The Journal.

Official Paper of the Parish of St. Landry.

Official Paper of the Town of Opelousas.

EDITED BY
JAMES W. JACKSON,
OPELOUSAS, LA:

Saturday, - - - August 29, 1868.

National Democratic Nominations

For President,
HORATIO SEYMOUR,
OF NEW YORK.

For Vice President,
FRANCIS P. BLAIR,
OF MISSOURI.

Electors for the State at Large,
R. C. WICKLIFFE, of West Feliciana.
ISAIAH GARRETT, of Ouachita.

ALTERNATES:
JAMES P. FERRET, of Jefferson.
JUDGE J. N LEA, of Orleans.

District Electors:

First Cong'al District	A. SAMBOLA.	
Second " "	M. B BRADY.	
Third " "	A S. HERRON.	
Fourth " "	A. DeBLANC.	
Fifth " "	N. W. COLEMAN.	

ALTERNATES:

First Cong'al District	P. A SHERBURNE.
Second " "	GEO. W. RACE.
Third " "	J H. KENNARD.
Fourth " "	E N. CULLOM.
Fifth " "	W. F. BLACKMAN. J H BRIGHAM.

BANNER PRESENTATION—The ladies of Opelousas will present a banner to the Opelousas Democratic Club, at the Varieties Theatre, at 7½ o'clock, next Thursday evening. All are invited to attend.

☞ We have been delayed in publishing our paper by a considerable amount of advertisements received late in the week, and reading matter which we had already prepared has been crowded out.

We regret that want of time and space prevent our giving an account of the presentation of a banner by the ladies to the Seymour Knights club last Wednesday evening, the barbecue at Chrétien's Point on Thursday, and the addresses delivered at the regular meeting of the Opelousas Democratic Club Thursday evening. We can only say the speeches were good, the attendance large, and that Democracy in our parish just now is in a very flourishing condition.

Mr. Hudspeth's Letter to Governor Warmoth.

A few days since Mr. G. W. Hudspeth, our District Attorney, submitted to us a certified copy of the letter addressed by him to Gov. Warmoth on the 21st of July last, and to which the Governor alludes in his letter of August 1st to the President. As we had anticipated, a perusal of the letter proved a complete vindication of Mr. Hudspeth, and we assure our readers its publication will place him right before the people of Louisiana.

We cannot see how Gov. Warmoth so misconstrued this letter. It refers only to St. Landry, and instead of being a sweeping indictment against the people en masse, it is the very best defence of them we have yet seen against the vile slanders so industriously circulated by interested partisans. Instead of being a baseless fabrication, it is a plain, straightforward statement of facts, sustained in full by the records of our District Court. It accuses no officer of a dereliction of duty. It contains no appeal to the Executive for force, nor does it even suggest the employment of force. It says nothing of Confederates being arrayed against Union men, or vice versa. It does not even intimate that any class of men are troubled on account of political opinions. It is not a political letter, nor can it be distorted into one by any rule of construction known to the language. It is purely an official letter, treating of subjects perfectly legitimate, and having in view the accomplishment of an object devoutly to be wished by every honest man in our parish.

As previously announced, Mr. Hudspeth intended to publish his letter in extenso in our columns immediately on receipt of a certified copy, but gentlemen of the very highest standing in our community, and among them the leading members of the bar, advise[illegible] to suspend its publi[illegible]n at prese[illegible] as its publication no[illegible]ld be inexpe[illegible] and tend to d[illegible] the ends of justice.

Howeve[illegible]e soon to have the pleasure [illegible] his much talked of letter b[illegible]. Its perusal will suffi[illegible]le of the Eighth Di[illegible]speth they have [illegible] are certain he will prove competent [illegible] discharge of the high duties he has bee[illegible] perform by them.

☞ Mr. S. B. Nolley, who for[illegible]rly edited the *Opelousas Patriot*, in a[illegible]ter to [illegible] from Brenham, Texas, says:

We are all right here for Seym[illegible] and Blair, and should the Convention now in session at Austin get through in time to send their work to Co[illegible]ss for endorsement, and the State [illegible] time to vote in November, we will roll up [illegible]ity in Texas for the democracy of not less than 25000.

☞ At the election for a justice of the peace for this Ward on Thursday last, D. C. Sittig received 232 votes, and B. R. Gantt 129.

