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THE ALL ELECTION.

FOR CONGRESS.

We are authorized to announce Col. M. W. ALLEN, of West Baton Rouge, as a candidate for Congress of the Confederate States for the Fourth Congressional District, composed of the Parishes of West Feliciana, Point Coupee, St. Landry, Lafayette, Vermilion, West Baton Rouge, Iberville, St. Mary and St. Martin.

FOR AUDITOR.

We are authorized to announce BYTHELL HAYNES, of Clinton, as a Candidate for Auditor of Public Accounts at the ensuing Fall Election.

We are authorized to announce H. PERALTA, of East Baton Rouge, as a Candidate for Auditor of Public Accounts.

FOR ASSESSOR.

Mr. Editor: Please announce the name of T. ROBERT VERGUIS, Esq., as a Democratic Candidate for Assessor for the parish of Iberville, subject to the State Rights Democratic Convention.

We are authorized to announce ERNEST CALERY, the present incumbent, as a Candidate for reelection to the office of Assessor, subject to the decision of the State Rights Democratic Convention.

We are requested to announce JOHN A. DANOS, Esq., as a Candidate for the office of Assessor of this parish.

FOR SHERIFF.

We are authorized to announce Joseph H. Erwin, Esq., as a candidate for the office of Sheriff of this Parish at the next November election.

Mr. Editor: You will please announce J. L. PETIT, as a Candidate for Sheriff, subject to the decision of the State Rights Democratic Convention.

FOR RECORDER.

We are authorized to announce EMILE RIVERIE, as a candidate for Recorder, of this Parish, at the ensuing Fall election.

Mr. Editor: You will please announce the name of ADOLPHE HERBERT, Esq., as a Candidate for the office of Recorder of the parish of Iberville, subject to the decision of the State Rights Democratic Convention.

Superintendent of Public Education.

We are requested to announce HENRY AVERY, the present Superintendent of Public Education, as a Candidate for re-election.

New Advertisements.

Extra Meeting of Police Jury.

The Members of the Police Jury of the Parish of Iberville, are requested to attend an extra meeting to be held on next Thursday, the 1st day of August, 1861. By order of J. A. DARDENNE, Pres. of the Police Jury, Iberville, July 25th, '61.

NOTICE.

THE Commissioned and Non-Commissioned Officers of the Iberville Regiment, are requested by Major-General Commanding the 2nd Division La. Militia, to meet on Monday, the 29th inst., at 5 o'clock, P. M., at the Court House of this Parish, for the purpose of organizing a School of Instruction. Iberville, July 25th, '61.

NOTICE.

ALL persons indebted to the undersigned, will please call and settle, as the Mail Contractors need the money due them from this office, and must have it. P. E. JENNINGS, Postmaster. Plaquemine, July 27th—1861.

RUNAWAY IN PRISON.

WAS committed to jail, by JOHN WAKER, claiming to be Robert Wilkinson, of the English Turn, Parish of Plaquemine. John is about 26 years old; 5 ft. 7 or 8 in. high; straight; plain spoken; gruff; will weigh about 135 lbs. The owner is hereby notified to reclaim said Slave in the manner required by law. THEO. BLANCHARD, Sheriff.

ATE conduit à la geole le negre JOHN A. WAKER, d'isant appartenir à Robt. Wilkinson, de "Tour des Anzais," Paroisse de Plaquemine. John est un griff; agé de 26ans; 5 pieds 7 à 8 pouces de taille; de bel apparence et d'un poids d'environ 135 livres. Le propriétaire est notifié de le réclamer comme un esclave. THEO. BLANCHARD, Sheriff.

NEW TEXAS AND TENNESSEE FLOUR, just received and for sale by CHAS. N. ROTH & CO.

New Advertisements. SPECIAL NOTICES.

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New Advertisements.

SOSTHENE LEONARD, you are hereby notified to increase the base of your levee, and to raise it two feet above the high water mark. The other portion of your levee must have the base increased and raised to the same height; to clear your road and levee of all weeds, logs, trees and other obstructions; to fill up the low places in your road, and make your road 18 feet wide. The above work must be completed by the 15th of Oct. next, 1861, in conformity with the Road and Levee Ordinances of the Parish of Iberville.

