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JOTTINGS FROM OAK RIDGE.

OAK RIDGE, LA., July 8, '80.
Editor Clarion.—Our Ward is in full blast as to crop prospects—corn and cotton looking finely and growing rapidly. Some are laying by. The heaviest work is over, and fish-frys and pic-nics all the go. We all turned out yesterday. Our good ladies prepared well-filled baskets of every thing nice and by agreement, met in the beautiful grove below Eason's Ferry, on Lake Lafourche. Several of our ladies forsook husbands and children, leaving them in these wild woods to do the best they could, and and they, with pole, hook and line, soon lined the banks of the Lake jerking, with tremendous force, at every nibble, and ere long we had plenty fish caught. The cooks then went to work and in due time the table was spread from the baskets and frying-pans and then we all had a jolly-good time feasting. Many were out. Your correspondent counted 65 at the table at one time. I think 100 people were on the ground, everybody enjoying themselves, and so glad they went. But, oh, how soon were our gay and happy hearts made to feel sorry and sad that we went, for I tell you it rained and poured as the old man asked in his prayer—"a ditch-washer and trash-mover." We were all away off from shelter, but the carriages and buggies were soon filled to overflowing. Your correspondent had to crawl under a carriage, but he was not there long before the water crawled after him. You can imagine his comfort. Most of the gentlemen and several ladies got what I call a real wetting. We could only laugh at each other and hitch up and pull for home. We are going to try it again one of these days. Will report result of our next. Can't you borrow a buggy (guess you have none of your own) and come down to our next?
Yours,
5TH WARD.

We have heard it said, by several of his opponents, that Gen. King was of northern birth and served in the Federal Army during the late war. To put at rest these wanton and willful misstatements of the facts, the following, from the Congressional Directory, is published: And, if it is not out of place, we will add that "Col. Bob." is not the only man who has "been to college;" neither was he alone in the Confederate army:

J. Floyd King, of Vidalia, was born at Monticello, the private residence of his father, Hon. Thomas Butler King, near the town of St. Mary's, Georgia, April 20, 1842; went to Russell School, New Haven, Connecticut, Bartlett's College Hill School, Poughkeepsie, New York, and the Military Institute of Georgia; prepared for West Point, but was sent to the University of Virginia; entered the Confederate service as a private, served in the Army of Virginia; was promoted through various grades to the rank of Colonel of artillery; at the close of the war refused service in several foreign armies; his property in Georgia being confiscated he removed to Louisiana, where he became interested in and controller of a large plant-

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I am selling for cash, with full set attachments, Sewing Machines as follows:
New American, 2 drawers and drop leaf \$35; agent's price \$40 to \$60.
New Wilson, 2 drawers and drop leaf \$30; agent's price \$40 to \$50.
Singer style, 2 drawers and drop leaf \$27.50; agent's price \$40 to \$50. Plain table \$25.
Have a real beauty in Wilson's 3 drawer No. 5. Come and see it. Wilson, American and Singer needles always on hand.
J. S. HANDY.

If you want groceries at New Orleans prices with freight added, go around to Leopold's.
Croquet sets at Leopold's.

ing interest; during this time he studied law; was made Brigadier-General of State troops by Gov. McEnery, and re-appointed by Gov. Nicholls; was elected Inspector of Levees and President of the Board of School Directors of his District, and also trustee of the University of the South; and was elected to the Forty-sixth Congress as a Democrat, receiving 12,000 majority over John T. Ludeling, Republican.

After Twenty Year's Search.

