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## PERSONALS AND OTHERWISE

Little Marion Favret, who spent a week here with her grandparents, returned to her home in Point-a-la-Hache Sunday.

Miss Ella Hotard, Georgina Johnson and Lillie Ott returned Monday from Baton Rouge, where they were guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Johnson during the teachers' convention.

Four knobs were decorated throughout Algiers with miniature "Liberty Bells" and the campaign to help put New Orleans over the top in the present drive is well under way.

Mrs. Chas. Hoffstetter, who was operated on for appendicitis, has returned home and is improving in health.

Mr. Geo. Priest of Montgomery, Ala. who was here for ten days, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Malone, returned home last Wednesday evening. He was indeed on a sad mission, as his wife died Wednesday afternoon in an institution in the city and he accompanied the remains home the same night.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Weber, and children, of Marshall, Tex., spent the holidays here with Mr. and Mrs. W. Weber of Opelousas Ave.

Mr. N. E. Humphreys has returned from Birmingham, Ala., where he was on a law case.

The many friends of Mrs. Jno. Mangiaracina will be pleased to learn that she has returned from "Dixie" and is much improved in health.

Mrs. A. Burke entertained the Thursday afternoon Euchre Club last week. The successful players were Mrs. A. Graf, Mrs. A. Diket and Mrs. H. Acker, playing for Mrs. Chas. Hoffstetter. Mrs. H. A. Dease received the consolation prize. Mrs. P. O. Caffero will entertain at the next meeting.

Miss Letta Meyers who is teaching school at Buras, spent a few days here.

Miss Angela Petrovitch attended the Teachers' Convention in Baton Rouge last week, stopping here on the way back to Sunrise, La., where she is teaching school.

Mrs. F. J. Borne and daughters, Mrs. Ruth Beulah and Florence, spent Sunday at Pointe-a-la-Hache.

Mrs. Eugene LeBoeuf entertained the Thursday afternoon Five Hundred Club last week. The successful players were Mrs. W. A. Dilsell and Mrs. E. Manent. Mrs. A. Diket received the consolation prize. Mrs. L. W. Peterson will entertain at the next meeting.

The Matrons Club was entertained by Mrs. R. J. Williams. The successful players were Mrs. U. J. Lewis, Mrs. O. Aycock and Mrs. M. K. V. Garland playing for Mrs. E. B. Clarke received the consolation prize. Mrs. O. Aycock will entertain at the next meeting.

Mrs. H. Acker entertained the Thursday afternoon 500 Club last week. The successful players were Mrs. E. M. Mahe, Mrs. C. Frisch and Mrs. D. Laup. Mrs. P. O. Caffero received the consolation. Mrs. S. Boyer will entertain at the next meeting.

Mrs. Mary McLean spent Sunday at Lake La.

Mrs. J. L. Borne entertained the Thursday night Euchre Club last week. The successful players were Mrs. D. D. Curran and Mrs. L. L. Acker received the consolation. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. T. U. Bucher.

A regular meeting of the Catholic Ladies and Ladies of America, No. 36, will be held Thursday at the Grunewald Hall, Gretna. All out-standings are requested to attend at the last meeting before the convention.

(Dr.) Lochte of Alexandria is the guest of her parents Mr. and Mrs. D. French. Dr. Lochte, U. S. Army, is transferred to Fort Belvoir, Ill., and Mrs. Lochte will accompany him.

Mrs. J. Mangiaracina, Jr., is home after undergoing a serious operation at Hotel Dieu.

Miss Ada Merritt of Jacoby, La., is spending a while with her sister, Mrs. Mangiaracina, Jr.

Mr. Albert Amann of Belleville St., is going to Italy with the Hospital No. 4, and will be saluted by this city.

Mr. Frank Galvin, formerly of Algiers, will be one of the soloists at the concert of the Cercle Lyrique, which will be given Wednesday the 17th inst., in the Grunewald Convention Hall.

Mr. L. W. Schoder, son of John Schoder, clerk of Court of Appeals, has arrived safely at Newport News, Va. from France, this being his second successful trip there.

