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A MERRY CHRISTMAS to all.

THE wind storms continue in the halls of congress.

THE woman who paints is not necessarily an artist.

REMEMBER that it is more blessed to give than to receive.

THE sea serpent is frequently seen by the fabulous individual.

GRAVEYARDS are full of men who do not advertise. Don't be buried alive.

THE difference between one glass of beer and two glasses of beer is five cents.

THE other day, U. P. spelled "down" when the Union Pacifics took a plunge.

THE festive bovine will go to jail if she loafs on the street at night after this day.

WEDNESDAY night was one time that "A COLD DAY" was given a warm reception.

IF the weather keeps up, it will be as bright on Christmas day as the children's faces.

SENATOR HILL strongly advocates the passage of the Cloture bill. Is Davie reforming?

WHEN a horse thief is captured he resembles a horse in that he generally wears a halter.

IT is needless to say that Allen, of Nebraska, and Peffer, of Kansas, are against Cloture.

JUDGING from the height of some of the new style collars, the makers must use a giraffe for model.

PRESIDENT CLEVELAND is on a hunting expedition in South Carolina. He is much improved in health.

IMMIGRATION continues to pour into Lake Charles. What a grand retrospect to make, two years hence!

THE final knock out blow was given pugilism in Louisiana when Bowen was killed in the ring last Friday.

THE Japanese are explaining their cruelty to the Chinese at Port Arthur. It was only a case of tit for tat.

LET us not forget that there are some poor people who we can make happy by giving them what we can afford.

THE republicans get their Christmas on December 6, but of course, they will celebrate again. 'Twas ever thus.

IT took council a very short time and less talk to kill the light contract extension ordinance on Monday night.

NERO is said to have fiddled while Rome burned. "The Black Crook" fiddler caused the people's ears to burn.

DR. PARKHURST has not had anything to say lately because he is resting. Wait until his fatigue is allayed and there will be more tiger for flying.

THE coroner's jury blames the Auditorium Club for Bowen's death. The club will probably blame the hard floor. Who will the floor blame?

IN another column will be found an interesting excerpt from the report of Honorable John De Witt Warner on the workings of the sugar trust.

THE difference between the electric lights in this city and the contract on same is that the former expire every morning and the latter in twelve years.

THE socialist members of the Reichstag, who refused to cheer for the Emperor, do not believe in the Arab proverb, that speech is silver, silence golden.

IT is generally understood that council intends making the Electric Light Company furnish better power, the present supply being far below 800 candle power.

IF the Electric Light Company does not furnish 800-candle power as per contract, why should they be paid, any more than any other concern failing to comply with provisions of agreement?

IN a prize fight at New Orleans, last Friday night, Arthur Bowen was killed by being knocked down and sustaining concussion of the brain. George Lavigne, his opponent, killed him with a terrible blow on the jaw.

IT looks as if the N. O. *States* would have to enter into a contest with the *Picayune* and *Times-Democrat*. The morning dailies are trying to enjoin their evening contemporary from using the Southern Associated Press service, but the States doesn't enjoin worth a cent, and the fight may become a serious one.

THE entire community is thankful to the members of the city council who so properly and deservedly voted against an extension of the electric light contract. If the gentlemen render many more such public services, they shall fully merit the high place and confidence of the people so unstintedly given to such serviceable citizens.

A GAME OF FREEZE OUT.

The Lake Charles Ice, Light and Water Works Company indignantly refute the charge made against them by the ECHO that the said company has a monopoly.

One little instance will be given which will, in the minds of all fair-minded citizens, bear out the ECHO in its statement:

Last summer that company was selling ice at the rate of 75cts. and $1.00 per 100 pounds, according to quantity, and the people of Lake Charles paid the ice for it.

Mr. J. S. Foster, a son-in-law of the Honorable Geo. H. Wells, of this city, went into the ice business about the month of May. He ordered his ice from the Orange Ice and Lighting Co.

No sooner did the Lake Charles Company learn of his being in business than they issued a circular announcing that they would furnish ice at 30cts. and 50cts. per 100 pounds.

Foster was then paying 25cts. per 100 for the frozen article, and when one takes into consideration, shrinkage, waste, etc., it will be readily seen that unless he manufactured the article himself, he could not meet the Lake Charles Company's figures.

Still, he continued selling, and when the Lake Charles Company saw that undersELLING did not work, they went further.