Mr. Edward Reily, of New York City, found his wife in Newport, Ky., yesterday, after a long and faithful search of twenty years. The story connected with his travels being romantic, we give it in full. In 1861 Edward Reily enlisted in Company G, One Hundredth and Fiftieth Regiment, New York Volunteers. Soon after his enlistment the regiment was ordered to active service. In the battle of Manassas, in 1864, Reily was captured and taken to Libby Prison, where he remained until the end of the war. After he was liberated he returned to New York City in search of the wife he had left, but several days he could find no clue of her whereabouts. He at length learned that she had left New York several years before for Pittsburg, where she had engaged herself as a domestic in a respectable family, but had the misfortune to be the victim of a coal oil disaster, and was buried in a graveyard near the smoky city. Mr. Reily searched the city over, but could find nothing that would establish the truth of the above story. He did not give up, but like a devoted husband, concluded to search for her until death overcame his exertions. Mrs. Reily had supposed that her husband was a victim of a leaden missile, and with her children came to Newport, Ky., where she had a brother living by the name of Patrick Mullen. Yesterday morning about eight o'clock who should walk into the house but her husband! Her consternation was indescribable. She recognized the familiar face, although changed by time and trouble. The usual embracing, tear-shedding, hand-shaking, etc., followed the meeting, and the happy twain were in the seventh heaven of felicitous enjoyment of life's blessings. Their son, now married, was overjoyed at seeing his long-lost father, and the happy family group was as beautiful a spectacle as eye ever witnessed.—[Cincinnati Enquirer, June 21.]

"What shall I bring for your desert sir?" said a polite waiter at a fashionable hotel, as he commenced moving a formidable array of empty dishes from before a guest, evidently from the rural districts.
"Now, young man," said he, "jest you give me time. All you've got to do now is to fill all these dishes up again the same as they were before, and bring 'em here. By-'em-by we'll talk about yer pies and yer puddins."

I Have for Sale at a Bargain
2 young mules, over 15 hands high.
6 open and 6 top buggies.
2 two-horse double-seat buggies.
1 one-horse wagon and 5 two-horse wagons under New Orleans prices.
J. S. HANDY.

WHY GARFIELD SHOULD NOT WITHDRAW.

The Philadelphia Times winds up a long article, written to show why Garfield should not retire from the race, as follows:

That the nomination of Gen. Hancock has made the situation more discouraging is not to be denied. Garfield would have made a hopeful fight against Tilden. Honors would have been easy between cipher dispatches, the Credit Mobilier, De Golyer and the income tax. If Bayard had been the man the contrast between the candidates would have been great, but the bloody shirt would have covered the weak spots in Garfield's record. Against almost any other candidate than Hancock there would have been a good chance for Garfield. But Hancock's stainless record as a soldier and a statesman, his positive ability and personal popularity have given the Democrats a remarkable start in the race. It is not even possible to push Garfield on his military career. The greater obscures the less. Chickamauga is eclipsed by Gettysburg. There seems nothing left but to run Garfield on his record as a canal boatman and as an Ohioan who is not too much like Hayes. Already the Democrats have declared their policy to be aggression, aggression, aggression, and that of the Republicans must be defense, defense, defense.

Still, while there is life there is hope. We entreat depressed Republicans to wait until Garfield can make himself heard. His letter of acceptance is not yet written, and there is no knowing what splendid keynote he may sound. He may choose that instrument as the means of striking his calumniators dumb with a new and satisfactory explanation of all the charges that are piled up against him. It may be shown that his relations with De Golyer were those of a Christian brother, and that he went into the Credit Mobilier business simply to find out how such things were done and then to expose its rascality. Or it may be shown that both De Golyer and Oak Ames are myths of partisan manufacture. In either event the vindication of this persecuted man would become the supreme duty of the American people, and what a glorious rallying cry "vindication" would make.

If confidence is not withheld from their standard-bearer all may yet be well with the Republicans. At any rate, let there be no talk of with-drawing him before he has had a chance to accept the nomination. Such haste is cowardly and indecent.

"Where have you been, Pat, that you are dressed up so smart?"
"Sure an'. I've been to a marriage in high life."
"In high life, indeed; was it among the quality ye were?"
"I was; the bride and groom got as drunk as Mrs. O'Leary's cow, an' if that wasn't high life I don't know."

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