YOUR SHOT GUNS—Should not be permitted to rust, your dogs should not bite your neighbor, your low grounds should be well drained, your cribs should never become empty, you should rise before breakfast, work all day, and if you wish your sick wife to meet you with graceful curls, rosy cheeks and sparkling eyes, carry home with you a bottle of English Female Bitters. Sold by C. Mayo, Druggist, Opelousas.

CARD OF THANKS.

The members of the "Seymour Knights" respectfully adopt this method of returning their thanks and tendering this slight testimonial of their high regard to the ladies of Opelousas, and particularly to Miss. Clara Cooke, who embroidered and adorned it, for the distinguished honor they have paid them in presenting a splendid "Bannière Blanche" to the Club as its symbolic ensign for the present campaign.

The snowy whiteness of the Banner, while it beautifully illustrates the constitutional purity of the platform on which the names of Seymour and Blair are presented to the people for the offices of President and Vice President of the United States,—giving a fitting type of the unblemished records which the distinguished statesman and honest patriot, Horatio Seymour, and the chivalrous soldier and knightly champion of constitutional liberty, Frank P. Blair, bear in the annals of our country,—at the same time blends in this delightful harmony the embellishing features of happy taste, and the pleasant charm of delicate innocence, which animated the minds of our fair donors in thus giving us a practical testimonial of their interest in the welfare of our national government.

In conclusion, we hope by the demonstration of an earnest zeal and untiring activity in promoting the principles of the Democratic party, to merit the generous encouragement of our lovely patrons, to prove worthy of our great standard bearers, and after the November election to realize the proud consciousness that we were the auxiliaries in the triumph of the Constitution and true Republican liberty. We are very respectfully,

SEYMOUR KNIGHTS.

DROMGOOLE & CO.—We wish to call special attention to the advertisement of Messrs. Dromgoole & Co. Perret & Pecot have these medicines on hand at all times, and the people are beginning to appreciate them. These are no humbug inventions of quacks, but they are valuable preparations. Mr. Perret informs us that those who have purchased these preparations of him generally speak in high terms of them.—*Planters' Banner.*

A Radical printing office is about to be planted in this place. We believe the Legislature guarantees that, and all other such offices in the country, ten thousand dollars worth of patronage yearly. We need one good, honest, loyal paper in St. Mary. The people are becoming benighted. A paper with ten thousand dollars income and no circulation, should be like a light on a hill. But we will find no fault in advance. Let us see how it looks "on paper," and on our streets.—[Planters' Banner.

DIED,

—On the night of the 25th inst., at the residence of her husband near Opelousas, APPHIA B. HOOE, consort of Dr. George Hill, aged 68 years.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

STATE OF LOUISIANA.

Adrien Iselin, vs. Louis A. Foucher, Tes'y Exr. } No. 19957, District Court, St. Landry.

BY VIRTUE of a writ of seizure and sale to me directed, by the Honorable Eighth Judicial District Court of the State of Louisiana, in and for the Parish of St. Landry, in the above entitled cause, I will proceed to sell at public auction, to the last and highest bidder, at the Court House in the Town of Opelousas, on

Saturday, October 3d, 1868,

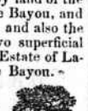
at 11 o'clock, A. M, the following described property, viz:

1--THE PLANTATION

situated in the Parish of St. Landry, in Church Prairie, measuring about Three hundred and ninety-three (393) acres, more or less, bounded North by lands of Damonville Dejean, East by lands of Capt. Pickett South by lands of Mrs. Bullard, and West by lands of Jean Bte. Roy, being the last residence of Michel W. Prud'homme, deceased, with all the Buildings and Improvements thereon; also Two arpents of WOODLAND at the end of the depth of the woodland of Lamorandier, Sr., bounded North by lands of said Lamorandier, Sr., South by land of the Estate of Lazretti, West by Little Bayou, and East by land of Mrs W. Knox; and also the right of cutting Firewood on two superficial arpents lying on the line of the Estate of Lazaretti, on the west side of Little Bayou.

2—A CERTAIN TRACT OF

WOODLAND



situated on the public road leading from Opelousas to Washington, being lots 3 and 4 as designated on the plat filled with the sale from Mrs. Celeste Garland to Ann Young, widow of Michel W. Prud'homme, bounded above by Lot No. 5 of said plat, having two arpents front on the road, running from the road above mentioned to Bayou Teche or Carron, containing Sixty two and eighty-five hundredths (62|100) arpents—this tract and the first mentioned one forming the Home stead of the late said Michel W. Prud'homme. Se[illegible] the above suit.

