

Southern Pacific To Be Asked To Re-Open Newton St.

Final action on the expropriation proceedings against the Southern Pacific railroad to cause Newton street to be opened for traffic is expected at next week's meeting of the commission...

Approval of the expropriation proceedings came as a result of an ordinance presented by Commissioner Black. This ordinance, which is to take effect at the next meeting...

According to Commissioner Black, the cost of repairing the Newton street viaduct would exceed \$100,000, whereas the city can obtain traffic rights in Newton street from the railroad as well as several improvements for less than half that figure.

The Newton street viaduct, Commissioner Black pointed out, was erected by the Southern Pacific railroad several years ago under an agreement that Newton street, from Thayer street, and from Thayer to Whitney street, could be used as part of the yards.

VICTORY SOCIAL CLUB.

It is resolved that the members of the Victory Social Club, believing in purity, cleanliness and morality do hereby rise in protest against indecent, immodest, immoral, vulgar dances...

Therefore, be it further resolved that we believe the future of every nation depends upon the proper training and development of its youth. We believe our girls and boys should have the best moral training our country can provide...

EARL CAYARD, Secretary.

AT JOHNSON YARDS.

Four steamers and a sailing vessel are being repaired and overhauled at the plant of the Johnson Iron Works Dry Dock and Shipbuilding Company in Algiers. The United Fruit tanker Camden is undergoing minor repairs...

Body Unknown White Man Found In River

The body of an unidentified white man found in the river Thursday afternoon at Nine Mile Point was removed to the morgue. The body was discovered by Adolph Schwalb, 143 Alix Street, a deckhand on the tug Buttercup.

The dead man weighed about 160 pounds, was about five feet eight inches tall, about 40 years of age, has gray pants, white shirt, tan belt and black shoes with rubber heels. He has black hair and sandy moustache.

CHORUS CHOIR MINSTREL FRIDAY.

Unless all signs fail a record crowd will be present on Friday evening of this week to applaud the efforts of the Men's Chorus Choir of the Algiers Methodist Church, Opelousas Avenue.

The evening's entertainment is in four parts: a monologue, two short sketches, including some good songs and a big closing Minstrel number, "Forty Minutes in Dixie, in Black and White."

This fun-making program marks the first entertainment by these young men, but the rehearsals warrant the prediction that the program of fun and merriment will provoke many hearty laughs and be roundly applauded.

The entertainment will be given in the basement of the Church. Admission is free. During the evening the plates will be passed for an offering. Candy, cake, ice cream and punch will be on sale. Cakes and candy will be available in quantities to purchase and take home, as well.

Time and Place: Friday evening, June 16, at 8 o'clock in the basement of the Methodist Church on Opelousas Avenue.

CHANGES IN SCHOOL PRINCIPALS.

For the first time in many years of the New Orleans public school system men principals were appointed to elementary schools at a meeting of the school board last night. Bertold C. Alwas has been appointed to McDonogh No. 4.

According to Superintendent J. M. Gwinn, who recommended the appointment of the men principals, he was actuated by the fact that the number of boys is so large in the schools in question that men are better suited to have control of them than women.

A number of other principals were appointed on the superintendent's recommendation. Mrs. Margaret Hopper was appointed principal of McDonogh No. 5, vice Miss Deick who goes to Dibert School, Miss Poncet was transferred to McDonogh No. 31; Miss Alice O'Connor to Rogers, and Miss Lilly Kenny from Lawton (white) to Pauding.

CHORAL CLUB PICNIC.

Friday, June 9, the New Orleans Church Choral Club gave a picnic at Oak Lawn, Shrewsbury, the home of Mr. A. H. Ahten.

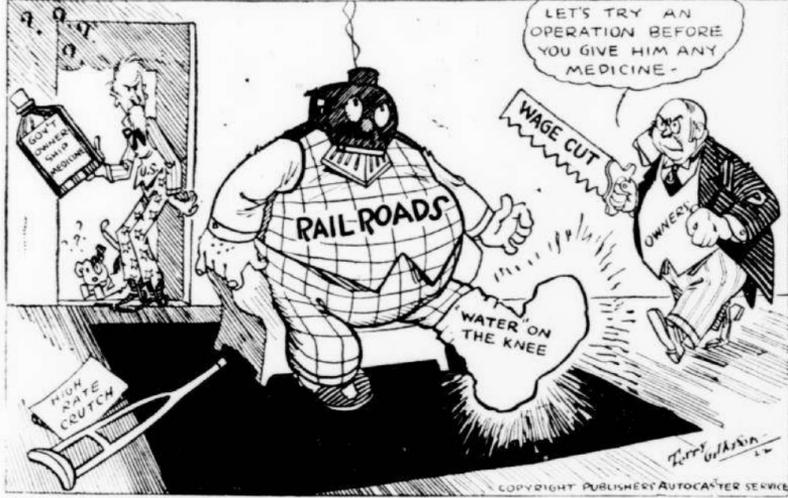
The members of the Club motored out and enjoyed supper under the trees.

