

Local News.

Hats, ties and men's furnishings of all kinds at Schmulen's.

Rev. Father Baulard left for New Orleans where he will spend a few days.

Miss Rina Patin of Breaux Bridge visited her friend Miss Monique Lacoste last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Crow Girard returned from Hot Springs, Ark., where they spent two months.

Schmulen has a large line of very stylish suits and at prices to please everybody.

Buildings are going up in all parts of the town.

Last Monday quite a nice shower fell, not enough to do any damage to the open cotton, but plenty to lay the dust and cool off the hot weather, which had become almost unbearable.

Good coffee at 8 1-3 cents a pound at Broussard Bros.

We bought cheap, we selected well, our store is full, and you will have the benefit in low prices and good goods with a large variety to choose from at Schmulen's.

Mr. Archie Morgan resigned his position with the Racket Store and will associate with his brother Eben Morgan in the feed business.

Miss Irma Mouton visited friends in St. Martinville, during the week.

Mr. J. C. Nickerson made a flying trip to Jennings last Monday.

The prettiest line of ties in town at the Lafayette Clothing House.

Broussard Bros. pay the highest market price for country produce, cash or in trade.

Mr. L. C. Gremillon of Avoyelles parish was in town Monday and will probably locate in Lafayette.

Shoes to fit your feet, and made by the best makers at the Lafayette Clothing Store.

Mr. Jules Alcimore, the proprietor of the Louisiana Restaurant at New Orleans spent a few days with relatives in Lafayette.

Clark, the photographer, is doing a fine business.

M. Pfarrer, the tailor, has just received a fine line of piece goods. He earnestly solicits the inspection of same. Cleaning and repairing, a specialty.

A. L. Dyer of Royville, has a few bargains left in Men's Summer Clothing, Ladies dress goods, outing and trimming hats, which he is closing out at a great sacrifice to give room for fall and winter goods which will soon commence arriving from New York.

If you want to be well dressed, buy one of those stylish, well made suits for all wear at the Lafayette Clothing House.

The Advertiser acknowledge receipt of an invitation to the ball to be given at Scott tomorrow, at Morvant's Hall. This ball promises to be a swell affair.

Don't miss the races at Carencro to-morrow. They will be very interesting and good horses will take part.

A well shaped hat improves one's appearance a hundred percent. Get one of the Lafayette Clothing Store.

Clark the photographer, has one of the best equipped studios in the state.

For fifty cents you can buy a map of the Lafayette Oil Field at J. C. Nickerson real estate office.

If you want first class work, see Clark, the photographer.

Miss Hilda Clark of Crowley spent Tuesday in town, as the guest of Miss Anna Hopkins.

Misses B. and V. Cocke returned to Franklin Wednesday accompanied by their cousin Miss Maxim Beraud.

Mrs. Vavasour Mouton spent several days this week in St. Martinville visiting friends.

F. F. Carter, the photographer has received a new line of scenic backgrounds.

Mr. J. Davidson left Monday for Pass Christian where he will spend a few days.

Miss Inez Rushing after spending several days with relatives, in Lafayette returned to Alexandria Wednesday.

See the great bargain Nicholson and Denbo are offering in their grand combination buggy. Two buggies for the price of one. You can have a handsome top buggy if you desire or by simply removing top and body, you can replace same by another which goes with it, and make an elegant trap for an evening drive, call and see how it works.

An elegant new line of picture frames of different sizes, at F. F. Carter, the photographer's.

Last Sunday night a thief entered the room of Mayer, a cigar drummer, at the Rigues House, through the window, and relieved that gentleman of a box of cigars and a fine diamond ring, which he wore on his finger. Mr. Mayer says the thief chloroformed him in order to take the ring from his finger. No clew as to the robber has been discovered.

A nice frame adds greatly to a picture. Buy one from Clark, the photographer.

Married.

Mr. N. J. Clesi of New Orleans and Miss Victoria Price were married at St. John's Catholic church, Wednesday, Sept. 3. Rev. Father Forge officiating. A large crowd of friends were present at the ceremony. Mr. J. J. Castello was best man and Miss Florence Price was the charming bridesmaid, Miss Francis Clark extra bridesmaid. The newly wedded pair left on the night train for New Orleans which will be their future home.

To both the Advertiser extends best wishes for their future happiness.

Opening of the Public School.

The public schools had a very flattering opening last Monday, although it rained nearly all the morning. At the High School nearly 100 pupils presented themselves for enrollment, and an equal number at the Primary school.

A very unfortunate accident happened at the Oil Mill on Thursday, one the oil burners bursted and a young colored man by the name of Albert Broussard was badly burned about the head and body.

Broussard Bros. are selling a first class A 1 Flour at \$4 49 a barrel.

City Council Proceedings.

Lafayette, La., Sept. 1, 1902. Regular meeting City council was held this day, Mayor C. D. Caffery presiding. Members present, J. O. Mouton, A. E. Mouton, G. A. DeBlanc, H. Hohorst, F. Demanade, absent F. E. Girard.