The New Orleans Brewing Association, of New Orleans, was utilizing one of the Lake Charles Company's ice houses as store room for their beer and paid a liberal rental for same. The majority of the stock of the Orange Ice and Lighting Company is owned by the New Orleans Brewing Association. The brewing company's agent informed the Orange company that his concern would take every pound of surplus ice they manufactured, *provided* none was shipped to Lake Charles.

What interest did the New Orleans brewery have in the matter? Simply that they needed cold storage in Lake Charles, and deemed it advisable to cater to the Lake Charles Ice, Light and Water Works Company. At any rate, Foster was frozen out in every sense of the word, and after this neat little coup had been accomplished and he went out or was driven out of business, the Lake Charles Company sent the prices up like rockets, and in order to buy ice in Lake Charles one had to pay 60cts. and 80cts. per 100 for it or not get it.

The public can draw its own inferences and call the game what it will, but to a man up a tree, it looks very much like "freeze out."

FOOTBALL BRUTALITY.

It had been announced that the game of football which, last season had been declared so brutal as to be a most dangerous one, had been amended, and the rules governing the now national college pastime, revised so that this year's sport on the gridiron would be almost too mild.

If that is the case, then, those who play the game are members of murder and suicide clubs, for never before was the list of casualties and fatalities as long as they were this year.

To such an extent was it beat? that Inspector Byrnes notified the players of the Yale-Princeton clubs that no undue violence or ruffianism would be tolerated during the game. It must have been tough, indeed, when the New York police threatened to interfere!

Now the pulpit is pouncing on the festive ballists, and the Reverend Madison C. Peters, of New York, speaking recently on the subject of athletics, said in his prelude:

"We go to Christmas in everything. We make hard work of our holidays, and we are always glad to get home to rest after the dissipation of our recreations. The ball games which, a few years ago promised so much for the physical manhood of the overworked has been speedily degraded into a craze, so that the game as now conducted has become the great national nuisance. I am an enthusiast for athletics. The gymnasium of today will prevent the dyspepsia of tomorrow, but I protest against smashing noses, breaking fingers and kicking souls out of men's bodies in the name of athletics. The gladiatorial shows of Rome, the bull fights of Spain and our prize fights are refinement compared with the football brutality of today. Every sensible man commends a moderate use of games and sports, but have we not gone to excesses in our play? We spend so much time and money on our sports that the question arises, 'Whither is this tendency leading?'"

That is precisely the question, Whither is this tendency leading? If, instead of advancing we are going back to the Nero period, then the football game of today is just what we want; but, if on the other hand, it is simply healthgiving and recreative exercise we seek, to counteract the sedentary propensities conducive to study, then let some thing be found which at the end of each game, will not threaten to conclude with a coroner's inquest.

OUR HOLIDAY SUPPLEMENT.

Christmas comes but once a year, and when it does roll around, it brings with it an atmosphere of peace and good will.

The time-honored custom of looking for Santa Claus is still extant, although that charming guilelessness which characterized the children of days gone by has been replaced by the more prosaic phlegm of the nineteenth century youth. There are yet some little ones though who hang up their stocking and look up the chimney, wondering the while how the dear old patron saint will manage to squeeze himself through the narrow flue. And then, full of excitement, they retire early in order that the ordeal may be the sooner over. What delight on the morn when Christ the Lord was born, and thus redeemed the world, those young ones ope their eyes and see the array of pretty toys and good things which Santa Claus has placed for them.

Verily, it is more blessed to give than to receive, and the ECHO appreciating this fully, desires to present its readers with a HOLIDAY SUPPLEMENT.

This beautiful souvenir of the most glorious and holiest of days, it is our hope will be enjoyed by all. Handsome illustrations and entertaining stories, appropriate to the occasion, will aid in whiling away the long winter evening.

In wishing all our friends a most cordial and merry Christmas, we take occasion to thank them for the many favors they have extended to us in the past, and ask that they continue to magnify them in future.

A SOUTH CAROLINA legislator introduced an inviting resolution and offered a gratuitous to the president of the United States. The way he sweated down, or probably made him think the president him self had dropped in for leg.

PRIZE FIGHTING MUST GO.

Tremendous protest, a general crusade has been going on all over the Union against the so-called glove contests, which are in reality, nothing but brutal prize fights, and especially in Louisiana where the law is that no contests shall last longer than twenty-five rounds, so that the pugilists, having a limited time in which to win or lose the mill, go at it with a barbarity and savageness which would have done credit to the gladiators of ancient Rome.