A party was given in honor of the late Guyant Sunday, who came here for a short stay, but will return to Great Lakes in a week.

Mr. Umbach, who has been visiting his parents, Hon. and Mrs. J. H. Umbach, returned to Camp Gretna Sunday morning.

Mr. J. H. Bellot, of Mexico City, is visiting the Marist Fathers here.

## BIG PATRIOTIC RALLY

There will be a big patriotic rally under the management of the Louisiana, Council National Defense at the H. N. G. C. Hall, Verret and Eliza Sts., on Thursday April 18th at 8 P. M.

Mayor Behrman, Mrs. W. A. Porteous and other prominent speakers will address the meeting in the interest of Child's Welfare, War Savings, Food Conservation and Liberty Bonds.

A large crowd is expected to be in attendance. The Boy Scouts will act as ushers.

### CUT-OFF SITE INSPECTED.

Leo Favrot of Baton Rouge, Bishop Thirkfield, Superintendent Gwinn, President Capdau of the School Board and Inspector Gore visited Cut Off, Wednesday morning to look into conditions with a view of obtaining a school building for the negroes there out of the Rosenwald fund.

Mr. Favrot declared, after the investigation, he believed there would be little trouble in getting Mr. Rosenwald to contribute the funds for a new school.

At present there is a school in the settlement conducted in a fraternity home with two teachers employed by the School Board. There are 103 children. Previous to the establishment of this school, some six weeks ago, some of the negro children walked three miles to attend the Lawton school. There are some 500 negroes in the settlement, two churches, and there should be a substantial public school there, said Mr. Gwinn.

### PROMINENT WOMAN TO ADDRESS MEETING

Miss Jane Adams, founder of Hull House, Chicago, who is doing valuable work for the food conservation cause also social welfare work, will be in New Orleans, Sunday, April 14th, and will address a meeting at the Athenaeum at 3 o'clock in the afternoon. The meeting will be an open one for men and women.

### ACCEPTS POSITION HERE

Mr. J. H. Seaman has accepted a position with the S. N. O. Light & Traction Co., as electrical engineer. Mr. Seaman is from the Westinghouse Electric Co. He also formerly held a position at Alexandria, La., where he had charge of the Municipal Lighting Plant.

### THE BLUE JACKET TERPSICHOIREAN CLUB.

The dance of the Blue Jacket Terpsichorean Club which was postponed Saturday evening on account of bad weather, will be given Saturday evening, April 13, 1918, as usual at the Avenue Academy in Opelousas Ave. Christmas band will be in attendance.

### The dance given Friday night at the Avenue Academy by St. Margaret's Daughters was fairly well attended, considering the bad weather. The ladies wish to thank all who assisted. The regular meeting will be held tonight at 7:30 o'clock at the Knights of Columbus Hall. All members are requested to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Leitz of Annunciation St., entertained at dinner Sunday in honor of Miss Alita Baker and Mr. Robt. Viocknar.

Mr. Chas. Smith of San Diego, who is aviator instructor of the aviation camp there, left for his home in New York, after visiting Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Walter of 1426 Teche St.

The regular meeting of the Belleville Kindergarten Mothers Club will be held Friday, April 12 at 3 o'clock P. M. All members are urged to be present as all arrangements for the annual picnic of Belleville Kindergarten will be made.

Mrs. R. D. Evans and children are here from Baltimore, Md., to visit the former's mother, Mrs. G. Aribat.

The Jolly Twelve Euchre Club met at the home of Miss Ruth Borne last week. The successful players were Mrs. Cognevitch and Miss Josie White. Miss Stella Aribat received the consolation.

The Tuesday Night Euchre Club met at the home of Mrs. F. Yuratic. The successful players were Mrs. F. Yuratic and Miss E. Yuratic. Mrs. P. Cognevitch will entertain at the next meeting.

Mrs. K. M. Vallier, H. T. Malone, H. L. Hoyt, Vic Oliver and R. F. Whitmore attended the luncheon at the Grunewald Cave in honor of Dr. Anna Howard Shaw, chairman of the Council of National Defense.

