

# Abbeville Meridional.

Two Dollars a Year

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 27, 1892.

### Announcements.

We are authorized to announce that the present incumbent, **ALCIDE LEBLANC**, will be a candidate for clerk of court at the approaching election.

We are authorized to announce that **SEVERIN LEBLANC, JR.** is a candidate for the office of Sheriff of the parish of Vermilion at the election in April, 1892.

We are authorized to announce that the present incumbent, **ALPHONSE L. LEBLANC**, is a candidate for Sheriff at the approaching election.

### A Card.

To the voters of Vermilion parish, Louisiana:

The Farmers Union, and Anti Lottery League, of this parish, having selected me as their candidate for the legislature, I herein accept said selection, and announce myself as their candidate, pledging myself to labor for and to support, all such measures as I may deem tending to the welfare of all citizens of this parish and state.

Your Obedient servant,  
**AMB. MOUTON.**

We are authorized to announce that **HENRI MONTAGNE**, is a candidate for Constable of the 3rd ward, Parish of Vermilion, at the election in April next.

### Town and Parish.

Come out to the Railroad meeting to day.

Spring gardening is now the order of the day.

### For Blood, Bladder, Biliousness, W.W.C.

W. D. Gooch made a trip to St. Mary this week.

G. W. Caldwell's brick yard is in full blast this week.

### When Winter Comes

Cleanse the blood by taking W.W.C.

Mrs. Jules N. DeFrance is in town on a visit to her daughters.

It is reported that the McEnery campaigners will be here on March 7th.

Dr. R. J. Young and G. O. Broussard made a flying trip to Rayne Thursday.

### The Favorite.

For twenty-five years Marsden's Pectoral Balm been well and favorably known in the South. It is an unfailing cure for la grippe, coughs, colds and croup in children.

Whose convention was that which got lost last Tuesday looking for Abbeville?

L. Sokolo-ki shipped one thousand barrels of corn this week and received a yard full of lumber.

Hon. Overton Cade of Lafayette, was in town Tuesday hunting for the little telegraph convention.

Washington's birthday was celebrated here last Monday by the school children enjoying a holiday.

Rice will be the money crop of the parish this year and a large acreage is being prepared for planting.

District Attorney M. T. Gordy spent last Sunday at home. He reports court running smoothly in Lafayette.

L. L. Bourges, Esq., of Abbeville, La., is in town attending the term of the District Court.—Lafayette Advertiser.

M. T. Gordy, Jr., District Attorney, of Abbeville, is here attending the term of the District Court.—Lafayette Advertiser.

### Lost, Strayed or Stolen.

One judicial nominating convention. When last seen it was coming by telegraph in the direction of Abbeville, where some of its parents are supposed to live. A liberal reward will be paid, and no questions, asked for its safe return to the undersigned at Lafayette, La.

McENERY, MORRIS & Co.

C. H. Bradley of Lafayette was in town last Tuesday.

### Weak, Worn Constitutions

Messrs Nunez and Thibeaux, have retired from the butcher business and are succeeded by Gebuin Trahan and Orthon Richard.

Gus Godchaux returned home Monday from a trip to New Orleans where he attended the meeting of the State Central Committee.

### The Best I Ever Used.

So says Dr. S. S. Herrick, former secretary of the Louisiana State Board of Health, speaking of Marsden's Pectoral Balm, which he recommends as the best remedy for coughs, croup, cold, bronchitis and sore throat.

Mayor Legé has got into his new quarters, is fixed up very neatly and is always glad to see his friends at his new stand near the Bridge.

Mrs. H. Beer is going to build a neat cottage on the lot adjoining her daughter Mrs. Frank Levy. The foundations are already laid.

### The World's Fair.

The South may claim without prejudice, to have more than its share of the world's fair. The acknowledged beauty of the ladies of the South is due to a great degree to the use of Creole Female Tonic the ladies' friend and favorite, and sure cure for all female ailments.

Dr. Derbanne, the dentist, is in town again and is at the Brick Hotel, where he will be found ready to serve all needing work in his line.

Engineer Cushing is still busy running trial lines for the proposed railroad from New Iberia to Abbeville, or Perry's Bridge possibly if we don't do more work and less talk.

We are requested by Dr. Armand Mary, the dentist, to state that he will return to Abbeville about the first of week after next and will be prepared to do first class work at city prices.