Te[illegible] CASH.

JAMES G. HAYES, Sheri[illegible]
[illegible]ce, August 29, 1868.

[illegible] of George Simie[illegible]

[illegible], Parish S[illegible]

SIM[illegible] t[illegible]rish of [illegible]y his pe[illegible] of the [illegible]p, Sr, [illegible] of [illegible] said [illegible]

Th[illegible]n intend[illegible] op[illegible]pointment [illegible] office in [illegible]ys from [illegible] GARR[illegible] Pa[illegible]

[illegible]st 29th, 1868.

[illegible] of Lou[illegible]

[illegible]RE, D. R[illegible] St. Landry [illegible] of Marie Andrus, [illegible] parish, having fil[illegible] cation the Deb[illegible] on hand of said Estate, accompa[illegible] petition praying for the homologation [illegible] same; and whereas, the prayer of sa[illegible] tion has been granted by an order of [illegible] dated August 26, 1868;

Now, therefore, notice is hereby [illegible]en to [illegible] persons interested to make opposi[illegible] to sa[illegible] writing, at my office in [illegible] town of Opelousas, [illegible] the time require[illegible] law, why said tableau sh[illegible] be ho[illegible] and confirmed.

A. GA[illegible]
Parish [illegible]
Opelousas, August 29th, 1868.

PUBLIC SALE.

ESTATE OF EDMOND C. DUPRE, DEC'D

BY VIRTUE of an order of the Hon. the Probate Court, in and for the Parish of St. Landry, there will be sold at public auction, to the last and highest bidder, by the undersigned Auctioneer, at the last residence of the deceased, in the town of Opelousas, on

Thursday, October 1st, 1868,

the following described property belonging to the Estate of Edmond C. Dupré, deceased, late of the Parish of St. Landry, to-wit:

1--THE LAST RESIDENCE

of the deceased, composed of the BUILDINGS and IMPROVEMENTS, and 4 Lots of ground situated in in the Town of Opelousas, on the west side of Bayou Tesson, designated on the plan of said town as being Lots Nos. 3, 4, 19 and 20 in the Lastrapes addition to the Town of Opelousas, bounded West by land of Cyprien Dupre, South by Cherry Street, East by Chesnut Street, and North by South Street, being the same property acquired by deceased from Lucius J. Dupre, as per act on the 12th day of September, 1859, passed before Yves D'Avy, Recorder, with the buildings and improvements thereon.

2—THREE LOTS OF GROUND situated at the same place, being Lots Nos. 5, 21 and 22, in the same addition, the Lot No. 21 fronts on Chestnut Street, and is bounded East by said street, South by the continuation of South Street, West by Lot No. 5, hereafter described, North by Lot No. 22, hereafter described. The Lot No. 22 fronts on Chestnut Street, and is bounded East by said street, and Lot No. 21 above described, West by Lot No. 6, the owner not known, being in contestation between P. D. Hardy and the Succession of Pierre Labyche, and North by the continuation of Vine Street. The Lot No. 5 is bounded East by Lot No. 21 above described, South by the continuation of South Street, West by land of Cyprien Dupré, and North by Lot No. 6. Said Lots were purchased by deceased from Mrs. Celeste Garland, as per act the 17th September, 1856, passed before Yves D'Avy, Recorder.

A certain portion of a LOT OF GROUND situated in the Town of Opelousas, in the Parish of St. Landry, being part of square No 9, measuring ninety-six feet and one inch front on Main Street, on one hundred and sixty-nine feet six inches in depth, bounded East by Main Street, North by property of Noël Larcade, West by property of Jesse Hays, deceased, and South by property of Joel H. Sandez, together with all the BUILDINGS and IMPROVEMENTS thereon, being the same property acquired by deceased jointly with Benoit Ney from Lastie Dupré, as per act the 24th January, 1860, passed before Yves D'Avy, Recorder, and at the successional sale of Benoit Ney said deceased purchased his undivided half—see process verbal of the auctioneer made 7th July, 1866.