The minutes of previous meeting were approved as read.

The W. & J. committee reported that they had closed contract with Higgins Oil and Fuel Co., for oil for plant for the term of six months at 58c. per barrel delivered beginning Sept. 9th, 1902.

The committee further reported that by removing strainer from well



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carriage riding in the free open air offers exceptional opportunities. But you want an easy riding, comfortable vehicle. That you can choose from a great variety at

W. V. Nicholson's

whose carriages are unsurpassed for pleasure-giving qualities, for beauty and grace of design, for perfection of finish and construction.

For Furniture

- Matting
- Carpets,
- Rugs,
- Mattrasses,
- Springs,
- Mirrors
- Picture Frames
- Curtains
- Table Covers,
- Bed Spreads.
- Wall Paper.



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Leaders of Best Goods at the Lowest Prices.

at plant and putting new strainer and 6in. pipe on inside of well, that they had thereby obtained a supply of water sufficient for present need, and that in their opinion it will be necessary to bore a new well in order to obtain the quantity of water necessary for general use in town.

The following bills were approved:

N. F. Broussard	8300 00
O. Reynolds	5 00
Levy Bros.	3 00
Lafayette Compress	157 50
Cumberland Telephone Co.	9 85
Gibbens & Stream	145 67
L. Lacoste	168 81
Western Union Tel. Co.	1 50
Ulysse Dubon	2 00
Moss & Co.	13 25
A. Hirsch	15 00
F. Billy	1 50
Dr. J. F. Mouton	2 00
W. Dubon	1 60
A. E. Mouton	1 44
	13 96
Moss Pharmacy	2 30

The Treasurer's report was accepted as follows.

General Fund.	
Month of August 1902.	
Cash on hand August 1st	419 55
Pipes sold	17 00
Stock fines	5 25
Licenses	2 50
Mayors Court	188 50
	632 80
Disbursements.	
Warrants paid	453 32
Cash on hand Aug 31st	179 48
	632 80
Special Fund.	
Cash on hand Aug. 1	763 71
Lights	361 00
Water	57 75
Installations	160 55
	1343 01
Disbursements.	
Warrants paid	854 86
Cash on hand Aug. 31	988 15
	1343 01

Be it ordained by the City council that the regular tax for general expenses of the town be and is hereby fixed at 4 1-2 mills on the Dollar of the assessed value of property in the town for the year 1902. Adopted.

There being no further business the council adjourned.

Louis Lacoste, Secretary. C. D. Caffery, Mayor.

Special Meeting.

Lafayette, La., Aug. 11, 1902. Special meeting of the City council was held this day. Mayor C. D. Caffery presiding. Members present: G. A. DeBlanc, F. Demanade, J. O. Mouton, A. E. Mouton, H. Hohorst, Absent F. E. Girard.

The City council met this day in special session, pursuant to adjournment to consider the application of Mr. Jno. A. McIlhenney for a right of way through certain streets of this town for the construction of a railway.

The council having deliberated on the matter thereupon adopted the following ordinance unanimously.

An ordinance granting to John A. McIlhenney and assigns certain rights and privileges on and through the streets in the city of Lafayette.

Be it Ordained by the City council of the city of Lafayette.

Section 1. That John A. McIlhenney and assigns be, and are hereby granted for the term of fifty years, the right to lay, construct, and maintain on and through the streets hereinafter mentioned, (with all necessary curves, cross-overs, and turnouts, side tracks and switches) track or tracks for railway purposes, and to operate thereon cars and trains propelled by electric or other motive power except steam.

Section 2. The street or streets upon which such tracks may be laid and over and along which such railway may be operated are as follows: Beginning on Lincoln avenue at city limits, thence along Lincoln avenue to Pierce street, thence along Pierce street to Jefferson street, thence along Jefferson street to city limits.

Beginning on Jefferson street at Lamar street, thence along Lamar street to Industrial avenue, thence along Industrial avenue to Lafayette street thence along Lafayette street to city limits.

Beginning on public road at Mudd avenue, thence along Mudd avenue to Sterling avenue, thence along Sterling avenue to Simcoe street, thence along Simcoe street to Pine street and thence along Pine street to Lincoln avenue.

Section 3. The said grantee and assigns shall have the right to use and operate said tracks or railway purposes through said town for the transportation of freight and passengers.

Section 4. Said grantee and assigns shall so construct said tracks so as not to interfere with the convenient use thereof by the public, and shall bury all cross-ties and structures so that the top of the rail shall not be more than two inches above the surface of the street.

Section 5. Said grantee and assigns shall, during the existence of this grant, keep the streets upon which said tracks are laid in repair between the rails and for twelve inches on the outside thereof.

Section 6. This grant is made upon the conditions that the grantee or assigns shall commence work of construction within twelve months from the date hereof and shall complete same throughout the city limits within eighteen months thereafter.

Section 7. Said grantee and assigns shall have the right to connect the

tracks laid under this grant any track or tracks constructed by them outside the corporate limits of the city, so as to form an interurban railway between this city and the adjacent towns and villages.