### \$100 Reward. \$100.

The readers of the (Put in name of Paper) will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is catarrh. Hall's catarrh cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's catarrh cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, seventy five cents.

From the last issue of the Lafayette Advertiser we learn that our late fellow-citizen Emile Romero, has opened a dry goods, groceries and saloon establishment on Vermilion street, opposite the postoffice in Lafayette. Mr. Romero is improving the corner by putting in a brick curbing, sidewalk and wooden awning, which will improve the appearance of things in that neighborhood very much.

Last Monday night three gentlemen from Lafayette, (who had been appointed by the four McEnery members of the parish executive committee as delegates to a judicial convention, which they proposed to hold here on Tuesday) arrived in town, and after waiting very patiently until about four o'clock the next evening without finding any signs of a convention, quietly returned home, sadder, and we hope wiser men. Go slow next time, Boys!

### Perry Pointers.

One ought not to complain of such weather as we are having now. Nature is fast donning her beautiful emerald robe, embellished with myriads of beautiful flowers, and sweet with the perfume of Spring's choicest aromas; while her orchestra of feathered songsters make music from early morn till dewy eve.

Farmers in this vicinity are about done planting cane and have a large acreage of corn ground ready to plant. Farm work of all kinds is well advanced and farmers are more hopeful now that the outlook is good for a crop this year. Since the lottery is dead and off their minds they can attend to their work better.

H. J. Stansbury has moved from his farm three miles west of here and now occupies the residence of Mr. Hinkley in this village. Miss Aimee Feray is making her home with them and we are glad to welcome them to Perry and there are several other vacant houses here we would like to see occupied.

H. J. Stansbury has charge of the Alliance store now with his brother I. L. Stansbury as clerk.

Our old friend Alfred Baudoin has again opened up a stock of dry goods and groceries and is doing quite a good business here.

The event of the week was the marriage of I. L. Stansbury and Miss Mary Lou Gooch, which took place yesterday evening at the residence of her father, W. D. Gooch. They were married about six o'clock, immediately after which supper was served and then the young people engaged in tripping the light fantastic toe until warned by fleeing time that if any intended to sleep 'twas time to be at home. In the meantime while opening the bridge for the passage of the Barmore she, run off the track, and when we reached the bayou there was no bridge to cross on, and there was a goodly crowd of us from the village and beyond. So a skiff was put into service, and our thanks are due Johnie Nogier for his kindness in pulling back and forth until all were crossed. So ended a very pleasant evening for a large number of our villagers.

The regular meeting of our Alliance is next Saturday, the 27th, at 2 o'clock P. M.

Preaching at the school house next Sunday at 3 o'clock by the Methodist Minister.

A gloom was spread over our village by the death of Miss Mary Lou Kibbe who had many warm friends among our people. May the great Physician bestow the consolation to the bereaved friends which this earth can never give. They have the heartfelt sympathy of all the good people of our village in this their sad bereavement. FLORIDA.

We have received, too late for publication this week, a copy of the resolutions of condolence, passed by Arcadian Lodge of Knights of Honor, regarding the death of Miss Mary Lou Kibbe and the child of John Raffle.

### Revival Notice.

STATE OF LOUISIANA. Twenty-fifth Judicial District Court. Parish of Vermilion. No. 445.

J. M. Beauxis vs. the Heirs of Octavie Gonsoulin.

To Annette Fontelle and Paulin Fontelle.

You are hereby notified that pursuant to an order granted by the Hon. Orther C. Mouton, Judge of said Court, the undersigned will on the 6th day of September, 1892, in open Court, at Abbeville, Louisiana, proceed to prove up and re-establish his title to the following described property which he acquired from Octavie Gonsoulin, widow Paulin Fontelle, of the parish of Iberia, La., her agent, sometime in the year 1881, for the consideration of four hundred and fifty dollars, (\$450) thus: \$300 cash on the day of sale, and for the balance, \$150 he gave his note payable one year after date; that he has discounted said note for cash sometime before maturity, said property is described as follows, to wit:

The undivided half of the east half of lot No. 41 of Megre's portion of the town of Abbeville, Louisiana, that said lot No. 41 is bounded north by Concord street, east by State street, south by lot No. 33 and west by lot No. 42; that he also bought the building now used by him as a store and situated on said east half of the aforesaid lot No. 41.

You are hereby cited to file your answer to said application, before said Court, within the time fixed by law.