4—TWO COWS AND CALVES, TWO cows, a beef and a two year old heifer, about six head of wild horned stock, an old American horse, a pair of mules, an old four wheel carriage and harness, a lot of silver ware, composed of twenty-nine pieces, a lot of alfinide spoons, a lot of crockery, glass ware and table knives, dining-room furniture, one lady's gold watch, and old gun and pistol, one saddle and bridle, three ploughs and harnesses, one lot of kitchen utensils, one sow and three pigs, garden utensils, the undivided two-thirds of the crop of corn and potatoes in the field, his undivided eighth share of the lands, rights and credits belonging to the Estate of his father Cyprien Dupré.

TERMS.—CASH.

LEONCE F. LASTRAPES,
Aug. 29,'68. Administrator.

PUBLIC SALE.

ESTATE OF AUGUSTIN L. FONTENOT

BY VIRTUE of an order of the Hon. the Probate Court in and for the Parish of St. Landry, there will be sold at public auction, to the last and highest bidder, by the undersigned Auctioneer, at the last residence of the deceased, in Ville Platte, in the Parish of St. Landry, on

Tuesday, September 29th, 1868,

the following described property belonging to the Estate of Augustin Larose Fontenot, deceased, late of the Parish of St. Landry, to-wit:

1--THE PLANTATION

where the deceased last resided, situated in Ville Plate Prairie, parish aforesaid, consisting of a dwelling and its dependencies, a cotton gin house, gin stand and corn mill, and also of two hundred and eighty superficial arpents of land, bounded North by Dondiegue Larose Fontenot, East by Henri Etienne Soileau, South by Dondiegue Larose Fontenot, and West by Joseph Marcel.

2—A TRACT OF LAND situated in Ville Plate Prairie, Parish of St. Landry, measuring about Three hundred and fifty-eight and 27|100 superficial arpents, bounded North by Edmond Fontenot, East by André H. Deshotels, South by Onezime Larose Fontenot, and West by Bayou Jos. Marcel.

3—A LOT OF LAND situated in Ville Plate Prairie, in said parish, measuring one hundred and twenty superficial arpents, more or less, bounded North by Dondiegue Larose Fontenot, East by Lastie Visina, South by the Do Manuel claim, and West by Bayou Jos. Marcel.

4—A LOT OF LAND situated in Ville Plate Prairie, in said parish, measuring fifty eight and 80|100 acres, more or less, boundaries not known.

5—A TRACT OF WOODLAND situated in the Prairie Mamouth woods in said parish, measuring about one hundred superficial arpents, bounded North by ——. East by Bayou Jos. Marcel, and South and West by Firman Fontenot.

6—A LOT OF FARMING LUMBER, an ox cart, a carriage, two calas[illegible] a horse cart, the undivided half of abou[illegible]ty-six arpents of corn in the field—[illegible] hay[illegible]rels, the undivided third of a[illegible] pents of land planted in [illegible] cotton, several beds and bedding[illegible] armoirs, two [illegible], twelve sheets, ten [illegible]erpaines, clev[illegible]lankets, a loom [illegible] rigging, a lot of [illegible]r wa e, house[illegible] furniture, kitche[illegible] plantati[illegible]d farming ute[illegible] and many oth[illegible]ings too num[illegible] mention.

TERMS—[illegible]SH.

[illegible]LEONCE F[illegible]TRAPES,
[illegible]29, 1868. Auctioneer.

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[illegible]n of this institution will com[illegible]mber 24th, 1868. Terms [illegible]

C. A. ER[illegible]
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[illegible]ill be held [illegible]day, [illegible]68, to elect a [illegible] of the Town of [illegible]lousas, to fill [illegible]caus[illegible]used by the [illegible]nation of J[illegible]h D. [illegible] Polls op[illegible] from 9 [illegible] 4 P. M.

F. A. KING,
President of the Board.

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Stephens' History of the War.

SUBSCRIBERS to this work are requested to call and get their copies, upon payment of price, as stipulated.

JOHN POSEY, Agent.
August 29, 1868.

State of Louisiana,

PARISH COURT, Parish of St. Landry. } No. 3154.

JOSEPH MOUTON, of the Parish of St Landry, Administrator the Estate of Joachim Fontenot, deceased, late of said parish, having filed a final Tableau of the Distribution of the Funds of said Estate, accompanied by his petition praying for the homologation of the same; and whereas the prayer of said petition has been granted by an order of Court, bearing date August 26th, 1868;

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given to all persons interested to make opposition to said Tableau in writing, at my office in the town of Opelousas, within the time required by law, why the said Tableau should not be homologated and confirmed.