A penny party was given at the home of Chas. Willis 902 Vallette St. Tuesday night by the Fifth B and fourth A grades of McDonogh No. 4 school, for the benefit of the Junior Red Cross. Games were played and a picture show enjoyed. The sum of \$7.00 was realized.

Mr. J. Mender, driver of Engine Co. No. 18 is on his vacation, part of which will be spent at Bay Adam where he will spend the time fishing.

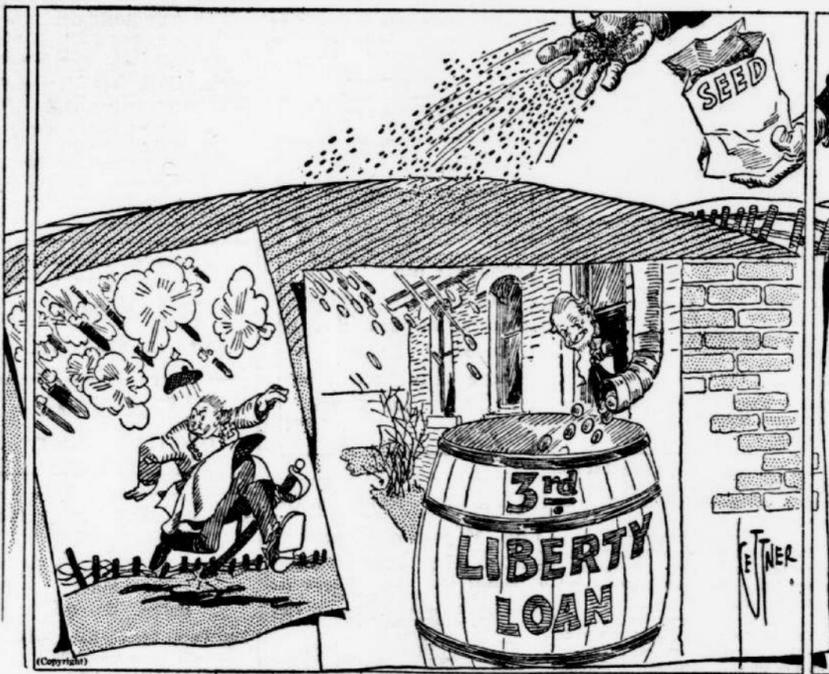
Miss Marvel Walter returned from Lafayette, La., Wednesday after spending two weeks with her sister, Mrs. C. Broussard.

Capt. George George has been transferred from the local Naval Station to the one at Mobile, Ala., where he is on one of the ships.

Mrs. J. P. Walter is home from Morgan City, where she spent a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Garrett Lynch.

The many friends of Mr. John Jaundot are glad to know that he is out again after an attack of grippe.

## April Showers



## WILL GO TO ITALY CHARLES EDWARD RUPP BONES BROKEN

Messrs. Anthony and Nicholas Castrogavanni, who have gone to Camp Beauregard for training have been selected as two of the young American Italians to go to Italy with Dr. Dana's Hospital Unit. Both of the boys speak Italian fluently and it is for this reason that they were accepted. When they left for Camp Beauregard a few days ago a large crowd of admiring friends both ladies and boys were there to bid them God's speed in their effort to capture the Kaiser.

### Funeral of Charles Edward Rupp Is Attended by Large Throng.

The funeral of Charles Edward Rupp of the United States Engineers, who died from double pneumonia at Hoboken, N. J., en route to France, last Tuesday afternoon, was held Saturday from the family home in McDonoghville and interment was made alongside his mother's remains in St. Mary's Cemetery, Algiers. A great throng attended. Services were conducted by Rev. J. P. Cassagne, S. M., who preached the eulogy at the Church of the Holy Name of Mary. Very Rev. T. J. Larkin, S. M., and Rev. Joseph A. Petit, S. M., assisted at the church services. A military escort from Camp Nichols attended the obsequies, and four of the national army men acted as pall bearers. "Taps" were sounded at the grave, which was banked in flowers, several of the designs being magnificent.