Almost every state has passed stringent laws against prize fighting, and the authorities are seeing that these laws are enforced, and the time is not far distant when pugilists will have to fight in balloons, or on mid-ocean, as the United States will have declared against these brutal exhibitions of so-called science.

Three weeks ago, Robert Fitzsimmons killed his sparring partner, "Con" Riordan in New York alone, and Friday night in New Orleans, Andy Bowen was killed by being knocked down and striking his head against the hard floor. "Kid" Lavigne was his antagonist. Both Bowen and Riordan met similar deaths; concussion of the brain.

It is a well known fact that the chief executive of this state and a number of the state officers are strongly opposed to prize fighting, including the attorney general. This last fatal termination of a "glove contest" adds another blot to the fair name of this state, and at the same time it will have a salutary effect, in that it will rouse the erstwhile lethargic legislators to a keen sense of duty, and the proper legislation will be enacted by which pugilism will be prohibited in this state as it is in so many others.

"Prof." John Duffy, who refereed the Bowen-Lavigne slaughtering match, has the nerve to say, in an interview with a *Times-Democrat* reporter, that men were killed in gladiatorial contests, and he sees no difference between then and now. "Professor" Duffy may not, but the civilized world does, and that is just the reason why the civilized world objects and protests.

Let it be hoped that the last of prize fighting has been seen in New Orleans and in Louisiana, and when legislation will have been directed to pass as stringent laws against it as obtain in other states, then will Louisiana have redeemed herself.

MEDICAL BOOKS FREE.

Valuable Information for the Invalid or Student.

Any one of the following described books will be sent free by the Peruna Drug Manufacturing Company of Columbus, Ohio, to any man or woman of family in the United States, Canada and Mexico during December and January. Orders must be sent in early, as the issue may be exhausted:

1 The Ills of Life—Fourth Edition—A short, plain description of all diseases, and the treatment for each. A complete home guide to health.

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A Financial Bill.

In spite of the opposition and criticisms of the eastern bankers, the house committee on banking and currency are determined to report a financial bill in accordance with the plan reported by Secretary Carlisle. The hearings will close to-morrow and the committee will at once draw up a bill and request the rules committee, which is in perfect accord with it, to report a special order for the immediate disposition of the measure. The leading members of the currency committee say that the bill will be under discussion not later than Tuesday, and it will pass the house before the Christmas holidays.

While the inflation clauses of the secretary's scheme would take effect at once, and might, if fully put into operation, result in a net addition of some $300,000,000 to the volume of our paper money, the contractive clause is dependent upon a very doubtful combination. To set it at work there must be a surplus revenue [illegible] in a so-[illegible] to employ that surplus in the retirement of government notes.—*Boston Herald, Dem.*

Mr. Louis Prade, carpenter and cistern maker will be absent from the city for a few days. During his absence his brother Jos. Prade will have full charge of his business. 1t

Smoke the tobacco Pavia sells, and you'll be thoroughly pleased. 43-1t.

A Quiet Wedding.

On Wednesday evening, Mr. Charles M. Richard and Mrs. Beatrice Rost were married at the residence of Mr. Rollins, seven miles from this city. Owing to the dangerous illness of the bride's sister, the wedding was very quiet, only relatives and intimate friends being present.

The bride and groom were attired in traveling costume. They left on the early morn train, Thursday, for California, and will be absent one month.

The groom is one of the most popular young men in Lake Charles. He is the parish assessor and was recently appointed justice of the peace. The bride is one of the handsomest of Lake Charles' many beautiful women and has always taken the lead in all social affairs.

To Mr. and Mrs. Richard, the ECHO extends hearty congratulations and all manner of good wishes for a very happy and prosperous journey through life.

Racing on Christmas Day.

On Christmas afternoon, at Pleasure Park, some very fine racing will take place, and those in charge promise a rare sport to all who attend. Among the well known horses which will try for honors, are: Dr. A. J. Perkins' pacer, "Texas;" Sol. Bloch's pacer, "May;" C. B. Richard's "Mickie" and other well known celebrities.

The event of the day will be a race between Red Tom and Tip Tyler and Dick.

Messrs. C. H. Winterhaler and Geo. H. Woolman have charge of the tickets, and Mr. E. F. Wasey will look after the racing. The first race will start at 2 p. m.

Admission will be 40 cents for adults and 15 cents for children under twelve years.

Ample accommodation will be furnished by the dummy line for transporting crowds to and from the park.

Christmas Trees.

The little ones will have jolly times next week, and the churches intend giving Christmas trees upon whose branches will hang presents for the children.