A GARRIGUES,
Parish Judge,
Opelousas, August 29, 1868.

PUBLIC SALE.

Estate of Asa A. Shropshire, deceased.

BY VIRTUE of an order of the Hon. the Probate Court in and for the Parish of St. Landry, there will be sold at public auction, to the last and highest bidder, by the undersigned Administrator or by a duly commissioned auctioneer, at the last residence of the deceased, near Big Cane in this parish, on

Wednesday, September 30, 1868,

the following described property belonging to the Estate of Asa A. Shropshire, deceased, late of the Parish of St. Landry, to-wit:

ONE TRACT OF LAND

containing One hundred and sixty acres, more or less, with all the BUILDINGS and IMPROVEMENTS thereon, consisting of one small log house for a dwelling, three cabins, one corn house, one cotton house, and one smoke house; said land bounded as follows: on the North by lands of Linn Tanner and lands formerly belonging to Wm. Lee, East by lands of F. W. Cason, South by lands unknown, and West by lands of Robert Hart.

TWO COWS AND THREE CALVES, one sorrel Stallion, one ox Wagon, one two horse Wagon, two Mules, one creole Mare and Colt, three sets of plow Harness, one pair of work Oxen, three young Beeves, one small bay Mare and Colt, one brown Mare and Colt, one lot of Hogs and mark, the undivided two-thirds of the growing crops of Cotton, Corn and Sweet Potatoes, one double barrel shot Gun, household and kitchen Furniture, farming and plantation Utensils, Saddles and Bridles, Chickens, Ducks, &c.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS.—For the movables cash on the day of sale; for the land one-tenth cash, and the balance in one and two years from day of sale, the purchaser furnishing his notes to bear eight per cent. per annum interest from maturity, and secured by mortgage on the said land and personal security to the satisfaction of the Administrator.

VINCENT BOAGNI,
Aug. 29, '68. Administrator.

Notice.

THE PUBLIC is notified not to purchase anything from my husband, William T. Smith, as I have instituted an action against him for divorce and separation of property, and as he has been enjoined by writ of injunction from the Hon. 8th District Court from disposing of any property belonging to the community of acquets and gains which exists between us, under penalty of nullity of the sale with damages and interests. The notaries of this parish are specially enjoined to pass no act or transfer of property of any kind whatsoever, under the penalties which would be imposed on my said husband, should he disobey the order of Court.

MARIE MELANIE ANDRUS.
August 1st, 1868.

Notice.

ALL PERSONS having claims against the Estate of William B Lewis, deceased, are requested to present them to Thos. H. Lewis, Attorney at Opelousas, or to the undersigned.

E. T. LEWIS, Administrator.

Notice.

THE undersigned has killed a Beef branded somewhat thus: —A—; the owner will be paid for the same on coming forward and proving property within thirty days from the publication of this notice.

JEAN LEJEUNE.
Prairie Plaisance, June 27th, 1868.

FOR SALE.

A PLANTATION about four miles South-east of Opelousas, containing about seventy-two arpents, thirty arpents being woodland, all enclosed with good fences and ditches, and well improved.

Another PLANTATION, one mile West of Opelousas, containing sixty-five arpents, enclosed and ditched, and improved with build ings.

Two separate LOTS with residences on each, one being near the Court House, in the town of Opelousas.

Apply at the SENTINEL OFFICE, or to
THEODORE CHACHERE,
in Opelousas.
December 7th. 1867

FAIR GROUNDS.

ANY person or parties who have a lot of ground, say from 4 to 10 acres, within the vicinity of Opelousas and suitable for a Fair Ground, for sale, will please address the undersigned. A. L. PLOUGH.
Opelousas, Aug., 20th, 1868.

100 OUNCES QUININE, ENG. CALOMEL, and ENG. BLUE MASS, E. J. Cold Pressed CASTOR OIL.
In store and for sale by
C. MAYO,
Sign of the Big Mortar.

State of Louisiana,

Parish Court, Parish of St. Landry. } No. 2675.

ESTATE OF MARIE SCHOLASTIE BREAUX.