### Little Clarence Warren Gisch, 6-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence F. Gisch, of 414 Belleville St., who was injured by a horse at Belleville and Alix streets at 8 o'clock Wednesday night, is reported to be doing as well as could be expected at the hospital. The little fellow sustained a fractured jaw and a fractured shoulder blade, and it will be several days before he will be able to be out. He was playing and accidentally ran into a horse attached to a wagon belonging to J. Tripelino, 639 Elmira avenue.

### NATURAL GAS IN SIX MONTHS

"Natural gas for New Orleans will be an accomplished fact probably within six months. At the latest it will not be over eight months." This is the assurance given by authorities to several New Orleans industrial plants, which have requested some definite statement as to the probable date on which natural gas will be available in this city.

It was said Saturday that Senator Ransdell, at the request of the city administration, has already taken up with the War Industries Board the matter of getting priority orders on the pipe necessary to pipe the gas from Terobonne field to this city. It developed Saturday, also, that the city has already asked the New Orleans Gas & Light Company to fix a price on its system of gas mains, which Mayor Behrman proposes to take over. The company as yet has set no price on its property.

### CAMEL WALKERS 4, ALGIERS 10.

The Algiers Playgrounds basketball team defeated the Camel Walkers Sunday afternoon by the score of 10 to 4. It was the most exciting game ever played at the playgrounds. The feature of the game was the all-round playing of Tex Richards and L. Legendre. McGivney made a wonderful throw from midfield; R. Worley also starred for Algiers; and the guarding of "Fly" Cummins kept the Walkers helpless. Dupre and Simpson were the best of the Walkers. Next Sunday, the two teams will meet in the fifth and deciding game at Audubon Park and a good game is looked for. Algerians come out and root for your team. Patrolman Williams Manager.

### THE BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA

The Boy Scouts of Troop 30, held their regular meeting Thursday, April 2 with a good attendance. The boys met Thursday afternoon at the Courthouse grounds and drilled under the direction of Capt. L. F. Gisch. The Scouts met Friday evening at the Alhambra building for the purpose of distributing Liberty Bond posters throughout Algiers. Troop 32 and 18 attended the patriotic parade last Saturday. We are glad to report that Scout George Jones is off of the sick list.

### TRUCK RIDE.

On last Sunday, a most enjoyable truck ride was given to Stanton Plantation by a jolly crowd of young folks.

They met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. Comeaux where they boarded the truck and proceeded to the Lower Coast. The day was spent in playing ball, picking black-berries and cray-fishing.

They arrived home at 7:30 P. M., and the rest of the evening was spent at the home of the Misses Aribat, where dancing was enjoyed by all. Those present were, Misses Inez, Carmen and Stella Aribat; A. Calhoun, M. Biju, V. Bouterie, E. Yuratic, G. Sirey, M. Comeaux, T. and E. Bourgeois, E. Cox, E. Levy, U. Johnson and A. Landry, Messrs. P. Comeaux, A. Bourc, E. Reo, B. Williams, E. Woods, S. Spahr, Clarence Metzker, Felix Horenski, C. Wehre, N. McDonald, S. Yorkey and L. LeBlanc, O. Bourgeois, Otis and Edna Bourgeois and Alice Mae Spahr.

### MAYOR GOES TO WHITTINGTON FUNERAL.

Mayor Behrman left Monday afternoon for Alexandria, La., to attend the funeral of Mayor Whittington of that town. Mayor Whittington was an old friend of Mayor Behrman and frequently called upon him when he came to New Orleans.

### PURCHASES THIRD LIBERTY BOND.

Virginia Lodge No. 136, Knights of Pythias, decided to purchase \$100 of Liberty bonds at the meeting held Monday night. This is the third bond of the kind bought by the lodge, one for each of the issues.

### ELECTION OF OFFICERS.

The Royal Pleasure Club elected the following officers for the ensuing year: F. P. Dietrich, president; C. E. Dunbar, secretary-treasurer; S. T. McGarrah, chairman, Investigation Committee; L. Spertes, chairman Hall Committee. There will be a grand opening at the camp at an early date.

