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## TAKING DOWN THE FENCE.

Have you noticed the great improvement in the looks of property after the front fence has been removed? If you have not, it will be very convincing to you and will repay you for your little trouble, especially if you are a property holder, and you are contemplating the renewal or repair of old fences.

The present prices of lumber, labor and other materials are so high today, that it is a matter of economy to omit the front fence and in doing so, you are improving the looks of your property, and you are helping to beautify our town.

One of the biggest helps to make the West side a beautiful residence section, would be the organization of a "take down your fence" campaign. Clubs of twenty-five could be organized, all of whom would agree to take down their fences on a certain day. This first club would help organize and boost other clubs to join in this meritorious movement, and in a short time, the great improvement would be so striking that even the old fogies and the grouches would join, if for no other reason than economy.

If your fence is old, use it for kindling this winter, buy a lawn-mower, plant flowers. Give our little burg a lift in this direction, the results would be so pleasing to you that you will become a genuine booster for this movement. "Take down your fence and help build up the town."

## PERHAPS FOUR BANKS FOR ALGIERS.

The announcement made Thursday by the Hibernia Bank and Trust company through the advertisement in the Herald that they would shortly establish a bank in Algiers was not a big surprise to the many people who are watching the sure commercial progress of the fifth district. It is also rumored that another one of the big banks in the city will establish a bank over here making four banks in all. Many people are wondering whether or not it would be possible for Algiers to support four banks.

We take off our hats to the Hibernia Bank and Trust Company, in thanking them for this additional compliment for the West Side and we are pleased to know that they have discovered the fact that West New Orleans is coming into its own very rapidly, being the location of many foundries and machine shops, marine works, and kindred work, all of which help to make a prosperous section.

We are pleased to note in the announcement of the Hibernia Bank that its branch will be conducted by responsible grown men. Mr. Charles A. Henricks, our Senator-elect, in the Legislature, is well known to us and we are pleased to note that he will have charge of the Algiers branch. Mr. James H. Kepper, the cashier of the Hibernia Bank will also have supervision of the branch. The other assistant in the branch is Mr. W. J. Judge, who is also well known in our district.

There is also a movement on foot for the organization of a local bank by local people, which has not as yet taken on positive form. We trust that the rush for Algiers money will not be so great as to cause regret later on, and the withdrawal from our district of one or more banks.

## WHY? AND WHY NOT?

Columbia University has added the English Bible to the subjects on its entrance list. The requirements are based on the recommendations of fifteen Biblical instructors in colleges and secondary schools.

First-class cars are to be abolished on Japanese railroads, because they are not justified from a business point of view, and cause hard feelings from a social point of view. Third-class cars are being made more comfortable.

At their own request 3,000 workers in cotton mills in three Connecticut towns have returned to a 55-hour week after an experiment with a 48-hour week. They found that they can increase their earnings by working the longer period.

A blacksmith, Otto Horsing, who made thirteen trips to the United States as a fireman on the steamer Wilhelm der Grosse, is now High Commissioner for Upper Silesia, and frequently goes to Berlin as confidential advisor to the government.

Dr. Florence N. Richards, medical director of the William Penn High School for Girls in Philadelphia, says that mothers who let their daughters wear gowns that expose their shoulders ought to be punished—the gowns are indecent, tight skirts are immodest, the new dances immoral and bathing suits unmentionable.

Hanford Henderson, a well-known writer, has withdrawn from publication a Socialistic book written by himself because he now sees that "Government ownership and interference, and paternalism generally, are contrary to the highest social welfare, and tend to make a people inefficient, unjust, and singularly uninteresting."

At a meeting for promoting the welfare of the despised Eta (or outcast) class in Tokio, Japan, a former Japanese Minister of War, said: "Japan is advocating abolition of racial discrimination abroad. It is regrettable that there are such inconsistent phenomena at home as the attitude shown toward a section of our own brethren."

## Methodist Church Notes

Rev. C. C. Wier, Pastor, Residence 236 Olivier St., Phone Alg. 133. East Sunday at both services,

there were good congregations, though at night a threatened storm, just before the hour of worship reduced the size of the crowd.

At the morning hour, Miss Ida Harvey played a pretty violin solo as a voluntary. The pastor's text was Matt. 9:37, "Then saith he unto his disciples, the honest truly is plentiful but the laborers are few." The fact was developed that when the Master spoke these words he saw and witnessed the need of laborers for the honest. At every stage of history, the cry had been for helpers. The great Centenary celebration, at Columbus, had brought this out in the speeches that were made by literature that was distributed and by the pageants and charades that were enacted. The world is now ripe for the message of salvation and the cry is still, "the laborers are few." The pastor at the night service related that at the close of one of the great services, at Columbus, he had seen something like 400 volunteer for service at home and

abroad; among them being many for the ministry in India. There are thousands waiting instruction and baptism. Truly now is a great time to render service for the Kingdom of God.