HYPOLITE C. GUIDRY, of the Parish of St. Landry, Administrator of the Estate Marie Scholastie Breaux, deceased, late of said parish, having filed a final tableau of the distribution of the funds of said Estate, accompanied by his petition praying for the homologation of the same; and whereas the prayer of said petition has been granted by an order of Court, bearing date August 11th, 1868;

Now, therefore notice is hereby given to all persons interested to make opposition to said tableau in writing at my office in the town of Opelousas, within the time required by law, why said tableau should not be homologated and confirmed.

A. GARRIGUES, Parish Judge.
Opelousas, August 15, 1868.

Notice.

THE TAX ROLL of the town of Opelousas being completed, the undersigned Assessesur has deposited the same at the office of D. C. Sittig for examination by whom it may concern, for ten days from this date.

A. J. THOMPSON, Assesseur.
Opelousas, July 4th, 1868.

William Herr,

BOOT AND SHOE-MAKER,

Main Street, Opelousas, La.
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Sheriff's Sale.

IN execution of a writ issued by Wm. S. Reed, Justice of the Peace, 2d Ward, St. Landry, in the case entitled Henry L. Garland vs. T. L. Reynolds; I will offer for sale, for cash, before the Court House in Opelousas, on SATURDAY, September 5th, a certain COW, of —— color, and a CALF, seized by me in satisfaction of said writ.

JOHN S. HAWKINS,
aug 22 Deputy Sheriff.

200 LBS. QUATAMALA INDIGO, In store and for sale by
C. MAYO,
aug22 Sign of the Big Mortar.

Estate of Asa Shropshire.

Notice to Creditors and Debtors.

THE DEBTORS of the above Estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned, and the Creditors thereof should present their claims to him for settlement. VINCENT BOAGNI.
Administrator.

12 dozen SMITH'S TONIC SYRUP,
6 " TARRANT'S ASPERIENT,
6 ca's COLMAN'S MUSTARD,
COAL OIL, &c., &c.
Just received and for sale by
C. MAYO,
Sign of the Big Mortar.

FOR SALE.

PARISH WARRANTS at a reasonable Discount. Apply at this Office.

THE CAMPAIGN CRESCENT.

DURING the present canvass I shall publish a weekly democratic paper under the title of THE CAMPAIGN CRESCENT.

The first number will be issued during the first week of August, and the publication will be continued until the election in November.

The CAMPAIGN CRESCENT will be devoted exclusively to politics. It will support the platform and nominees of the late National Democratic Convention. It will advocate democratic principles and oppose political heresies in all forms and under all disguises. It will discuss the momentous questions at issue without reserve and with entire freedom and candor, but with dignity and fairness. Great care will be taken to fill the columns of the CAMPAIGN CRESCENT with new and interesting matter pertinent to the great questions of the hour. No pains will be spared to make it in all respects a vigorous, efficient, instructive and entertaining campaign paper. While due attention will be paid to radical usurpations in Louisiana, the contents of the CAMPAIGN CRESCENT will fit it equally for circulation throughout the republic.

The CAMPAIGN CRESCENT will be sent only when the price of subscription shall accompany the order. All journals friendly to the great cause of democracy will confer a favor by inserting this circular, and our friends who may receive it by mail are requested to act as agents and to send the names of as many subscribers as can be obtained.

In order to insure a very extensive circulation, the CAMPAIGN CRESCENT is offered at the following rates:

Single copy.....$1 00

CLUB RATES:

Six copies to one address .....$ 5 00
Twelve copies to one address..... 10 00
Twenty-five copies to one address... 20 00
Fifty copies to one address..... 35 00

J. O. NIXON.

NOTICE.

MY OFFICE is at the office of B. A. Martel & Hudspeth, Attorneys at Law, Opelousas, where I am ready to take the assessment of the property holders of this parish, through my Deputy, Mr. D. C. Sittig.

J. J. BUTLER, Assessor.
Opelousas, August 15th, 1868

NOTICE.

MRS. H. G. DEWEES will reöpen her School for young ladies at her residence in Opelousas, on the 14th of September next. She is grateful for the patronage so liberally extended to her during the past session. Mrs. Dewees has had an experience of many years in the instruction of youth, and will give her undivided attention to the improvement of her pupils. The course of instruction will embrace all the elementary and higher branches of a thorough English education, special attention being given to those which are most useful and practical.

In consequence of the severe pressure of the times, and in order that the means of obtaining useful knowledge may be placed within the reach of as many as she can instruct, she has fixed her terms at the very moderate rate of $2.00 per month, currency, payable at the end of each month after date of entrance.