They were initiated by Mr. Jas. R. Meyers after which games were played. The chief feature being an automobile race. The participants were divided into three sections, Cadillac, Lincoln, Moon, and the race was in six parts, the Moons coming out victorious.

Several songs were sung, led by Mr. E. O. Sellers, closing the fun for the evening.

Those from Algiers who attended were Misses Orrie Summers, Ida Harvey, Thelma Cayard, Messrs. Edgar Cayard, Wm. Stenger, Leslie Kerr, Mesdames Blakeman, Summers, Breese, Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Kerr and Dr. and Mrs. H. M. Fay.

The Railroad Invalid



Letters From The People

Dr. C. V. Kraft, Editor Algiers Herald, Algiers, La.

Algiers, Louisiana, June 8th, 1922. Dear Sir:— Below please find COPY of a letter mailed to Hon. C. A. Buchler, the District Attorney of the 28th Judicial District, Gretna, La.

This letter is in answer to his dated May 8th, answering our RESOLUTION of April 29th, 1922.

This for your information, you may use it as you see fit.

Sincerely yours, AL'GRE HAR, KLAN No. 45 REALM OF LOUISIANA, KNIGHTS OF THE KU KLUX KLAN. June 8th, 1922.

Honorable C. A. Buchler, District Attorney, 28th Judicial District, Gretna, Louisiana.

We have just received through our IMPERIAL OFFICE your letter dated May 8th in answer to our RESOLUTION, a copy of which was sent you on May 6th, 1922.

We note that you request us to submit to the Grand Jury the evidence we have of the many law violations occurring in the Parish of Jefferson.

If you will refer to our RESOLUTION you will note that we did not agree to furnish the Grand Jury with the evidence we have, but did agree to furnish Governor Parker with it and will at the proper time, together with that and other proofs and facts that we are daily getting.

Why is it necessary for you to ask us to get evidence and come before the Grand Jury, when you and the other Officers of Jefferson are very well paid for the efforts you are now putting forth, to say nothing of the OATH that you all took to DO YOUR DUTY as Law Officers?

It certainly appears to us, that if we as CITIZENS can get this EVIDENCE most assuredly those entrusted with Law enforcement should be able to do so.

Surely it does not require men with the ability of a Sherlock Holmes nor one with the reputation of a Scotland Yard man to unearth some of the many cases of Law Violation in JEFFERSON PARISH.

Our RESOLUTION was not intended to create any hard feelings nor do we wish to be antagonistic, however, we propose to make every effort to have the Law Officers of Jefferson SEE THEIR DUTY as we SEE it and KNOW IT TO BE.

Mr. Buchler we are not courting, nor do we want long winded argument with you or any other official, nor do we propose to appear before the Grand Jury, nevertheless as CITIZENS of the Parish we cannot help but feel that we are entitled to some small degree of protection at the hands of the men we have entrusted with the enforcement of our laws.

Can you conscientiously deny that GAMBLING in most hideous forms is the only means of support (VISIBLE) of quite a large portion of the so-called residents of the Parish, ever ready to take the earnings by fair or foul means from our wage earners and tempt OUR YOUTH?

Can you conscientiously deny that men charged with MURDER or its equivalent are allowed to roam the streets of Gretna in the shape of TRUSTEES?

Do you know that hard working men who love their families and want to give them respectable surroundings in which to live, have had to leave their bed in the middle of the night and with a shot gun go to a corner BLIND TIGER that has a sign in front of it RESTAURANT and try to stop a bunch of HOODLUMS from cursing and holding the most vulgar conversations anyone ever heard, only to be met by a DEPUTY SHERIFF and by him threatened with jail for carrying the gun?

Let us suggest that you use your persuasive powers to get the men under you as Officers of the Law to pull OFF THEIR BLINKERS and report what they SEE, then do your DUTY, we are sure that the result will not warrant OUR going before the Grand Jury.

As 100 per cent AMERICANS, CITIZENS, and KLANSMEN, every one of whom is REGISTERED and has ample POLL TAX RECEIPTS, we propose to make JEFFERSON what it should be, a RESPECTABLE PLACE

Director Of Dixie Homestead



ALLAN R. BEARY

Allan R. Beary, Notary Public and expert Court Reporter is one of New Orleans most enthusiastic Homestead and Building and Loan Association men, being a Director of the "Dixie"—Greatest Homestead South, and the Notary since 1909—Mr. Beary is an ardent fraternal man, Mason, Shriner, Elk, Moose and other organizations.