The First Presbyterian church will have its tree on Wednesday, December 26, and the church of the Good Shepherd, (Episcopal) will celebrate on Thursday, the 27th.

On Christmas day services will be held in all the churches, and fine music will be rendered.

An Attractive Advertisement.

Col. Mason, proprietor of the Hotel Howard, has gotten up a very neat and attractive advertisement. It consists of a photograph of the Howard, 8x10 inches in size, and on the borders of the card, the praises of this fine hostelry are lauded in big black type.

Among those standing on the porch may be plainly discerned Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Miller, Mr. W. M. Cross, of Chicago, Col. Mason, his children and the night clerk.

Died From her Injuries.

Mrs. George Deaton, who was so terribly burned at her residence on Kirby street last Thursday while filling a reservoir of gasoline, died from her injuries on Saturday evening. It was a most distressing accident, and the unfortunate lady, who stood very high in the community, died in great pain. The sympathies of all are extended the bereaved husband.

Justice Dees Resigns.

Justice of the Peace Ely H. Dees has tendered his resignation for that office to take effect at once. Mr. Dees gives as reason that his other duties do not permit his giving the office the attention it demands.

Mr. C. B. Richard has been appointed to succeed Mr. Dees, but has not yet qualified.

"Christmas mixture," is what you must call for when you go to Avgerino's. 43-1t

Cheap Mules.

Mess. Sparks Bros. & Flood, of the Kansas City Sale Stables, Nos. 327 to 334 Bryanden St., New Orleans, have just purchased from the street car companies over three hundred head of comparatively young and sound mules at a very low figure. These mules were not sold because of any fault, but on account of the companies adopting electricity as a motive power. They are selling mules like hot cakes at from $15 up to get rid of them as soon as possible. Don't delay if you desire to get a number of mules cheap. They are just the thing to make cheap cotton and rice with. 42-3t.

How's This.

We offer one hundred dollars reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

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BRIDGE CUT DOWN.

A Steamboat Destroyed the Draw Over the Nezpique Bayou.

Mr. G. M. Gossett, parish superintendent of public roads, was summoned to Jennings by Mr. S. Marquart, a member of the police jury, on Monday to examine the bridge over the Nezpique bayou, which had fallen into the bayou.

Upon examination, it was learned that a steamboat coming along the bayou, finding that the "telescope" bridge did not slide satisfactorily, deliberately cut away the bridge and caused it to fall in the water, thus impeding traffic between the two shores.

As the bridge rests on the Calcasieu side, it is very probable that the authorities will take proper steps to have the malicious offenders prosecuted to the full extent. There is a fine of $50 for damaging a bridge in any way.

The people in the vicinity are justly incensed over the deed and pray that something be done in the premises.

The bridge is one hundred and fifty feet long, and has a draw of twenty-four feet. It is very much needed. It joins Acadia parish with Calcasieu.

The damage will be repaired as soon as practicable.

THE MASONS.

At Their Regular Meeting Saturday, Officers Were Elected.

On last Saturday evening, Lodge No. 165, F. & A. Masons, met in regular session and elected the following officers to serve during the ensuing year: Worshipful Master, Thos. R. Reynolds; Senior Warden, Dennis Foster; Junior Warden, Adolph Meyer; Secretary, Sim. Marx; Tyler, Jos. Walker.

The election of Mr. Reynolds to the office of W. M., is a deserved compliment to that gentleman. He is one of the oldest masons in the state, and for several years held the office to which he was again elected last Saturday evening. He is an enthusiastic mason, and always gives universal satisfaction in the discharge of his duties.

On next Saturday evening, at 7:30 o'clock, the installation of officers will take place, and, in addition to this, Dr. C. T. Himes, of New Orleans, Right Worthy Grand Lecturer, who has been invited specially for this occasion, will deliver a lecture. Every mason in good standing is urged to be present.

THE STOCK ORDINANCE.

It Goes Into Effect Today, and Woe to Roaming Cattle.

Today, or rather tonight, after 7 o'clock, any cattle, horses, mules, or other stock found roaming at large will be impounded in the city pound at owner's expense.

Following are the limits where the animals cannot wander around:

Bounded on the north by the main line of the Southern Pacific railroad track, on the east by the Kansas City, Watkins & Gulf railway track, on the south by Pithon Coulee and Seventh street, on the west by the lake.

Mayor Crowley has caused to be distributed, circulars notifying citizens of the ordinance, and warning them that it will be rigidly enforced.

The pound is located corner of Kirkman and Broad streets.

