

The Tensas Gazette.

ST. JOSEPH, LA.

FRIDAY, AUGUST 7, 1896.

COTTON PICKERS are coming in rapidly.

MR. A. E. GREEN is taking a vacation with his parents at Church Hill, Miss.

MR. MORRIS GOLDBERG returned from Cooper's Well Friday very much improved in health.

PARTIAL SHOWERS have fallen in the parish this week, but in St. Joseph the dust is very bad and the cisterns are getting empty.

MR. AND MRS. B. F. YOUNG are spending a while at Cooper's Well. They report about 175 guest there and say everything is very pleasant.

MR. JNO. H. MARKS, representing that sterling house, Henry Frank, of Natchez, was in town Monday, soliciting orders for his firm.

MRS. M. L. PAUL, with her two daughters and younger son returned home last week from New Iberia, where she has been spending some time.

MRS. DR. L. A. MURDOCK, who has been visiting friends and relatives in this parish for some time, returned last week to her home in Woodville, Miss.

HON. T. M. WADE was in town Tuesday. He says they had a good shower at Newellton on Saturday which relieved the dusty situation very much.

Remember that Kershaw is the only place in the parish for baseball goods; he has a complete stock of balls, bats, masks, gloves, &c. Price his goods before buying elsewhere.

Fresh Western butter, snow flake crackers, eggs, acne bams, leaf lard, fulton market corned beef, also a complete line of fancy canned goods, always in stock at Kershaw's.

A BIG RATTLE SNAKE was killed this week on the plank road which was possibly the largest that has been seen about here in years. The skin was on exhibition at the drug store.

WE HAVE RECEIVED several catalogues of Female Colleges, and we would respectfully suggest that the TENSAS GAZETTE is a good medium in which to advertise for pupils in this section.

When you want to get a good hatchet, ax, saw, or files, faucets, padlocks, or anything of the kind, go to Kershaw, he sells them cheaper than you can get them elsewhere. Give him a call.

It's going to rain soon and then you will want garden seed; the place to buy them is at Kershaw's; he is the freshest and best; he sells none but Landreth's, and they are the best in the world.

Silver is in the lead and so is Kershaw, and the people should keep them both in the lead for they will be of great benefit to our country, Kershaw especially, for he is the man that brought prices down in Tensas.

THE WATERPROOF baseball team is expected up here on Tuesday next to play a match game of baseball with the St. Joseph team. Arrangements are being made to have dinner for the boys and a dance in the evening.

MR. AND MRS. ALEX. BLANCHE, Sr., were to have left Monday night on the Anchor Line City of St. Louis for a round trip to that city, but Mrs. Blanche was taken sick and the trip was deferred. We hope she will soon recover.

MR. E. G. CARTER has built a meat store on the levee adjoining that of S. Levinson & Bro., and is filling it with a miscellaneous stock of clocks, watches, stationery, sewing machine material, &c. for the fall trade. We recommend him for patronage.

THE ST. JOSEPH and Waterproof colored base ball teams had a contest on Tuesday at St. Joseph which was well attended. It resulted in a victory for Waterproof. What is the matter with the St. Joseph teams, white and colored, as Waterproof beats them every time.

AN ELEGANT DANCE was given by the young men of Waterproof last Tuesday evening at the McCullough residence near Goldman's. The young people attending from elsewhere report that they received the most hospitable treatment at the hands of the Waterproof beaux and that the dance was very enjoyable.

Cure for Headache.

As a remedy for all forms of Headache, Electric Bitters has proved to be the best. It effects a permanent cure and the most dreaded habitual sick headaches yield to its influence. We urge all who are afflicted to procure a bottle and give this remedy a fair trial. In cases of habitual constipation Electric Bitters cures by giving the needed tone to the bowels, and few cases long resist the use of this medicine. Try it once. Large bottles only Fifty cents at J. P. Kershaw's Drug Store.

PETER ANDERSON, a German shoemaker, died on Saturday night at St. Joseph, and was found dead the next morning, on his knees with his head resting on his bed. We could not ascertain the name of his native city in Germany, as he had no family. He had lived here for many years and was an excellent shoemaker. His remains were followed to the grave Sunday evening by a large party of our citizens.

WE HAVE JUST RECEIVED from the music publishing house of The S. Brainard's Sons Co., 151 Wabash Ave., Chicago, a copy of the "Red Hot Democratic Campaign Song Book" for the campaign of 1896. The book contains solos, duets, mixed and male quartets, and is especially arranged for campaign clubs. It is not a cheap word edition, and is sold for the remarkably low price of 10 cents, or \$1.00 per dozen post-paid.

The Discovery Saved His Life.

Mr. G. Calloutte, Druggist, Beaverille, Ill., says: "To Dr. King's New Discovery I owe my life. Was taken with La Grippe and tried all the physicians for miles about, but no avail and was given up and told I could not live. Hearing Dr. King's New Discovery in my store I sent for a bottle and began it use and from the first dose began to get better, and after using three bottles was up and about again. It is worth its weight in gold. We won't keep store or house without." Get a free trial bottle at J. P. Kershaw's Drug Store.

THE CONTINUED hot dry weather has caused great deterioration in all crops in this parish. The old corn is not good as a rule and the late corn is a total failure. The cotton on weak lands has shed everything except grown bolls and the strongest and best lands are beginning to show the effect of the heat by the drying up of all squares and blooms. With the most favorable weather conditions for the balance of the season only an average cotton crop can be made and with a continuance of the weather now prevailing a crop even as small as last year is possible.

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A Chance to Make Money.

I read how one of your subscribers made money selling Dishwashers. I ordered one and my lady friends were charmed, as they hate washing. My brother and I commenced selling them, and have made \$1,700 after paying all expenses. We don't canvass any. Our sales are all made at home. People come or send for them.

This come and passed at my office of St. Joseph, Louisiana, this day and year herein written in presence of Cecil E. Newell and Alex. Blanche.

Attest:

C. E. NEWELL,
A. BLANCHE,
[Signed]

H. A. GARRETT,
W. C. YOUNG,
MARTHA L. GARRETT,
THOS. P. LANTON,
JOSEPH CURRY,
C. C. CORDILL.

I, Richard H. Whitman, Deputy Clerk of the Court and Ex-Officio Deputy Sheriff of Tensas Parish, La., do hereby certify that the foregoing act of the

CHARTER OR INCORPORATION OF TENSAS GAZETTE PRINTING AND PUBLISHING COMPANY, LIMITED.

STATE OF LOUISIANA.

Panor of Texas.

BETTER KNOWN AND REMEMBERED
that on this the 17th day of March
1896, before me Richard H. Whitman,
Deputy Clerk of the Court and ex-
officio of Notary Public in and for this
parish and State and in presence of the
undersigned witnesses personally came
and appeared H. A. Garrett, Wm. C.
Young, Mrs. Martha C. Garrett, author-
ized by her husband, H. A. Garrett;
Thos. P. Lanton, Joseph Curry and
Charles C. Cordill, whose names are
hereinafter subscribed, who declared to me
Notary, as follows:

That they, the undersigned, are the
proprietors of the "Tensas Gazette"
Printing and Publishing Company
in this parish, and that the said
Company is incorporated under the laws
of the State of Louisiana.

Witness my hand and seal officially at
St. Joseph, La., on this 12th day of
March 1896.

RICHARD H. WHITMAN,
Deputy Clerk and Ex-Officio
Notary Public in and for
Tensas Parish, Louisiana.

[Seal.]

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