Personal Mention And General News

SHORT ITEMS CONCERNING WEST SIDE PEOPLE.

A dance will be given by Troop No. 33, Boy Scouts at Pythian Hall on Friday night. Music will be furnished by Brownlee's Band. A big surprise is in store for Algiers dancers. Admission will be twenty-five cents.

Mrs. P. E. Heard of Hunkie is the guest of her sister, Mrs. C. C. Wier. Misses Edith and Aldea McGuire of Baton Rouge are the guests of their aunt, Mrs. J. U. Melancon.

Mr. George Stevens left for his home in Thibodaux after spending some time here.

Mr. George Picon is spending his vacation at his home in Houma, La.

Mr. W. P. Martinez left for Baton Rouge on a business trip for the Standard Oil Co.

Miss Margery Miller received a gold medal for highest honors and excellence at St. Agnes Academy. She also received an elocution medal.

Emmett Mahoney received his B. A. degree at Jefferson College at the commencement exercises yesterday.

Mr. Meak Turner left Sunday for a month's visit to his father Mr. J. P. Turner of New Castle, Tex.

The Matrons Club met Tuesday at the home of Mrs. R. J. Williams. The successful players were Mrs. R. J. Williams, Mrs. E. Curren (playing for Mrs. E. J. Mothe) and Mrs. P. O. Caffero. Mrs. A. Graf received the consolation. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. J. W. Adams.

Mrs. E. J. Mothe has been spending some time in Covington.

J. J. Dunn, customhouse clerk in the office of Ross and Heyn, local steamship agents, accompanied by his wife, (formerly Miss Myrtle Sutherland of our town), will sail June 17, on the Bluefields Fruit liner Hibberas, for Bluefields, Nicaragua. The couple will spend their vacation sight seeing, in and around the historic town and will return some time in July.

The Oakdale Improvement Association will give their first grand picnic Saturday at the Druids Palm Garden. The proceeds will go towards improving the streets in Oakdale. A fine band of music will be in attendance. The price of admission will be thirty cents.

Miss Imelda Cunningham is spending awhile in Algiers, the guest of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Giepert, Sr., of 523 Bony Street.

Leonard Nash left Monday night for Mansfield.

Mrs. L. Tufts has returned from Raceland, La.

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YOUNGEST GRADUATE.

With a record of grammar school completion at the age of eleven years, leading her class in every grade, Miss Rena Faecher has been graduated from the two-year commercial course at the Esplanade girls' high school with an average of 97, the highest grade of the class, and with the added distinction of being its youngest graduate. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Faecher and the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Henning.

As the honor graduate, Miss Faecher was given the choice of three positions, accepting one with the Interstate Teachers' Agency. She expects to take courses in music, voice culture and art at Guif Park college.

AUTO STOLEN.

Fred D. Berthelot, of 535 Seguin street, reported Tuesday that his Monroe automobile, worth \$700 and bearing license No. 35125, was stolen from Dauphine and Iberville streets during the night.

June 24 Will Be Tag Day For Foes Of White Plague

Tag day for the Anti-Tuberculosis League will be held June 24. The organization needs \$10,000 to carry on the work of its clinics.

Milk and medicines are needed for sick and clinics are necessary for those who cannot afford to pay for consultation. Unless the money is forthcoming the city is to be thoroughly canvassed with a chairman for each district.

The league conducts an open-air clinic at the Charity hospital where various physicians contribute part of their time. When the needed funds are in hand a specialist will be employed to give his entire time to examinations at this clinic.

IRMA LEE SUTHERLAND GETS MEDAL.

A "safety first" expert at the age of twelve, little Miss Irma Lee Sutherland, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Sutherland of Algiers, wears a silver medal for winning second honors in Louisiana in the national safety contest of the highway and highway transport education committee of Washington, D. C. Miss Sutherland received her medal together with a cash prize of \$10 Saturday. She wrote the essay last fall, while a member of the Seventh B class of Bellefleur school.

DEALERS AGREE ON EARLY CLOSING.

Twenty-two members of the Retail Merchants' Bureau of the Association of Commerce have signed the summer closing agreement, effective last Monday. From that date until September 9, the retail stores will open at 9 a. m., and close at 5 p. m.

During July and August the stores additionally have agreed to close at 1 p. m., Saturdays. The same agreement was in effect last summer.

HANDKERCHIEF SHOWER.

A doll wedding was staged at the playhouse of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gallingshouse, the occasion being a handkerchief shower given by the kindergarten children of McDonogh No. 5, school for their teacher Miss Margaret Fitzpatrick, whose marriage to Mr. Lawrence LaSalle of Opelousas is to be celebrated on July 19.