THE BLACK CROOK.

Crowded House Enjoyed a Good Performance of That old Standby.

The "Black Crook," with all its tinsel, calcium lights, tights, and pretty girls in them, held the boards at Sullivan's opera house Monday night. There was standing room only, and the audience was a thoroughly representative one.

The ballets were very well executed, and the performance was given in its entirety, nothing being omitted. The two premiere danseuses Mlle. Saracco and Mlle. Craska, performed some wonderful *pas seals*, and were repeatedly encored.

The Mahar Sisters, in their "Danse Eccentrique," were unique, to say the least, and have probably few equals in the high kicking line.

Everybody went away pleased, and the only thing lacking was an orchestra, the violinist being compelled to scrape painfully through every dance and song without the shadow of an accompaniment. He must have felt decidedly lonesome.

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Extra Heavy Quality Silk Handkerchiefs, all colors, large size, reduced to - - - - - - 50cts. each
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Imported Henrietta, Silk Finish, all wool, 44 in. reduced to 85c. a yd.
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We have just received a lot of the celebrated Bay State Shoe & Leather Co.'s Button Shoes, Plain Kid, Cloth Top, etc., to go at - - - - - - - $2.50 a pr.
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Sheriff's Sale.

Twelfth Judicial District Court, Parish of Calcasieu, State of Louisiana.—No. 2236.

The R. Rothchilds Sons Company vs. John T. Hammock.

BY VIRTUE of a writ of fieri facias issued and to me directed by the honorable court aforesaid, I have seized and will offer for sale, at public auction, to the last and highest bidder with the benefit of appraisement at the Westlake Exchange Saloon, in the village of Westlake, Calcasieu Parish, La., on

Saturday, January 5th, 1895,

between legal hours, the following described property, situated in the parish of Calcasieu, State of Louisiana, and described as follows, towit:

The furniture and fixtures of the Westlake Exchange Saloon.

Seized under said writ.

Terms:—Cash.

DAVID J. REID,
Sheriff of Calcasieu Parish, La.

Sheriff's Office, Lake Charles, La., December 20, 1894.

A. P. Fuje & P. A. Sompayrac, Esqs., Attorneys for Plaintiff. 43-3t.

Sheriff's Sale.

Twelfth Judicial District Court, Parish of Calcasieu, State of Louisiana.—No. 3669.

Margaret E. Bell, Administratrix, vs. Walter B. Barrett.

BY VIRTUE of an alias writ of fieri facias issued and to me directed, by the honorable court aforesaid, I have seized, and will offer for sale, at public auction, to the last and highest bidder, without the benefit of appraisement, at the court house door of this parish, in the city of Lake Charles, La., on

Saturday, January 26th, 1895,

between legal hours, the following described property, situated in the parish of Calcasieu, State of Louisiana, and described as follows, towit:

Commencing 77½ feet east of the SW corner of Lot No. 6 of Block No. 7 of the Borrhage addition to the city of Lake Charles, thence east along the south line of said Lot No. 6, to the right-of-way to the K. C. W. & Gulf Railway, thence north along said right-of-way to the north line of Lot No. 7 of Block No. 7, thence west along the north line of Lot No. 7 to a point 77½ feet east of the Northwest corner of said Lot No. 7, thence south to the point of beginning, together with the buildings and improvements thereon.

Seized under said writ.

Terms:—Cash.

DAVID J. REID,
Sheriff of Calcasieu Parish, La.

Sheriff's Office, Lake Charles, La., December 20th, 1894.

S. D. Read, Esq., Attorney for Plaintiff. 43-6t

Constable's Sale.

Third Justice's Court, Parish of Calcasieu, State of Louisiana.—No.

DREW & POWELL vs. JOHN M. REID.

BY VIRTUE of a writ of fieri facias issued and to me directed by the honorable court aforesaid, I have seized, and will offer for sale, at public auction, to the last and highest bidder, with the benefit of appraisement, at the court house door of this parish, in the city of Lake Charles, La., on

Saturday, January 26th, 1895,

between legal hours, the following described property, situated in the parish of Calcasieu, towit:

The SW¼ of NE¼ Sec. 12, Tp. 8 S., R. 7 W., and SE¼ of NE¼ Sec. 15, Tp. 9 S., R. 7 west, eighty acres, more or less.

Seized under said writ.

Terms:—Cash.

D. S. A. HARMAN,
Constable Third Ward, Calcasieu Parish, La.

Lake Charles, La., Dec. 19th, 1894. 43-6t

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