### BREAKS COLLAR BONE.

Herman Norris, 22 years old, of 415 Newton street, fell while riding a bicycle down the Newton street viaduct, Sunday afternoon, and sustained a broken collar bone. He was sent to the hospital.

## IDEAL TRAINING GROUND IN CUBA FOR AMERICA'S FIGHTERS



A division of United States marines is being given intensive training in a camp near the battlefield of San Juan, Cuba, and finds the conditions ideal. The photograph shows a Lewis machine gun battery practicing at the San Juan battlefield.

## SCHOOL NOTES

### McDonogh No. 4 Represented in Patriotic Parade

McDonogh No. 4 School was represented by twenty-one boys in Saturday's great patriotic Liberty Loan parade. Despite the fact that the rain was falling in torrents at the time, these young citizens of Uncle Sam's great and glorious domain, assembled at the Canal St. Ferry Landing at the appointed time and proceeded across the river to the place assigned to the schools before the formation of the parade.

The rain still continued and there followed a period of doubt as to whether there could be a parade or not. The Nation's motto, "In God is Our Trust," seemed to be the prayer of the people of the Crescent City, and soon that prayer was answered. The clouds lifted, the rain stopped, and the parade was formed.

The boys of No. 4, at a given signal from Mr. E. Etier, took their assigned place in the line and every one of the number marched from the beginning of the route to the end. Cheer after cheer greeted them as they marched through the streets.

The banner-bearer was John Beninate and his aids were Sidney Dupuis and Edgley Schritch. The large white satin Red Cross banner was donated and made by the teachers of the school. The name of the school and "100 per cent." were suitably arranged on it, and it was the prettiest standard carried by any school.

This school bears the distinction of being the only boys' school represented and the only one from the Fifth District.

These young Americans feel proud that they "did their bit" towards helping their city go "over the top" in this patriotic undertaking, and they will always remember the part they played during this stirring war time.

Mr. M. Hopper and Miss L. E. Averill accompanied the delegation. The boys were: John Beninate, Sidney Dupuis, Edgley Schritch, Gerald Cooper, Evans Mahoney, Melford Pitre, Reany Angelo, Walter Pope, John Forrest, John Leonard, Joseph Folsie, John Cleutat, James Curran, Morris Laufer, Charles Beninate, Hilary Schroder, John Roberts, Dearo Trotter, Donald Gautreaux, Joseph Simon; Edward Holton.

The following boys from this school marched with the Boy Scouts, James Stafford, Felix McAnespy, Philip Saleeby, Milton Acker, Edward Williams, Lawrence Menge, Hugh Lilly, Frank Silva, Richard Biehler, Carl Saleeby, Roy Williams, Joseph Weir.

### McDONOGH No. 4 ROLL OF HONOR

Eighth Grade A—Scholarship and department: Philip Saleeby, Evans Mahoney.

Eighth Grade B—Scholarship and department: Milton Acker and Marcel Serpas.

Sixth Grade B—Scholarship and department: Malcolm Schwarzenbach, Alvin Covell, Thos. Little, Milton Henry, Fred John, Wm. Kassmer, Arthur Rau, Alton Diket, Luke Gillen, Stanley Baker, Carl Saleeby, Alvin LeBlanc and Louis Broussard.

Fifth Grade B—Scholarship and department: Hymel Amuedo, Elmo Voegtlin, Jos. Sutherland, Chas. Gerrets and Jos. Umbach. Scholarship: Roland Meyers, Maurice Thibodeaux, Chas. Deitz, Chas. Terroberne, Sidney Andre, Ethelbert Lagarde, eGo. Zatarain, John Hunn, Julian Humphrey, Chester Camus, Jos. Weir, Wm. Entwiwelle and Leslie Kirkpatrick.

Fourth Grade A—Scholarship and department: Victor Cleutat, Jas. L. Higgins, Willis Nelson, Chas. Ramelk, Aloysius Serpas, and Chas. Puckett. Scholarship: Fred Kraemer, Robt. Smith, Wilson Barrett, Harold Hano and Esse West. Department: Marjoral McNeely, John Hunter and Walter Perron.

