

THE HERALD

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AN EXPOSITION OF IDEAS

As a rule editors are looked upon as men of wide learning and extensive reading, who are supposed to mold and guide the trend of public thought;

An EXPOSITION OF IDEAS!—there is magic in the name. Nothing like it has ever been attempted before.

But enthusiasm alone will not win this prize for our beloved city. Work hard work must be done to make this splendid idea an actual fact.

The men of New Orleans are rightly enthused over this project. They have good reason to be. But they must not let their enthusiasm slack in the least degree.

EXPRESS COMPANY CHARGES

THE HERALD IS TO FILE PETITION WITH RAILROAD COMMISSION ASKING FOR EXTENSION OF FREE DELIVERY LIMITS.

LETTER FROM RAILROAD COMMISSION.

In our issue of last week regarding the charges on prepaid express matter for Algiers, simply because the designation on the package is "New Orleans"

One of the strange things about the Express Tariffs on file in the office of the Railroad Commission, is that we find Algiers listed as a separate office from New Orleans.

The Herald will file a petition with the Railroad Commission asking that the Algiers district be included in the free delivery limits and we trust that we will have in this effort the co-operation of those interested in the welfare of our district.

Gentlemen—The enclosed editorial in the Herald, which was dictated by the writer, states clearly a case which we desire to bring to your notice.

Would you be kind enough to write to The Herald stating whether or not the Southern Express Company were given an order or permission to make an extra charge for prepaid express packages for this district.

Your prompt reply in this matter will be greatly appreciated by Yours respectfully, THE HERALD. Baton Rouge, La., Nov. 21, 1913.

Dear Sir—We are in receipt of your letter of the 18th inst., enclosing editorial in The Herald relative to the Southern Express Company making an extra charge for the delivery of prepaid packages for the Algiers District.

We have looked up the matter and find that in the express tariffs on file in this office, Algiers is listed as a separate office from New Orleans.

The remedy would be the filing of a petition to this Commission asking that the Algiers District be included in the free delivery limits of New Orleans for all express shipments.

Assuring you of our desire to serve you whenever possible, I am, Very truly yours, HENRY JASTREMSKI, Secretary.

The following petition was filed to-day with the State Railroad Commission: Hon. Railroad Commission of Louisiana, Baton Rouge, La.

Gentlemen—This is in reply to yours of November 21st, File O 13.

As proprietor of our local newspaper I hereby petition your Honorable Commission asking that the Algiers District be included in the free delivery limits of the Express Companies of the City of New Orleans.

In filing this petition we wish to point out that the Southern Express Company and the Wells Fargo Express Company both maintain offices in Algiers.

The wagons of these Express Companies bring goods from the city to the Algiers offices daily. The business section as well as most of the residential section of Algiers is much nearer to the central express offices and warehouses than are the free delivery areas in the city.

We respectfully ask in this petition that we be placed on the same basis and be included in the free delivery limits as obtains in the City of New Orleans. Trusting that you will give this matter your prompt attention, we are,

Very respectfully, THE HERALD, Per Dr. C. V. KRAFT.

There will be lay service in the morning. Upon his return from the General convention our friend, Rev. Gardner L. Tucker, the efficient secretary of the Sunday School Commission of this diocese, was surprised by his congregation and friends on the occasion of the tenth anniversary of his coming among them and after an address of welcome by Hon. John D. Shaffer, he was presented with an envelope containing a gift of money.

It is not of ten that one reads about a parish where the senior and junior wardens both act as layreaders in the absence of the rector, but such is the case in St. Matthew's church, Houma, and Mr. Tucker is to be congratulated.

We are glad to have Rev. Sidney Lee Vail back with us once more. He is with relatives at 524 Pelican avenue and is recuperating rapidly after an operation for appendicitis performed some days ago.

Rehearsals for the entertainment are being held daily and great interest is being taken in it. Do not forget the dates, December 4th and 5th, and the place, Pythian Hall.

Last Sunday Robert Mouton, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Jerome Irving of Grammercy, was baptized, the sponsors being Robert Hughes Irving and Miss Inez Valentine Irving.

The Mission Study Class for Ladies will meet at the rectory to-morrow night at 7:30 o'clock.

SHOES FOR ALL THE FAMILY AT LESS PRICES AT RENECKY'S.

THE KITCHEN CABINET

HOW soon a smile of God can change the world! How we are made for happiness—how work grows play, adversity a winning fight.

HELPFUL SUGGESTIONS.