## PERSONALS.

Dr. and Mrs. R. L. Riley and Mrs. T. P. Bell are to leave for Colorado within a few days. During Miss Bell's absence, Miss Thelma Cayard will have charge of the Girls' Choir.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Daniels of Biloxi, Miss., were greeting friends in town last Sunday. Mrs. Daniels was called to the bedside of her brother, Mr. Nelson, who is quite sick at his home on Olivier St.

Miss Inez Daniels of 413 Pelican, has gone to Covington, La., on a visit.

Vernette and Eleanor, young daughters of Dr. and Mrs. Wier, of Beaumont, Texas, are expected tonight to be the guests of Rev. and Mrs. Wier for a short visit.

Mrs. B. H. Blakeman and children, of Belleville, left yesterday for Houma, La., to visit relatives.

Master Robert Flanders of 117 Vallette St., was attacked by a vicious dog near the Custom House last Saturday night. Result, the lad is taking the Pasteur treatment at the hospital.

been sick with pneumonia, but is improving.

Miss Dorothy Labit, 825 Evelina, has returned home, after a nice visit to friends in Terrebonne Parish.

Mrs. C. J. Green and Miss Florence of Eliza street, left Saturday night for Galveston, Texas, where they will enjoy the surf bathing for a while.

Cards have come from Mr. Sanford Hebert, who is visiting relatives in Oakland, California and Miss Roberta Hafkesbring, who is doing special work in Columbia University, New York City. Both are well and send greetings.

The pastor and some of the Boy Scouts of Troop No. 18, went to Spanish Fort Monday night. Quite a crowd of the congregation met them in the water. Everybody had a nice swim.

Mrs. Henry Bainsfather, after having had a serious operation performed at the Hospital, is at home again and is rapidly regaining her strength.

Mrs. Garret Lynch of Morgan City is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Walter, 622 Verret St.

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Malone, of 222 Verret St., have moved to their new home, 8410 Panola St. They and their children will be greatly missed in the community and we pray God to use them and bless in their new home and among new friends.

Boatswain E. L. Bordelon, Assistant Scout Master of Troop No. 18, notified the boys, Friday, that the Potomac, of which he is Commander, is soon to leave and that he would be away from his work with them.

The boys desired him to still be their Assistant Scout Master and come back to them when he could.

Mr. and Mrs. Jno. B. Miller of 522 Pelican St., left Thursday night for Marshall, Texas, where they will visit Mr. and Mrs. Prudhomme.

Mrs. Perry Back of Teche St., has returned from a short visit to friends on the Lower Coast.

Mr. and Mrs. J. U. Melancon are off on a vacation, visiting relations in and around Baton Rouge.

ANNOUNCEMENT.  
Everybody attend Prayer Meeting tonight.  
Catechism meets at the parsonage Friday at 4:30.  
Boy Scouts meet at 7:30 p. m., Friday.  
Services next Sunday at 11 a. m., and 7:30 p. m.

Sunday School.  
Teachers and officers are reminded that next Wednesday night the monthly meeting will be held in the church. We would like all to be present. Remember the date, July 30th.

Perhaps you were on time last Sunday morning, if so, you were one of the few. However, next Sunday morning we want you to be one of the many. Let's have a large attendance when it is time to open.

Epworth League.  
Tuesday, several of the leaguers visited Felicity street church, where the Union Epworth League social was held. The social was to be at the Audubon Park, but owing to the weather it was necessary to change the place.

Holy Name Society  
Members one and all, be sure and be on hand tonight. A good time is promised and many things of great importance will take place at the State Board Officers' meeting.

President Thorman and Secretary Gaud and all the others will be on hand, and all the Algiers members should be present.

Louis Peterson, president of the local branch and James Higgins, secretary, have everything in readiness for this great occasion.

President Peterson desires all the prefects and the volunteers to be present for a special meeting of these men will be called soon.

Promoters of the Sacred Heart League.  
A well attended meeting of the Promoters took place Tuesday evening at 7:30. The meeting was addressed by the spiritual director, Father Dougherty, on the timely and interesting topic, "The Working Boys' Home." This is a timely subject, especially for Algiers, where the boys have so little to keep them occupied either after school or working hours.

Triduum in Honor of St. Ann.  
A special triduum of prayers pre-

paratory to the feast of St. Ann will be held on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, immediately after the 6 o'clock Mass. A numerous communion is expected on Saturday, the closing day.

SERVICES.  
Wednesdays—Masses 6, 6:30, 7.  
Sundays—Masses 5, 6:30, 7:30, 9, 10:30. Low Mass Benediction.  
Baptisms—3 to 4.  
Saturday—Confessions—4 to 7.