Quite an enjoyable time was had by all present. The gifts for the bride were carried in a large basket decorated with fern and daisies, by the miniature bride who was little Yvonne Gallingshouse and the groom who was little Emmet Smith. The table was decorated in daisies and ferns, and a large bride cake stood in the center. Refreshments were served. When the cake was cut Miss Leona Schmeage, received the ring, Miss Eugenia Johnson, received the thimble, and Mrs. Cleutart, received the dime.

Among those present were Stanford Johnson, Glyn Clasen, Ellsworth O'Brien, Thomas Harvey, Marie Louise Hofman, Bernice McNeely, Estelle Sanborne, Clare Henrize, Dorothy Kirby, Violet Harvey, Lemuel Sanborne, Amos Mars, Isabelle McCloskey, Harvey Gonzales, Helen Guarsico, Marion Haag, Patrick McCloskey, George Peterson, Henry McEuen, Catherine Smith, J. W. Van Hessa, Myrtle Cleutart, Della Heitmeier, Mercedes Gallingshouse, Rose Rando, Antoinette Frissella, Bernard Anderson, Travers Hanna, John Foret, Joseph Contino, Lucille Parks, Urial McGair, Herman Burmaster, Edmond Jeansome, Mildred Sutherland, Myri Lucas, Alberta Imbau, Miss Margaret Fitzpatrick, and Miss Aline Vezoux.

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BIRTHS.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Jos. P. Skelly (nee Gertrude Morrison) of 217 Delaronde Street, a girl.

Morality League Gets Recognition In Other Towns

Following is a letter received by the Morality League from Mayor Joseph Gonzales of Gonzales, La.

Gonzales, La., June 12, 1922. Mr. L. J. Schroder, President, Morality League, Dear Sir:

Mr. Newson, a member of the Legislature introduced a bill into the Legislature to prohibit the operation of public dance halls in the State run for private gain, exception towns of over 1500 population.

I would certainly appreciate it if you would urge upon your representative to support the measure, also write Mr. Newson, giving your approval.

Noticed in Sunday's Item where the Morality League had begun its fight against the present indecent, unclean dance. As an American, I believe our boys and girls should be protected against this present evil.

Wishing the Morality League success and extending to you my best wishes, I remain

Yours very truly, JOS. GONZALES, Mayor of Gonzales, Gonzales, La.

ENTERTAIN AT DANCE.

The Misses Eliska Sullivan, Thelma Willie and Doris Aycock, entertained at a dance at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sullivan last Saturday night. Dainty refreshments were served and dancing indulged in. Music was furnished by Whitmore Jazz Band. Those present were Misses E. Cahinon, E. Sullivan, I. Wall, F. Wattigney, D. Aycock, E. Cross, F. Wilson, C. Moffett, M. Finley, S. Legendre, H. Savoy, F. McCard, V. Lusk, J. Berthaut, D. Whitney, L. Wall, P. Hymel, V. Masson, M. Delery, F. Aycock, M. and L. Dunn, O. Duplan, B. Hill, Messrs. L. Adams, J. Leonard, J. Baker, S. Leonard, D. S. Allen, F. H. Hunsacker, B. Gilder, L. Casler, C. Benimate, M. Acker, H. Israel, S. Robichaux, D. Pitre, J. Calvin, E. Drum, E. Wagner, W. and I. Stenger, H. Schwarzenbach, J. Ruiz, E. Mothe, L. Robicheaux, N. Wilson, C. Smith, S. Savoy, J. Tranchina, J. W. McCrea, A. Wall, C. Sadler, B. Legendre, Y. Maguire, F. H. Armbruster, F. Gaulene, D. Senner, H. Marcour, J. Evans, L. McMahon, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Sullivan, Mr. and Mrs. J. Wall, Mrs. Rice.

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WEEK END PARTY.

A jolly time was spent by a crowd of picnicers on a week-end party to Milneburg. Those in the party were Misses Hilda, Alice and Enez Vickman, Eleonora Perre, Marie France, and Louise and Inez Wall. Messrs. John Vickmann, Albert Lusey, Walter Persevaux, Duffy Eschmann and Earl and Albert Wall, Mr. and Mrs. Alwood and baby Helen, Mrs. Herkes and baby Eugenia, Mrs. Hy. Schulz and son Malcolm, and Masters Louis and George Gallatin and Harold Wall.

"The Human Bug" Hard To Upset



This is Kinjo Ikeda, champion Japanese Catch-as-Catch-Can wrestler, who has never been defeated. He is going into action against Walter Miller, the Pacific coast middleweight champion, in the Los Angeles, Calif., Athletic Club.

Keeps Farmers Posted by Radio



This is a photograph of Herschel Jones, director of the New York State Department of Farms and Markets, whose duty it is to assist farmers in marketing their crops. He reports prices and conditions every day, sending from the Westinghouse station in Newark, N. J.