C. D. Caffery, Mayor. Louis Lacoste, Secretary.

240 acres fine farming land situated half mile from Dason, La. Apply to J. C. Nickerson, real estate agent.

A second hand paddling hack, or deliver by wife.

J. C. Nickerson, Real estate Agent.

LAFAYETTE HOME INSTITUTE

Sixth Annual Session. Opens Monday, Sept. 1, 1902. The merits and advantages of this school are respectfully submitted and a share of the public patronage solicited.

R. C. GREIG, Principal.

A Good Opportunity.

For sale, one block from R. R. depot, an up-to-date hotel and restaurant, the property having a front of 75 feet on Lincoln Ave., and consisting of 28 well furnished bed rooms, 3 business rooms, 25 x 50, one large hall 26 x 50. Electric lights in every department. Large and spacious dining hall. Buyer will be given the privilege of inspecting the business for 30 days before sale is made. Terms easy. Reason for selling: retirement from business. For all particulars apply to Advertiser office.

It pays to have your property covered by strong fire insurance. We write policies in America's strongest and best insurance companies - J. R. Demengeaux

Service at Presbyterian Church.

On each 2nd. and 4th. Sundays at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. The public are cordially invited.

E. H. Robinson, Baptist Pastor.

15 horse power Gasoline Engine, almost new and in first class condition.

J. C. Nickerson, Real Estate Agent.

Now is the time to buy yourself a home while prices are low, and term to suit purchaser. Call on J. C. Nickerson, Real Estate Agent.

Oil land and oil stock for less than par value at J. C. Nickerson, Real Estate Agent.

The Racket Store is receiving an elegant line of goods. The ladies will please take notice.



Hope Lodge No. 145. F. & A. M. Meets at 7:30 p. m. in the Masonic hall, Lafayette, every Thursday on or before full moon as follows.

- Thursday, March 20th.
- April 17th.
- May 22nd.
- June 19th.
- July 17th.
- Aug. 14th.
- Sept. 11th.
- Oct. 16th.
- Nov. 13th.
- Dec. 11th.

Chas. D. Caffery, W. M. F. E. Girard, Secretary.

"I am using a box Chamberlain's Stomach & Liver Tablets and find them the best thing for my stomach I ever used," says T. W. Robinson, Justice of the Peace, Loomis, Mich. These Tablets not only correct disorders of the stomach but regulate the liver and bowels. They are easy to take and pleasant to effect. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by all Druggists.

One Minute Cough Cure

For Coughs, Colds and Croup.

FOR RENT OR SALE.

A large commodious residence situated on Washington street for rent or sale. For further particulars apply to Wm. Campbell, at office.

FOR SALE.

I have two second hand pianos to sell cheap. Call on or address J. B. HULL, Cottage Hotel, Lafayette, La.

Congressional Election

NOTICE TO VOTERS.

The office of the Registrar for and in the Parish of Lafayette for a supplementary Registration according to Act 113 of 1902 for the election to be held on Nov. 4th, 1902, will be open on the following dates:

- At Court House Monday, August 4th. to Saturday August 9th.
 - At Mouton Switch Monday Aug. 11th.
 - Guidry's Hall 1st ward, Tues Aug. 12.
 - Mrs. Ford, Hoffpauir, 2nd. ward Thursday, Aug. 14th.
 - H. Theall's Store, 4th. ward, Saturday, August 16th.
 - Farmer's Alliance's Hall, 5th. ward, Monday, August 18th.
 - A. C. Guilbeau's Hall 6th. ward Wednesday, Aug. 20th.
 - H. Simoneux, 6th. ward, Thursday, Aug. 21
 - Pilette School House 7th. ward, Friday Aug. 22nd.
 - J. Whittington's Store 8th. ward, Saturday, Aug. 23.
- And at Court House from August 25 to September 26th, 1902.
- A. M. MARTIN, Registrar.

NOTICE.

Disinfectant Free!
To promote the public health, the City Council has procured and half barrel of Chloro-Naphtholeum, one of the best known disinfectants; it may be had in quantities of one quart or less from either of the police officers of from the undersigned.
Chas. D. Caffery, Mayor
July 23, 1902.

Mexican Mustang Liniment is a sure remedy for Caked and Inflamed Udder in Cows.



To Cure Sore Throat.
Into a glass half full of water put an even teaspoonful of Mexican Mustang Liniment, mix thoroughly, and with this gargle the throat frequently. In severe cases more liniment can be added. In addition to this bathe the outside with the liniment several times a day, rubbing it well in, and the soreness will surely disappear.

Important Notice.
MEXICAN MUSTANG LINIMENT is put up in three sizes. Price 25c., 50c. and \$1 per bottle, and is for sale by Druggists and General Storekeepers. If they are out of it, ask them to order it for you from their nearest Wholesale Druggist. IT CANNOT BE SENT BY MAIL OR EXPRESS.

Mexican Mustang Liniment readily cures Rheumatism and Leg Weakness in Poultry.