Facilities for instruction in Music and the French language will be afforded to those who may desire it at teachers' prices.

REFERENCES:

Dr. R. H. Littell, Dr. L. Hadden, Judge J. M. Porter, W. R. Meginley, Jas. H. Houston, H. T. Goodloe, V. Chachere, Rev. J. Wilkinson.

Opelousas, August 15, 1868.

OPELOUSAS

Female College.

MY FRIENDS,—I am now thoroughly repairing my School Buildings for the purpose of opening my Female School on the 2d Monday of September prox. At considerable expense and with much labor, I am preparing to furnish you with a first class School; should my attempt prove abortive, it will probably be a long time ere another effort of the kind is made in your midst; as nothing enhances to the value of property, and adds to the prosperity of a country, more than good schools; I hope you will feel under some obligations to assist me. *I only ask patronage.* I will owe by the 1st of October $1000, to pay which, I *must have a good school*, or sell the property. With thirty pupils, (half boarders,) and all paying me quarterly in advance, I can succeed. My terms are as moderate as could possibly be asked; as will be seen in the following schedule of prices: $15 per month for Board; 75 cents per dozen for washing— pupils furnishing bedding, napkins, bowl and pitcher, &c.; $4 per month for English; $1.50 each for French and German, and $5 for Instrumental Music. No extra charge for Vocal Music. So soon as we have sixty pupils, we will reduce English tuition to $3 per month, and Music to $4 *We intend to spare no pains in making ours as good a school as any.* Opelousas and vicinity are noted for health and salubrity of climate. We are very convenient to New Orleans by Steamer and Rail-road, with Stage. Near us are good Mineral Springs, where parents may spend the Summer with their children, in safety. Can you not send your daughter, and influence your neighbor to send his? We receive all kinds of country produce in payment of board and tuition fees. Invariably quaterly in advance. Address MRS. S. M. WHITE, or B. F. WHITE, Opelousas.

B. F. WHITE, Superintendent.
Opelousas Female College.
Opelousas, La., July 11, 1868.

LAST CHANCE.

TAX PAYERS who have not yet paid their parish Taxes for 1867, are hereby notified that my Deputy is now serving notices on said Tax Payers, and that unless they immediately come forward and make payment, said taxes will be collected by law, with costs.

J. M. THOMPSON, Collector.
Opelousas, August 22d, 1868.

DENTISTRY.

DR. E. P. DOREMUS,
DENTIST,
WASHINGTON, LA.

ORDERS by mail, or left with the following named gentlemen will receive attention:

JOHN POSEY, C. MAYO, J. H. HOUSTON, } Opelousas.

Terms:—Cash. 32-tf

NOTICE.

I AM now prepared to furnish Bagging, Iron Ties, Twine, Flour, Coffee, Sugar, Salt, &c., to all my clients and friends who will obligate themselves to sell me their cotton crops here, or ship them to New Orleans Next season, when business will begin with the full navigation of our bayou, I will then be prepared to purchase cotton, or make liberal cash advances on shipments made to my friends in the city.

I therefore, this year, leave and give to all cotton planters of St. Landry and neighborhoods, the choice of selling here at Washington for cash on the spot, or of shipping to the city under liberal cash advances.

A. DESMARE,
Office at Pitre & Carrière and O. Hinckly & Son.
Washington, La., August 1, 1868. tf

DIARRHŒA.

THIS dreadful summer complaint is now upon us, and oh! how many thousands it carries to an untimely grave every year! Beware mother, how you neglect that slight Diarrhœa in your family; nip it in the bud. Send immediately and procure one bottle of

DROMGOOLE & CO'S

Red Diarrhœa Remedy

For your family, so that you can give it when necessary. For infants at the breast, and the bowel complaint of children while teething, it acts like a charm. All forms of Diarrhœa, Cholera Morbus, nausea and vomiting, cramps, pains in the stomach and bowels, are immediately by its use.

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Mucus Diarrhœa, pains and straining of the bowels, should not fail to use a few doses of Dromgoole & Co.'s Dysentery Compound And be cured.

All Physicians of experience agree that Dysentery and Diarrhœa are treated differently, and our compound is THE MEDICINE that will effect a cure.