JEAN M. BEAUXIS, Per L. L. Bourges, Atty. Abbeville, La., February 27, 1892.

### U. S. MARSHAL'S SALE.

U. S. MARSHAL'S MONITION.

Henry P. Fortins vs. Steam Boat Victorine Alert. In the United States District Court, Western District of Louisiana. No. 124.

In obedience to an Admiralty Warrant, to me directed in the above entitled suit, I have seized and taken into my possession the Steam Boat Victorine Alert, with her boat's tackle, apparel and furniture now lying in Vermilion Bayou near Henry Putnam in the Parish of Vermilion, Louisiana, now libelled by Henry P. Fortins, for causes set forth in the libel now pending in the District Court of the United States. And I do hereby cite and admonish the owner or owners thereof, and all every person or persons having or pretending to have any right, title or interest in or to the same, to be or appear at a District Court of the United States, for the District aforesaid, to be holden at Opelousas, La., on the 4th day January, 1892, to show cause, if any they or can, why the said Steam Boat Victorine Alert, should not be condemned, and forfeited and be sold agreeably to the prayer of libellants.

United States Marshal's Office, this 31st day of December, 1891. JEAN VIGNEAUX, United States Marshal.

U. S. Marshal's Office. In the United States District Court, Western District of Louisiana. Henry P. Fortins et als.

VS. Steamboat Victorine Alert etc. No. 124.

BY virtue of a writ of Venditioni Exponas to me directed in the above entitled suit, I will proceed to sell to the highest bidder on

SATURDAY, MARCH 12, 1892, at 12 o'clock, M. at the principal front door of the Courthouse in the Town of Abbeville, Vermilion Parish, Louisiana. The following described property viz.

The Steamboat Victorine Alert her boats, tackle, apparel and furniture, as she now lies at Henry J. Putnam's wharf in the parish of Vermilion, La., four miles south of Abbeville, Seized in the above suit TERMS CASH.

United States Marshal's Office, this 9th day of February, 1892. JOHN VIGNEAUX, United States Marshal. Saturday, February 13, 1892.

STATE OF LOUISIANA, Twenty-fifth Judicial District Court, Parish of Vermilion.

Succession of Aspasic Leblanc. No. 189.

To P. Ubald Leblanc, Under Tutor to the minors Alida, Virginia Bernadette and Livie Leblanc.

You are hereby notified that Eraste Leblanc has filed a demand before said court to revive and re-instate the mortuary proceedings heretofore had in the above entitled succession, the written evidence of which was destroyed by fire at the burning of the courthouse of said parish on the 7th day of April, 1885, and you are notified to file your answer thereto on or before September 6, 1892, on which date said demand will be tried in open court, at Abbeville, La. L. L. BOURGES, Atty. February 20, 1892.

### Sheriff's Sale

STATE OF LOUISIANA, Parish of Vermilion—25th Jud. Dis. Court. No. 414.

Chambers, Roy, & Co. Limited. vs. F. F. Feray.

BY virtue of a writ of fieri facias issued by the Honorable Court aforesaid in the matters of the above numbered and entitled case authorizing and empowering me to seize and sell at public auction, to the last and highest bidder the property of the defendant to satisfy the judgment of the plaintiff, I will sell, at public auction to the last and highest bidder for CASH, at the principal front door of the courthouse of said parish on

SATURDAY, MARCH 19, 1892.

between the hours of 11 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m. the following described property seized to satisfy said writ to wit:

One certain lot of ground situated in Boet's portion of the town of Abbeville fronting on Main street, bounded above by land of W. D. White, below by land of the Catholic Church East by Main street, formerly Quai Des Beaux Arts and West by the Vermilion River and all the buildings and improvements thereon situated being the same property acquired from Albert G. Maxwell, by the said F. F. Feray and wife about the 3rd day of January, 1885.

Terms and conditions CASH on the day of sale.

Sheriff's Office, February 12, 1892. A. L. LEBLANC, Sheriff. Per L. O. BROUSSARD, Dy-Sheriff.

W. W. Edwards, Atty. February 12, 1892.

STATE OF LOUISIANA, Parish of Vermilion—25th District Court. Succession of Edgar Lec—No. 185.

Notice is hereby given to all parties interested in said succession, or having any opposition to make to the tableau of statement of debts and charges against the aforesaid succession and final tableau of settlement of the same and the community, to file the same in writing in the office of the clerk of court within ten days from the date hereof.