BAPTISMS.  
Edgar Henry, son of Henry Tapie and Eugenia Brown, of 437 Powder St. Sponsors, Edgard Berthaut and Mrs. John Heindel.

Gloria Rita, daughter of William P. Harper and Norma Barrosse. Sponsors, Olivier Miller and Mrs. Marie Kennedy.

Catherine Mary, daughter of Edward Herbert and Julia Ann Francis Twickler. Sponsors, Ed. Twickler and Cornelia Murphy.

Frank Joseph, son of Anthony Fradella and Josephine Amedeo, of 601 Vallette St. Sponsors, Joseph Fradella and Philomene Amedeo.

James Frances, son of Jos. Scramuzza and Lena Clesi. Sponsors, Gilbert and Mary Ruiz.

## Mount Olivet Church

Rev. S. L. Vail has been on the sick list for the past week.  
Services Sunday, July 27th (sixth Sunday after Trinity.)  
7 a. m.—Holy Communion.  
9:30 a. m.—Sunday School.  
8 p. m.—Evening Prayer and Sermon.

Text: "It was founded upon a rock." St. Matt., 7:25.  
Musical Program: Processional—"Praise My Soul"—Haydn.  
Hymn—"Breathe the Wave"—Fliby.  
Offertory—"Rock of Ages"—Custance.

Baritone Solo—Mr. Geo. Cunningham.  
Recessional—"All hail the Power"—Holden.

NO NEWS RECEIVED THIS WEEK.  
TOO WILD IN CELEBRATION

Americans in Paris, Released From the Horrors of Trenches, Somewhat Astonish the French.

Not the least of our pride in the expeditionary force was its good behavior. For general morals we were the prize winners. But, of course, soldiers in a nonprohibition country will get drunk now and then. One reason for our prohibition wave is the fact that many Americans have no moderation in their use of alcohol, and that they sometimes tend, when drunk, to tear up the sidewalks, writes Will Irwin, in the Saturday Evening Post.

Your French polli, who, in his reaction from the trenches took to liquor, got a blissful and genial jag, which expressed itself in talkativeness and in flirtation. The American whooped it up.

As two-coyotes on a moonlight night can give the impression of a whole wolf pack, so two drunken Americans could give the appearance of a drunken army. They might be surrounded by fifty polius, all half seas over; it was the Americans whom one noticed.

This tendency brought its most deplorable effects in Paris. The capital of the world was not a leave center. Nevertheless all sorts of commissions and activities centered there; soldiers were constantly coming and going on military errands; moreover, though Paris was officially barred, men nevertheless got Paris leave by pull or cajolery. In spite of the provost marshal and the military police we always had the American drunk with us; and when present he always announced himself. The French, who, as I have said, grow merely genially expansive with liquor, did not like this.

Beyond Comprehension.  
Kant, whose searching analysis of the pure reason, probed deeper than any philosopher before him into the mystery of consciousness, confessed that two things filled him with awe, as beyond the faculty of the human mind to grasp—the immensity of the starry heavens, and the moral sense implanted in the soul of man.

## ATTRACTIONS AT

### Foto's Folly Theatre

SUNDAY, July 27th.—"The Bush-er," Charles Ray. "Virtuous Husbands," Fox Comedy. "Pathe News."

MONDAY, July 28th.—"You're Fired," Wallace Reid. "Iron Test," Antonio Moreno. "Ford Weekly."

TUESDAY, July 29th.—"Romance of Arabella," Constance Talmadge. "Strand Comedy," Elinor Field. "Burton Holmes Travelogue."

WEDNESDAY, July 30th.—"Bare Fisted Gallagher," Wm. Desmond. "Man of Might," Wm. Duncan. Literary Digest Topics."

THURSDAY, July 31st.—"Come Out of the Kitchen," Marguerite Clark. "Harold Lloyd Comedy," "Pathe News."

FRIDAY, August 1st.—"Daughter of Mine," Madge Kennedy. "Tiger's Trail," Ruth Roland. "Mutt and Jeff."

SATURDAY, August 2nd.—"Knickerbocker Buckaroo," Douglas Fairbanks. "Bray Pictograph."

## H. N. G. C.

Friday.

"Castles in the Air," a delightful comedy of refreshing and charming simplicity, starring May Allison, will be the feature. Miss Allison is seen as Forbuna, a romantic little usher in a fashionable theatre, who believes that romance, except in books, is all bunk, because none of it has come into her uneventful life.

Sunday.

Admirers of Bert Lytell will agree that in "Blind Man's Eyes," which will be Sunday's feature. Mr. Lytell does the best work of his career. A powerful drama of love and hate, passion and intrigue, this popular actor is given a role of wide variety which calls for heart-stirring emotions and appealing sympathetic comedy.

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