G. T. TULLIER, Commissary of Road & Levee—19 Dist. Grand River, July 25th, '61.

J. POWELL and JOHN SLIDELL, you are hereby notified to clear your road and levee of all weeds, bushes, trees, and other obstructions; and to fill up with earth the low places in your road, and to make your road 18 feet wide between the ditches. The above work must be completed by the 15th of Oct. next, '61, in conformity with the Road and Levee Ordinances of the Parish of Iberville.

G. T. TULLIER, Commissary of Road & Levee—19 Dist. Grand River, July 25th, '61.

J. POWELL, you are hereby notified to repair your road and levee on Lat. No. by the 15th of Oct. next, in conformity with the Road and Levee Ordinances of the Parish of Iberville.

G. T. TULLIER, Commissary of Road & Levee—19 Dist. Grand River, July 25th, '61.

MICHEL HERBERT, you are hereby notified to repair your levee; to clear your road and levee of all weeds, logs, trees, and other obstructions; and to make your road 18 feet wide between the ditches. The above work must be completed by the 15th of Oct. next, 1861, in conformity with the Road and Levee Ordinances of the Parish of Iberville.

G. T. TULLIER, Commissary of Road & Levee—19 Dist. Grand River, July 25th, '61.

J. H. RILEY, you are hereby notified to increase the base of your levee, and to raise it two feet above the high water mark; to clear your road and levee of all weeds, bushes, trees, logs and other obstructions; and to make your road 18 feet wide between the ditches. The above work must be completed by the 15th of Oct. next, 1861, in conformity with the Road and Levee Ordinances of the Parish of Iberville.

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MRS. CHRISTOPHER ADAMS, you are hereby notified to drain and repair your road, and to repair it in some, in compliance with the law, by the 15th of October next, '61.

GEO. MITCHELLE, Road Inspector—23rd Dist. Grand River, July 11th, '61.

HENRY E. LAWRENCE, Esq., you are hereby notified to drain and repair your road and levee by the 15th of Oct. next, '61, in accordance with the law.

GEO. MITCHELLE, Road Inspector—Dis. 23. Grand River, July 11th, '61.

THE Heirs of Estate of A. G. Stringer—you are hereby notified to drain and repair road and levee of the above Estate, by the 15th of Oct. next, in accordance with the law.

GEO. MITCHELLE, Road Inspector—Dis. 23. Grand River, July 11th, '61.

I HAVE been ordered by Adjutant-General Gervais, to collect all the OLD MUSKETS, RIFLES, CARTRIDGE BOXES, and other arms and equipments belonging to the State, that may be found in this parish, and them placed in some safe depot, ready for use or transportation whenever orders are received from Headquarters.

There are 60 or more old U. S. Flint Muskets, formerly used by Capt. Hacker's Company, that are now scattered throughout the parish. It is expected that all these who may have one or more of them in their possession, will deliver them up immediately.

I am also requested to obtain all the old arms that may be in the hands of private individuals, that they do not want, provided they will sell them at a reasonable price, or provide their portmanteau shall prompt them to give them to the State. None are desired unless they can be made, by re-pointing, fit for the field.

The Government will not be in a condition to pay for these arms immediately. Such persons as are not disposed to give their old shot guns, rifles, &c., to the government, will receive a certificate of the kind or arm furnished by them and its value, and at the end of the war, will be paid on presentation of the certificate, or have the arms returned to them with repairs.

It is to be hoped that this appeal from the Governor to the good people of our parish, will cause every true and patriotic man to come forward and offer what is now so much needed in defense of our cause.

Messrs. Roth & Deblieux will take charge of all that is left with them, and the names of the donors.

GERVAIS SCHLATTER, Col. Commanding—Iberville Regt. La. Militia July 27.

State of Louisiana—Parish of Iberville—5th Judicial District Court.

In Matter of Estate of G. Theodule Babin, dec'd.

WHEREAS: Euphemie Orelina Babin has this day filed in the Court her account of administration of the Estate of G. Theodule Babin, dec'd, in her capacity of natural tutor and ex-officio Administratrix.

Not being hereby given to all whom it may concern to show cause within thirty days from the date, why the said Tableau of Administration aforesaid, should not be homologated and made a judgment of this Court.

Iberville, July 25, 1861.

M. A. ESTEVAN, Clerk.

Etat de la Louisiane—Paroisse d'Iberville—Cour du 5me. District Judiciaire.

Dans la Succession de feu G. THEODULE BABIN, dec'd.