Given under my hand and seal of court this 27th day of February 1892. ALCIDE LEBLANC, Clerk of Court. Lastie Broussard, Atty.

### NOTTICE.

RAILROAD EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE ATTENTION!

The members of this committee are earnestly requested to meet at the courthouse in Abbeville, at 9 o'clock A. M., on Saturday, February 27, 1892. A full attendance is desired as business of utmost importance is to be transacted.

J. HENRY PUTNAM, Chairman. February 20, 1892.

STATE OF LOUISIANA, Twenty-fifth Judicial District Court. Parish of Vermilion. No. 190.

Succession of Pierre J. Meaux. Application of Azema Meaux, and her husband Duplessis Abshire, to be appointed co-administrators of the succession of Pierre J. Meaux.

Notice is hereby given to all parties interested in said succession, or having any opposition to make to the application of said applicants, to file the same in writing in the office of the clerk of court within ten days from the date hereof.

Given under my hand and seal of court this 20th day of February, 1892. ALCIDE LEBLANC, Clerk of Court. Lastie Broussard, Atty.

### REGISTRATION.

Notice is hereby given that the office of the Registrar of voters of Vermilion Parish, will be open for the purpose of registering all persons who are not registered, and who desire, and are entitled by law to vote at the election to be held on TUESDAY the 19th day of APRIL, A. D. 1892.

Said office will be opened at the time and places, as follows:

- Opens at the courthouse, Abbeville, on Friday, February 19, 1892.
  - Ward 1—Friday, February 26, 1892, at P. U. Leblanc's.
  - Ward 2—Monday, February 29, 1892, at Kuehling's store.
  - Ward 4—Wednesday, March 2, 1892, at J. T. Broussard's store.
  - Ward 5—Friday, March 4, 1892, at Lessin Abshire's.
  - Ward 6, Poll 1—Monday, March 7, 1892, at Cleophas Vincent's.
  - Ward 6, Poll 2—Wednesday, March 9, 1892, at Désiré Vincent's.
  - Ward 6, Poll 3—Friday, March 11, 1892, at Etienne Benoit's.
  - Ward 7, Poll 1—Monday, March 14, 1892, at John Nugier's store.
  - Ward 7, Poll 2—Wednesday, March 16, 1892, at Victor Leblanc's store.
  - Ward 7, Poll 3—Thursday, March 24, 1892, at Antoine Ragazzoni's.
- And will reopen at the courthouse on Monday, April 4, 1892, and finally close on Saturday, April 16, 1892. O. II. O'BRYAN, Assessor & Ex Officio Registrar. February 6, 1892.

### Succession Sale.

STATE OF LOUISIANA.

25th Judicial District Court

Parish of Vermilion

No. 186.

Succession of Henry P. Stakes.

BY virtue of an order of sale issued by the Hon. O. C. Mouton, Judge of the Court aforesaid in the matters of the above numbered and entitled succession authorizing and empowering me to sell at public auction all the property of said succession, to pay debts, I will proceed to sell at public auction, to the last and highest bidder for cash on the day of sale on

TUESDAY, MARCH 22, 1892.

between the hours of 11 A. M. and 4 P. M. at the late residence of the deceased at Perry's Bridge, the following described property, to wit:

1. One lot of ground situated in the town of Perry in said parish, being lot No. 12 of said town, measuring one hundred and thirty-seven feet 6 inches square, more or less; bounded north by Main street, south by lot No. 13, east by lot No. 11, belonging to A. Nunez, and west by Mrs. Kate A. Nourse, being lot No. — together with the dwelling and kitchen thereof.

2. One other lot of ground situated in the said town of Perry, being numbered No. 13, measuring one hundred and thirty-three feet 6 inches square, bounded north by lot No. 12, south by Vine street, east by J. B. Mills, and west by lot No. — belonging to J. T. Hamlet, together with a corn crib situated thereon.

- 3. One lot of fencing.
  - 4. One hen house.
  - 5. Two Feather Beds.
  - 6. One Chicken Coop.
  - 7. One Moss Mattress.
- and various other articles too numerous to mention.

Sheriff's Office, February 10, 1892. A. L. LEBLANC, Sheriff. Per L. O. BROUSSARD, Deputy Sheriff. LASTIE BROUSSARD Atty. Saturday, February 13, 1892.