To keep paper in place in drawers use the little paper stickers or labels, half on the paper and half on the drawer.

When making face or wash cloths cut them in circles instead of square, then there will be no annoying corners to bother one.

For a mother traveling with a small baby a large market basket with its pillow will make a fine bed which can be easily picked up without disturbing his royal highness.

Many attractive patterns for patchwork quilts have been taken from patterns of oil cloth and linoleum.

When a person who is ill has to take disagreeable medicine have the patient hold a piece of ice in the mouth a moment before, the ice chills and dulls the sense of taste.

For a person too weak to hold a magazine or book use stories cut and mounted on paper or sewed together in a convenient form to handle.

"Always dampen the sweeper brush before using and escape the fine dust which will fly from it. Carpets and rugs are improved by this treatment without wear of muscle or carpet.

Keep a list of things to do in the kitchen for housework and on your desk for the social and various other duties which one is so apt to neglect.

Have a small steel horseshoe shaped nail put into the heel where the wear so quickly makes the heel uncomfortable and see how well it keeps the heel from wearing. If one is annoyed with a shoe that slips at the heel paste a small piece of velveteen in each heel at each side.

Aprons of unbleached cotton cloth are the most desirable work aprons as they may be kept white by boiling.

Nellie Maxwell.

THE KITCHEN CABINET

SIX hours a day the woman spends on food! Six mortal hours a day. With fire and water totting, heat and cold—Struggling with laws she does not understand.

SOME BEST RECIPES.

Here is a dessert which is worth while: Fig Tapioca—Soak two-thirds of a cup of tapioca in water to cover over night.

Baked Omelet—Beat the yolks of six eggs until yellow and creamy, add a teaspoonful of salt, melt a tablespoonful of butter, add a tablespoonful of cornstarch and when well blended add a cup of milk, stir this into the yolks of eggs and lightly fold in the well beaten whites, pour into a well buttered pan and bake for twenty-five minutes.

Rocks—Beat together a half cup each of lard and butter, add a cup and a half of sugar, two eggs well beaten, a cup of sour milk, two cupfuls of oatmeal and three cupfuls of flour, sifted with a teaspoon of soda, one of cinnamon, then add a half cupful each of sultana raisins and walnuts chopped. Mix and drop on a buttered pan and bake in a moderate oven.

Chocolate Bread Pudding—Melt two squares of chocolate over hot water. Soak two cupfuls of bread crumbs in a quart of milk for half an hour, then add two-thirds of a cup of sugar, add the chocolate, a half teaspoon of salt, a teaspoon of vanilla, two well beaten eggs and a half cupful of nutmeats, turn into a buttered baking dish and bake for half an hour. Serve with rich milk or cream.

Frozen Coffee Custard—Scald a pint of milk. Beat four eggs together until light, add them to the hot milk with a cupful of sugar, remove from the fire and cool, add a pint of whipped cream and a half pint of cold coffee, then freeze. Serve in sherbet cups garnished with whipped cream.

Nellie Maxwell.

The newest lifeboats for the passenger service may be launched from either side of the ship.

CARD OF THANKS.

Both Food and Medicine. Asparagus is considered one of the healthiest of quick-growing plants used for food, and is really a medicine as well as a food.

One Superstition Exploded. Contrary to general belief, a man does not look for a white horse when he sees a red-haired girl. Instead, he continues to look at the girl until she disappears from view.

Not Any Use There. "There are some things," said the man with the high brow, "that money won't buy." "I s'pose there are," replied the other with the overlapping chin, "but there's no use tryin' to use 'em to get an extension of your credit."

Girl's Man. "The average girl's idea of a man is what every healthy man wants to kick"—From The Gay Rebellion, by B. W. Chambers.

Increase of Lunacy. A famous British physician, Dr. Forbes Winslow, collected figures that in all civilized countries lunacy was largely on the increase.

In 1859 there was one lunatic in every 536 of the population. Today there is one in every 275. In France 60 years ago there was one insane person in every 750 of the population. Today there is one in every 300.

This increase he attributed to alcohol, social competition and strain, heredity, and injudicious marriages, adding that if the present rate of the growth of lunacy continued we should have more insane than sane in the world 200 years hence.

TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH. Special Thanksgiving service tonight at 7:30. At this service the children's choir of about fifty voices will sing. Additional seats will be placed in the church to accommodate the crowd.

Pastor Wedig of Iota, La., who was to preach the sermon, has sent word that he can not be here.

The finance committee meets after service.