ATTENDU que Euphemie Orelina Babin a ce jour deposé en cette Cour son Tableau d'administration de la succession de feu G. Theodule Babin, en sa capacité de tutrice naturelle et ex-officio administratrix.

Avant être par le présent donné à tous ceux que cela concerne de deduire sans trente jours de la date de ce present les raisons pour lesquelles ils ne seraient pas homologués et fait le jugement de cette Cour.

Iberville, le Juillet 25, 1861.

M. A. ESTEVAN, Greffier.

PLAQUEMIN: SATURDAY, JULY 21st, 1861.

OUR WAR TERM.

As the necessities of life, and moral for conducting our paper, cannot now be obtained without cash, we are forced to publish the following as our available terms, until business goes back into its accustomed channel, and confidence is once more restored:

All misstatements or transient advertisements—of persons not advertising by the year—must be paid for when presented for insertion.

Legal advertisements, such as Sheriff's and Succession Sales, are due on the day of sale.

Positions for Administrators, and advertisements of homology notices, must be paid in advance, or guaranteed by a responsible name—the first, but they will be paid some time or other, and the later, at the end of the thirty days for which they are advertised.

Continued indisposition of the editor, makes it impossible for him to issue such a paper as he would desire. An enlargement to a size greater than any ever issued in this place, will follow his restoration to the duties of his office. There are evidences that this will occur in a short time. Will our friends bear with us.

Thanksgiving.

When the news of the battle of Manassas reached Richmond, the Confederate Congress passed a set of beautiful resolutions recognizing the hand of Providence, and recommending the people to observe to-morrow as a day of thanksgiving, by appropriate religious exercises.

We hope that our people will engage in the services of the day with humble and reverent hearts, and offer up their sacrifice of thanksgiving to Him who has shrouded upon us so many blessings in our holy struggle for independence.

YOUNG M. McLELLIN.—This young gentleman from Woodville, Miss., and lately engaged in this place as a teacher, it is feared, is one of the victims of the late hard-fought field of Manassas. He left here to join Capt. SRAVE'S (a Nephew of Jeff. Davis) Woodville Company, all of whom excepting 15, including its Captain, sacrificed their lives in the holy cause in which they were engaged. This company was a portion of Wheeler's, all but a hundred of which was killed, and the Commander probably mortally wounded.

Our friends will please send in their advertisements early in the week—a number coming in at the end of the week, causing the present delay in the issue of our paper.

THE GREAT VICTORY.

Our columns to day contain as full accounts of the great battle fought at Manassas Junction on Sunday last, as we could glean from the reports that have come to hand. The details of the engagement so far are but partial. The number of troops engaged on each side, and the number of killed and wounded, cannot be known with certainty until further accounts are received. Enough is known, however, to make it certain, that both armies were very large; that the loss on both sides, particularly on the part of the Federals, was frightful; and that our gallant soldiers have achieved a complete victory which has never had its parallel in the history of modern warfare.

The South-ern troops under the command of our loved and honored President, and our gallant Generals, have scattered the fleeing wretches of the Black Republican government, and have driven them back, over the bodies of their own dead and wounded, to the position they held before the commencement of that boasted march, which they fondly hoped would lead them into the heart of the Southern Confederacy.

It is impossible to overestimate the importance of this engagement. For months the Federals have been concentrating an army composed of the flower of the Northern manhood, until it had reached such dimensions that their most sagacious generals believed it impregnable by any force that the South was able to bring against it. The goal that overcasts the whole North, shows that the proud spirit of the people has been subdued; that they have lost the prestige of victory, and that it will be an uphill work with them until the end of the war. It is useless for Mr. Cameron to tell them to take courage and repair their misfortunes; they can never again fight with earnestness, with the vision of the terrible carnage at Manassas before their eyes. The country will lose its credit in the eyes of the world; the enlistment of 20,000 men and the raising of \$100,000,000 will be a much more difficult matter than the passage of a resolution by a servile Congress.

We can hardly hope that the end of the war is near at hand, even though the enemy has met with such a severe repulse. As long as there are left any hopes of accomplishing their purposes they will carry on war and no longer. They will submit only when the South has whipped them into submission. But whether they fight or not, either the war be long or short, let us take less courage and, with a firm reliance upon beneficent Providence, let us not entertain a doubt that we shall bring this war to a triumphant termination, and be recognized by the world as a sovereign, free and independent nation.

SOME OF THE MEN IN WISSE'S LEGION.—The Richmond Dispatch says there are some very notable gentlemen in