Fourth Grade B—Scholarship and department: Marcel Roth, Jos. Fabares, Jos. Wilmore, Louis Hubener and Armand Delcazel. Scholarship: Bernard Covell. Department: Elmer Davidson and Malcolm O'Donnell.

Third Grade A—Scholarship and department: Wellman Bond, Norman Whitney, Arthur Meanch, Alton Guillot, Louis Peterson, Melvin Perron, Lyle Albrecht and Harry Bodenger.

Third Grade B—Scholarship and department: Vincent Trauth, Russell Gilder, Alvin Reed, Chas. Carroll and Lucien Ahysen.

Second Grade A—Scholarship and department: Bennie Welner, Preston Delcazel, Edwin Schwalb.

Second Grade B—Scholarship and department: Walter and Wilbert Bainsfarther, Henry Buras, Nelson

## REJECTED VOLUNTEERS MAY GET U.S. BUTTONS

In response to his query to Senator Ransdell, Mayor Behrman Monday morning was advised that young men who volunteered their services to the country and were rejected for physical disability and other causes beyond their control would possibly, in the near future, be awarded buttons showing their status.

Since the declaration of war Mayor Behrman has received numerous requests from young men to ascertain if some insignia would not be given them to show that they had attempted to volunteer and had been rejected. The Mayor wrote Senator Ransdell, who took the question up with Adjutant General McCain.

According to the Adjutant General, an act was introduced into the United States Senate to provide such a button, and was passed by the Senate Feb. 5, 1918. The act was introduced into the House of Representatives Feb. 7, and if it is adopted there, the buttons will be issued.

### LOSES THREE FINGERS.

Mr. Alphonse Niklaus was the victim of a very serious accident on last Thursday evening while at work at the River and Ocean Towing Company. He was operating a circular saw and in some way his hand slipped causing the loss of three fingers and laceration of other parts of the hand. He was attended by Dr. A. C. King and was taken to the Presbyterian Hospital where he is now improving.

### ED. MUNSTERMAN INJURED

On last Tuesday morning at the River and Ocean Towing Company, Ed. Munsterman, was painfully injured in the groin by a piece of timber he was sawing, coming dislodged from the saw striking him. He has been laid up for several days.

### UNCLAIMED LETTERS

Remaining at Station A, New Orleans, La., Postoffice, Thursday, April 11, 1918:  
Men—  
John J. Abrame, A. M. Bollinger, Antonia Bush, C. H. Dumser, James Linzy, David Aplet (Special), George Williams, Women—  
Mary Dreckey, Mattie Gillins, Mrs. F. Jones, Mrs. L. Joseph, Victoria Owens, Alice Parker, Box 135, R. F. D. 1; Mrs. E. A. Posey, Charles Janvier, Postmaster, Joseph W. Daniels, Sup.

### WHEAT FLOUR AND SUBSTITUTES.

The attention of every housewife is called to the advertisement of the Retail Grocers' Association in this edition of the Herald, explaining the order of the Food Administration, as to use of wheat flour and substitutes. In order to explain to the housewife the real meaning of this order and the best way to conserve wheat the Grocers' Association has published this advertisement. In many instances the grocer has been blamed for his supposedly arbitrary action in selling wheat flour, when in fact, he was only carrying out the order of the Food Administration.

### Boys Who Will Participate in Track Meet in May.

- Eighth Grade A—John Leonard, 70 yd. dash.
- Eighth Grade B—Edward Williams, 60 yd. dash.
- Seventh Grade A—Rely Race and 60 yd. dash—Donald Gautreaux, Hilary Schoder, Morris Laufer, John Roberts.
- Seventh Grade B—60 yd. dash—Arthur Felcher and Alvin Gautreaux.
- Sixth Grade A—60 yd. dash—Austin Burbay.
- Sixth Grade B—100 yd. dash—Georga Bengert, 60 yd. dash—Raymond Heuer, Boyce Fleming, Thos. Hebert, Peter Anderson, Ed. Matchett, Stanley Leonard, Alden Baker, 20 yd. dash—Fred Hebert, Alvin LeBlanc, Alton Diket, Fred John, Alvin Covell, Louis Broussard and Thos. Little.

