THE GAZETTE.

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TOWN AND COUNTRY.

Henri and Félix Gerac visited New Orleans last week.

Cheap and common Spectacles often cause Head-Ache.

Don't fail to go and hear the Crescent City Quartette at Falk's Opera House Sunday night.

Rodolph Dommingeaux, of Royville was in town on business for a few minutes last week.

Mrs. E. Clements, of Alexandria, is on a visit to her sister, Mrs. P. Rogers, of this town.

Mr. Valery Ledoux, of Lake Arthur, was in Lafayette this week transacting some business.

Miss Lizzie Martin left Wednesday for Carencro, where she is the guest of her sister, Mrs. M. Francez.

Gentlemen and ladies gold watches at T. M. Biossat's jeweler.

Miss Delphine Lafond and Miss Rosa Martin left Wednesday to spend a few days with friends in Carencro.

Misses Liline Martin and Louise Bourges attended the Gardiner-Petetin wedding at Grand Ceteau last Tuesday.

Mrs. Fred Meyers, of Commerce Texas, has been called to the bedside of her aunt, Mrs. Mills, who, we are sorry to state, is very ill.

Mr. A. P. Talliaferro, formerly of this town but now a successful business man of Bunkie, was a visitor to Lafayette last Monday.

Dr. J. D. Trahan went to Opelousas Tuesday to be present at the installation of officers of the Opelousas lodge of Knights of Honor.

The irrepressible Treville Bernard, of Lake Chnrles, was here this week and extended his trip as far as Carencro.

Cheap and common spectacles often cause head-ache. To prevent this, call on T. M. Biossat and have your eyes properly fitted. All styles and grades.

Mr. Eug. J. Trahan has been pretty sick with la grippe, but we learn is su ficiently well to attend to his business.

W. A. Clark, who has been ill for the past six weeks, is now well and is back at his post of duty in the railroad yards.

Hon. Thomas H. Lewis spent a few hours in Lafayette Tuesday, en route for Opelousas. He had been to Crowley on legal business.

Wm Graser, the tinner, is putting a galvanized iron roof on the residence of Mr. Pierre Gerac. Mr. Graser is exceptionally well prepared for this kind of work.

Judge Perrault passed through town Tuesday on his way home from Crowley where he had to adjourn court on account of a severe attack of lagrippe.

Mr. Warren Gardiner and Miss Armyde Petetin were married at Grand Coteau Tuesday. Mr. Walter Mouton, of this place, acted as best man to the groom.

Mr. H. L. Fontenot, who has been on the sick list for some time, returned Monday and resumed his position as switchman in the Southern Pacific yards.

Mr. Thos. B. Hopkins, of New Iberia, and Frank K. Hopkins of Opelausas, were spending Sunday last with their parents, resuming their posts of duty on Monday morning.

Miss Jennie Torian after spending last week in town as guest of her cousin Miss Givens has gone home accompanied by Miss Louise who spends this week as her guest.

Miss Lovingskjold who has been on a visit out to the rural home of Mrs. W. B. Torian has returned to Mrs. Given's where she is "at home" to her friends.

Miss Rosa Fortune, of Berwick, is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. A. Labe. Miss Fortune leaves to-morrow for her home.

Mas. Alexander Pointhœuf, born Alicia Demonge, died on January 14, at the age of 25 years. Deceased leaves a husband and one child to mourn her death.

Mr. J. C. Couvillon has taken in his employ Mr. J. L. Lacour, of Avoyelles parish. Mr. Lacour belongs to one of most prominent families of Avoyelles parish and comes to us highly recommended, as a sober and industrious young man.

In keeping with the hard times the famous Arlington Minstrels have reduced their prices of admission from $1 to 25, 35 and 50 cents, thus enabling all to attend this fine show.

Miss Ella Montgomery and Mr. Manuel Pellerin were awarded the prizes for best dancing at the ball at Falk's hall Saturday night. Miss Montgomery was presented with a very pretty napkin ring and Mr. Pellerin was the recipient of a valuable scarfpin.

E. F. Dezalba and Fred Garrison, view artists, have presented to Mayor Campbell a beautifully bound album containing views of the Catholic church, Father Forge's flower garden, Beausejour springs and other places of interest in the town and vicinity. This work is a perfect specimen of the photographer's art and shows that these gentlemen understand their business thoroughly.

A special from New Iberia, of Jan. 15. says: "To-day Hamilton Hankins and Henry Norwood were arrested and jailed, charged as accessories in the killing of James Gill in the Central Saloon, Friday night by Ben Saintes. It is alleged that the police are in possession of evidence showing that the killing of Gill was premeditated. The evidence before the coroner's jury made it appear that Gill attempted to defend himself when attacked by Saintes but subsequent evidence disproves this."

The Sheriff's Settlement.