Advent service begins Sunday. Who can be indifferent at this time? Helping Hand meets Wednesday, December 3, at 7:30 p. m.

The Basement Philosopher

By KENNETH HARRIS

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"No, Nels, my friend," said the janitor to his sorrowful Scandinavian assistant. "No, Nels, I would not make a complaint to the police." He shook his head slowly and solemnly. "No, I would not," he repeated. "Not that I grudge the police any harmless amusement; they're a hard life of it, them boys, what with investigating committees, grand juries and the like. There ain't none too many rays of sunshine on their standpoint and as a matter of principle, first of all, what good is it going to do you?"

"Now, as I understand it, the guy that sold you the ring was a medium sized guy with a sandy mustache. If you look close and careful at me, you'll see that I'm medium sized and while I wouldn't want no one to call my mustache 'sandy' to my face, I ain't got no doubt but what 'sandy' is the word a stranger would use describing of it. And I ain't the only one. There's medium sized, sandy mustached guys on the police force, even. If they was to throw out the drag and bring in all the sandy runts in Chicago, business would be at a standstill and the cars would stop running. You wouldn't want that, would you? Sure you wouldn't."

"In the next place, Nels," continued the Janitor, "this here guy didn't give you no written guarantee that it was a genuine six-carat diamond that he sold you for two-seventy-five. He may have given you the impression that it was, when he picked it up off the sidewalk, but impressions don't cut no



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ice. He might have thought it was genuine himself and been mistaken, the same as you was. Anybody's liable to make a mistake. What you ought to have done was to have took it to a good jeweler and had it certified before you paid out any money on it. You was careless, that's all there is about it.

"The other reason why I wouldn't advise you to set the machinery of the law in motion about this here business, is the principle I was telling you about. You take this for your motto: 'Never make a holler'—not under no circumstances. If you get stung, hide the swelling the best you can and keep your mouth shut until you get off some place by yourself where nobody ain't going to hear you. Then if you want to relieve yourself by a few remarks, go ahead and make 'em and get it off your chest. Anybody's liable to be a sucker some time; nobody can't be wise to all the plants there is; but, believe me, the biggest boob in the bunch is the yahoo with the yawn, who wants everybody to know how shameful he's been imposed on."

"You take it from me, Nels, my friend: the fellow that's looking for sympathy all the time never gets it. What he gets is the fishy eye or the merry ha-ha, but sympathy—nix. Not if he puts up a holler. If any son-of-a-gun gets the best of me in a deal, I make up my mind I'm just as much to blame for it as he is. All I've got is what's coming to me. If I can throw a rope on his goat any time without advertising myself as an easy mark, I'll do it; if I can't, I'll charge it up to experience."

"You see, I'm a man that likes to have the good opinion of my friends," declared the Janitor. "I've got the reputation of being a pretty flossy proposition, at least that's what my friends tell me, and I'll stand for a pretty hard poke of the gaff before I'll contradict 'em. If there's any rumors to the contrary floating around, they don't come from me. If I pick a winner any time, I ain't going to make no dark secret of it, but if I drop a week's wages on a bum tip, I wouldn't even tell my wife. This here world is full of brace games, Nels, my friend; and we all go against 'em more or less, the wise boys and the sap-heads both; but there ain't no evidence against the wise ones. They don't write no indignant letters to the papers. You'll see 'em come out of the side show with a happy, satisfied smile on their faces, and they don't go back to tell the ticket seller that he's short-changed 'em."

"Most of the trouble we have in the way of getting skinned is when we try to get something for nothing without understanding the game. I've watched things pretty close for a man that's got his work to look after, but I never seen a guy make his living by giving away valuable property. Most gener-

ally if a fellow's got something good to sell he wants somewhere near what it's worth. If I found a six carat diamond ring I wouldn't sell it to no squarehead for two-seventy-five when I could hock it most anywhere for ten dollars. Same way if I owned a gold mine that the finest experts claimed would produce a million a day—I wouldn't peddle the stock at five cents a share to get money to develop it and keep it out of the hands of the combine. I'd develop it with my finger-nails first. I don't want my bargains too big. I'm leary of 'em when they get over a certain size. I may lose money that way, but I'll bet I've saved lots of it too. Still, if I did happen to buy a gold brick that some sandy mustached guy had swiped from the sub-treasury, and found out afterwards that it wasn't what it had been cracked up to be, I wouldn't make no complaint to the government.