ALL MARRIED MEN

Whose wives are suffering with constant pain and suffering each month, whose menstruation is too much or too little, or painful, or irregular, who is suffering with falling of the womb, with Leucorrhœa or Whites, should not fail to carry home one bottle of

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Which will cure all those complaints and restore them to health and buoyancy again.

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Whose very countenance, acts, color and walk, indicate disease, can be so easily restored to health by using the "English Female Bitters."

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For old and young, married or single.

What's the Matter Old Man!

Can't you get your kidneys to act free enough? Are you troubled with gravel, or any kind of deposits? Do you pass bloody urine occasionally? Are you annoyed with too frequent inclination to pass your water? Is your urine thick or milky? Have you a pain in the small of the back? Are you nervous, melancholy, or alarmed in your dreams, from the effects of habits of dissipation or indiscretion? Do you require a diuretic, or a medicine which will immediately arouse and restore your kidneys and bladder to a healthy action? If so, procure one bottle of

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NOTICE

TO THE TAX PAYERS OF THE TOWN OF OPELOUSAS.

THE TAX ROLL of 1868 is now in my hands for collection, according to a Resolution of the Board of Police, the Tax payers of said town are requested to pay their respective Tax at my office, within thirty days from this notice; after said date said Taxes will be collected with cost.

My Office is at B. A Martel & Hudspeth's office; hours, from 7 to 12 A. M., and 3 to 5 P. M. D. C. SITTIG,
Treasurer of the town of Opelousas.
August 1st, 1868

Constitution of the Immigration Society of the Parish of St. Landry, La.

The undersigned citizens of the Parish of St. Landry, in order to encourage immigration, and thus develope the agricultural and other resources of the parish, do adopt the following Constitution:

ARTICLE 1. This Association shall be called "The Immigration Society of the Parish of St. Landry."

ART. 2. Every citizen, who shall pay to the Treasurer, at the time of joining the association, one dollar, and thereafter, one dollar per annum, shall be a member of the society.

ART. 3. There shall be a President, Vice-President, Recording Secretary, a Corresponding Secretary, and a Treasurer, each of whom shall be elected for one year.

ART. 4. There shall be an executive committee to be composed of the five officers designated in Art. 3, and six members to be appointed by the President, to serve for a period of one year.

ART. 5. It shall be the duty of the President to preside at all meetings, and to make all appointments not otherwise provided for.

ART. 6 It shall be the duty of the Vice-President to take the place and perform the duties of the President, in the event of his absence, resignation, or inability to serve, until the vacancy be supplied as hereinafter provided.

ART. 7. The Corresponding Secretary shall carry on all the correspondence of the society, subject to the supervision and approval of the executive committee.

ART. 8. The Recording Secretary shall keep accurate minutes of the transactions of the society, record the names of all members, and be the custodian of all books, papers, plans, &c., belonging to the society.

ART 9. The society may unite the offices provided for in Art. 8, in one person.

ART. 10. The Treasurer shall receive and disburse, all funds of the society.

ART. 11. The executive committee shall be the acting representative body of the society, shall have plenary power to transact all its business, and shall do and perform all acts necessary and proper, to carry out its general objects and purposes.

ART. 12. Should a vacancy occur in any of the aforesaid offices, or in the executive committee, it shall be filled by appointment, or election, as hereinbefore provided, at the next regular meeting after the said vacancy.

ART. 13. The society shall hold a regular meeting once a month, at such place as the society may select. Special meetings may be held at any time, at the request of the executive committee; it shall be the duty of this committee to report at every regular monthly meeting. The said committee shall be regulated by such instructions as they may, from time to time, receive from the society.

JOHN E. KING, JOHN A. TAYLOR, THOS. H. LEWIS, } Committee on the Constitution.

Lastie Dupre, F. Dejean, Achille Dupre, John H. Overton, Benj. R. Rogers, Joseph M. Moore, Thos. Mulett, Thos. C. Anderson, George Hill, Onezime A Goidry, James M. Porter, Dr. J. M. Thompson, William Offutt, Alcee Dupre, Benj. F. White, George R King, Lud. Lastrapes, James H. Houston, Henry L. Garland.

Immigration Society
OF THE PARISH OF ST. LANDRY.

OFFICERS:

DR. JOHN A TAYLOR, President.
HON THOS. C ANDERSON, Vice-President.
THOS. [illegible] Recording Secretary.
JOS. M. MOORE, Corresponding Secretary.
ACHILLE OFFUTT, Treasurer.

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