was long but good. Hon. James A. Ramsey seconded this nomination.
- 6. Hon. C. Newton was nominated by Hon. T. O. Leavel, of Morehouse, in a

flowery speech. This nomination was well made, and was well received.

7. Hon. H. P. Wells' name was presented by Hon. R. H. Dollerbe, in a briet speech.

8. Hon. John Murdoch of Tensas, was nominated by Dr. E. C. McCullough. After the nominating speeches were over, a committee of six, consisting of Messrs. F. G. Hudson, of Ouachita, S. F. Colvin, of Lincoln, McD. Brumby, of Richland, J. A. Richardson, of Claiborne, J. B. Williams, of Morehouse and R. C. McCullough, of Tensas, was appointed to invite the various candidates to come before the convention and signify whether or not they will abide by the action of the convention. This was a move made by Ouachita to put Gen. King on record, it being feared that he might try his hand at beating the nominee in case King is defeated before the convention. This had the desired effect, for every candidate came before the convention and pledged his support to the nominee.

A committee of five on resolutions were appointed, consisting of Messrs. J. E. Hulse, of Claiborne, R. C. McCullough, of Tensas, R. B. Todd, Jr., of Morehouse, J. D. Hamilton, of Union, and J. S. Boatner, of Ouachita. To this committee all resolutions will be referred. At this point a motion to adjourn till 2 p. m. was made and carried. At that hour balloting will commence. 2 p. m.—The convention met promptly, and adopted the majority rule. Eighty-eight votes will be needed to nominate. The first fourteen ballots stood thus:

Table with 2 columns: Name, Votes. Rows include King, Wells, Gunby, Graham, Newton, Murdoch, Lott, Young.

At this point the convention adjourned until 4 p. m. Everything is now in a dead-lock state.

4 p. m.—The convention met promptly. The fifteenth ballot was taken resulting almost as before: King, 57 1/2; Gunby, 3 1/2; Lott, 10 1/2; Wells, 15 1/2; Murdoch, 25; Newton, 19; Young, 21; Graham, 20.

Balloting continued without a vote changing until the completion of the sixteenth ballot, when a motion to adjourn to 8:30 prevailed by a vote of 154 1/2 to 19. 8:30 p. m.—Balloting resumed. The sixteenth ballot results: King, 57 1/2; Gunby, 1 1/2; Graham, 22; Young, 21; Wells, 15 1/2; Newton, 19; Murdoch, 28; Lott, 10 1/2. Whatstons, of Morehouse, moved to adjourn to 11 to-night.

The convention re-assembled at 11 p. m. One ballot was taken without change when an adjournment was taken until 9 o'clock next morning.

Third Day's Proceedings.

Convention assembled promptly at 9 o'clock. Balloting was at once gone into, the vote standing on the sixty-second ballot as follows:

King 57 1/2; Gunby 10; Graham 27; Young 17; Wells 9; Newton 15; Murdoch 39 1/2; West Carroll dropped Lott and cast her vote for Gunby.

On the 63d ballot Ouachita cast her vote for Newton the only change in the previous vote.

On the 64th and last ballot Tensas, Richland and Claiborne went to Newton backed by 4 1/2 votes from East Carroll and 5 from Lincoln which nominated. The remaining parishes then changed to Newton and his nomination was made unanimous.

Mr. Newton was then notified of his nomination. He appeared before the convention and made a short but splendid speech of acceptance.

The following Executive Committee was appointed and the convention adjourned sine die:

- G. L. Gaskins of Lincoln, Chairman.
- S. H. Gilbert of Caldwell; G. McD. Brumby of Richland; F. S. Shields of Concordia; E. T. Warren of Lincoln; Jos. Currie of Tensas; J. E. Meadows of Claiborne; W. W. Heard of Union; A. H. Mays of Jackson; W. G. Mobley of Catahoula; W. M. Bonner of Franklin; W. J. Gray of West Carroll; J. M. Kennedy of East Carroll; W. T. Theobalds of Ouachita; D. D. DeMoss of Madison; J. B. Williams of Morehouse. At large: J. D. Hamilton of Union; J. E. Hulse of Claiborne; R. B. Farham of Concordia.

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Cure for Piles.

Piles are frequently preceded by a sense of weight in the back, loins and lower part of the abdomen, causing the patient to suppose he has some affection of the kidneys or neighboring organs. At times, symptoms of indigestion are present, flatulency, uneasiness of the stomach, etc. A moisture like perspiration, producing a very disagreeable itching, after getting warm, is a common attendant. Blind, Bleeding and Itching Piles yield at once to the application of Dr. Bosanko's Pile Remedy, which acts directly upon the parts affected, absorbing the Tumors, allaying the intense itching, and effecting a permanent cure. Price 50 cents. Address The Dr. Bosanko Medicine Co., Piqua, O. Sold by J. A. Moore.

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Removes Constipation, prevents Malaria, cures Dyspepsia, and gives new life to the system. Only one for a dose. Free samples at J. A. Moore's.

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I had been troubled all winter with cold and pain in the chest and got no relief from remedies recommended by Druggists and Physicians. At the same time I was advertising Dr. Bosanko's Cough and Lung Syrup. I had but little faith but thought to try it as a last resort, now I believe even more than they tell me of its curative qualities. [From the News, Elizabethtown, Ky.] Sold by Jno. A. Moore.

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Monroe Cemetery.  
Desiring to raise funds to put up an iron fence, anyone can now purchase for cash at a reasonable price, a choice lot in the new addition to the cemetery. For information apply to FRANKLIN GARRETT, 20 Wood street.

LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS.

MARSHALL'S SALE.  
R. P. Glenn vs. E. B. Cryer, No. 58.

In the United States District for the Western District of Louisiana.  
By virtue of a writ of f. fa. issued from the United States Circuit Court, for the Western District of Louisiana, and to me directed in the above entitled suit, I have taken into my possession and will proceed to sell to the highest bidder on

Saturday, 24 day of October, 1886, at 12 o'clock M., at the door of the Federal Courthouse in Monroe, La., the following described property, to-wit:  
First—What is known as the saw mill lot, being the upper half of the Raymond tract, containing two arpents, being one arpent front on Ouachita river, being same property purchased by Dr. Cryer from Juray & Gillis, July 19th, 1880, and recorded in Book Y, p. 18. Recorder's office Ouachita parish.  
Second—All lot No. 7 and that portion of lot No. 6 commencing at the point where the division line between 6 and 7 intersects Copy street. Thence along said street 20 feet, thence southerly 100 feet, to the Williams & Phillips line, thence along said line to division between lots 6 and 7, thence along said division line to the point of beginning, being the same purchased by the defendant from John H. Hobbs on 27th April, 1880, and recorded in Book X, said parish.  
Third—Lot front 160 feet on Cotton street running back between parallel lines 140 feet. Bounded north by lands then owned by J. E. Morris, north by Cotton street, east by lands then owned by J. P. Murphy, west by lands then owned by J. P. Croley, being the same purchased by this def't. Cryer from J. E. Morris on January 24th, 1876, recorded in Book Y, p. 525. With all the buildings and improvements thereon. Seized as property of defendant, and will be sold to satisfy said writ and costs.

Terms of Sale, cash, with benefit of appraisal.  
A. C. GIBSON, Marshall, Monroe, La., August 23, 1886.

POST OFFICE NOTICE.  
Mail for the East closes at 11:30 A. M.  
" West at 1:10 P. M.  
All others close at 3 P. M.  
OFFICE HOURS.  
Week days: 8 A. M., to 3 P. M.  
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