"No, don't you never holler. Some of these days you may buy an orange grove in Florida and be sort of disappointed with it, but you'll stand a better chance of trading it off for west side unimproved if you haven't been too nooly about it to your circle of acquaintances. Ever know a successful politician to squeal when he was thrown down? Not on your life. He lets by-gones be by-gones and keeps his little snickersnee sharpened up for future use. You may not go into politics, but it's a cinch you'll get married, and there's another game where you're liable to get the worst of it. I guess 'most every married man thinks he has at times, and the women are dead sure of it. But why bellyache? Here I've been married now close on to twenty years and—

"No, Nels, my friend, it doesn't do no good to holler. Every holler is a knock—and it isn't the other fellow you're knocking, though you may think it is.

"And if you'd had a five dollar bill in your kick instead of the small change you'd have been two and a

Want Column

FOR SALE—FOR RENT.

FOR SALE. No. 227 Delaronde street. Single house, hall on side, 7 rooms and bath, electric light and gas. 222 and 224 Vallette street. Double cottage, five rooms each side, has city water. Price \$2,500. 342 and 344 Pacific avenue. Double house, five rooms each side, has city water. Price \$1,900. Apply Mrs. L. A. Braided, 227 Delaronde street.

FOR RENT.

One-half double cottage, 335 Bermuda street, near Pelican avenue. House contains five rooms and fine bath; gas lighted. Apply 324 Bermuda. nov 17

FOR RENT.

A half cottage, seven rooms and bath with gas; 425 Bermuda street. Apply 423 Bermuda street. It

DIED.

Wingenter—On Sunday, Nov. 23, at 2 o'clock p. m., Mrs. Frank Wingenter, nee Catherine Wirth, died after a lingering illness.

Deceased, who was a native of Germany, died at the age of sixty-nine years. She was a resident of Algiers for many years and is survived by several children and grandchildren.

The funeral took place Monday evening at 3 o'clock from her late residence, 707 Evelina street. Funeral services were held at the Church of the Holy Name of Mary.

Sullivan—On Monday at 3:40 o'clock Eugene Sullivan died of typhoid fever. Deceased, who was the son of Ellen Silba and Daniel Sullivan, was a native of Algiers and was thirty-eight years old. The funeral took place Wednesday evening at 3 o'clock from the late residence of the deceased, 609 Atlantic avenue. Interment was in St. Mary's cemetery.

METHODIST NOTES.

On last Wednesday night, the Men's Wesley Bible Class enjoyed in addition to the regular program special music rendered by Miss Adams and Wallace Hebert. Arrangements will be made for a special feature at every mid-week service.

Rev. Hugh Jamieson conducted the prayer meeting last Thursday evening. His talk on "Let Your Light So Shine" was much appreciated.

The Mission Study Class of the Epworth League held its first meeting Friday night at the home of Miss Juliette Babin. Eight were present and a profitable discussion was had on China, Japan and Korea, in round-table fashion.

The League is collecting contributions to be sent to the Mary Weriela Mission, Thanksgiving eve. All who have anything to send will please have it at the parsonage (505 Pelican) by that time.

On Sunday morning, Rev. Wade Cudd of Quadrate, La., preached a straight gospel sermon on II Cor. 3. Brother Cudd has just graduated at Centenary College and will take regular work in the Louisiana conference at its coming session in December. At present he is filling the vacancies made by the departure of Revs. Singleton and Moore of Parker Memorial and First Church, respectively.

At the close of the sermon, Brother and Sister Reichart were received. They come highly recommended from Epworth church and are valuable additions to our church. Our choir gives them a special welcome.

The evening sermon was preached by Rev. Troy. His text was "Even As Moses Lifted Up the Serpent in the Wilderness, So Must the Son of Man Be Lifted" (John III, 15-16). The message was remarkable for its simplicity and its evangelical note. The congregation filled the house, there being present one hundred and forty.

After the sermon the pastor administered the church vows to Marion Ryan, Carl and Hazel Saleeby.

There will be a union Thanksgiving service at the First Methodist church, led by Rev. J. M. Henry.

The Home Mission Society is holding the annual week of prayer. Services are being held each night, except Saturday. The program is interesting and should be heard by large congregations. We give it below:

Monday night, Rev. Felix R. Hill, Bible study.

Tuesday night, Dr. Sawyer, Brazil; Mrs. Snelling, Immigration.

Wednesday night, Rev. Sutton, Progressive Work in the City and the Church's Relation; Rev. Gearhead, Missions in China.

Thursday night, Miss Nutt, City Missions; Rev. Battle, Missions.

Friday night, Rev. Jamieson, Mrs. Meekins.