Sheriff Broussard settled with the State on Jan 16, for the quarter ending Dec. 31, 1893, for the following accounts:

State licenses	$ 2,486 50
Taxes	8,068 96
Total	$10,555 45

Schools.

The public school under Prof. Greig has reached an enrollment this month of 108. Many applica ts for admission have been turned away for lack of accommodation and this has caused the teachers much embarrassment. The Board should immediately provide ample facilities for the accomodation of all children who may apply for admission and sieze advantage of the impulse which has been given the cause of education by the establishment of the High School. Prof Greig and Miss Jamieson will have charge of the first four grades of study adopted, and will continue in the same building now occupied. We learn that several seats will be available next week, and parents desirous of entering their children should take advantage of the opportunity. Twelve pupils from the Lafayette public school have been entered at the High School, six in the 5th grade and six in 6th grade.

Jury Commissioner.

Judge Allen has appointed Mr. Leo Doucet jury commissioner for the thir l ward in place of Mr, Alfred Hebert, who has been appointed on the police jury by the governor.

Bath Rooms for Ladies.

We understand that Major Mouton is making arrangements to build another bath-house at the Beau Sejour Springs. This house will be used exclusively by the ladies and will be completed for the opening of the coming season.

Pupils for the High School.

Names of pupils from the town and country who passed the examination for entrance into the High School:

Mary Webb	near Lafayette.
Archie Morgan	near Lafayette.
Victor Prejean	Carencro.
Louis Prejean	Carencro.
Gilbert Bonin	Anse Pilette.
Kossuth Olivier	Broussard
Albert Meaux	Anse Pilette.
Ovey Comeaux	Anse Pilette.
C prien Trahan	Anse Pilette.
Robert Broussard	Anse Pillette.
Ferdinand Mouton	Carencro.
Sosthene Martin	Carencro.
Gilbert Singleton	Anse Pilette.
Dupre Bernard	Anse Pilette.
John Sonnier	
Andrew McBride	near Lafayette.
James Montgomery	near Scott.
Davis Church	Lafayette.
Ephis Defez	"
Edwin Chargois	"
Richard Chargois	"
Anna Hopkins	"
Mary Sprole	"
Virgie Young	"
Virginia Marquis	"
James Alpha	"
Allie Sprole	"
Philip Clegg	"

A number of applicants who have stood a partial examination, will be further examined on Monday, Jan. 22.

The Arlington Minstrels.

The famous Arlington Minstrels will appear at Falk's opera house, Thursday, January 25. The members of this company are all white and their delineations of negro character are smooth and refined, much better than a genuine negro minstrel's. The company is a large one and comes highly recommended, and are sure of a full house as they wil play at popular prices, 25, 35 and 50 cents. Seats now on sale at Falk's.

Teachers' Institute

The public school teachers of the parish are hereby notified that an important meeting will be held at the High School building, Jan, 27th inst. Matters of highest interest to every teacher will then be considered and, all are earnestly requested to attend.

R. C. GREIG, President Institute.

THE KNIGHTS OF HONOR.

Installation of Officers for the Ensuing Year.

Lafayette Lodge No. 3194 K. of H. was organized in the year 1885 by a few earnest men, but it rapidly increased in membership and to-day it is one of the most prosperous lodges in the State. Among its members, whose names are printed below, will be found men representing all classes of business. When we consider the manifold advantages to be derived from a membership in this fraternal order, it is no wonder that so many men join it. Besides the benefit certificate the order has many beneficent purposes which should induce single as well as married men to become members. Some of the prime objects of the order are: "to give all possible moral and material aid in its power to its members, and those depending on its members, by holding moral, instructive lectures, by encouraging each other in business, and by assisting each other to obtain employment." Since the organization of this lodge three of its members died, their families receiving each $2000, while the fees paid by the three members amounted to only $306. The present membership consist of seventy, viz:

Dr. J. D. Trahan	W. W. Wall
B. Falk	E. H. Vordenbaumen
Sr Bendel	Jos. Plonsky
G. Schmulen	L. G. Breaux
E. Constantin,	R. B. Tanner
P. Crouchet	J. T. Dowdell
L. Domengeaux	A. J. Ross
Alb. Delahoussaye	Alex. Delahoussaye
Ed. St. Julien	F. DeManade
C. Debaillon	J. Vigneaux
R. T. Clark	J. Weigel
W. M. Kelly	J. H. Callen
A. Labe	C. H. Solomon
S. W. Callen,	N. Schayot
I. Bendel	A. Bacque
O. H. Simpson	O. W. Alpha
B. Miller	Orther C. Mouton
D. V. Gardebled	H. E. Toll
Dr. J. F. Mouton	J. Comeau
C. D. Caffery	Alf. A. Delhomme
A. Levy	Dr. F. R. Tolson
P. A. Delhomme	Alf. Hebert
F. F. Webb, Jr.,	F. C. Triay
S. Levy	Alex. Billaud
J. I. Younger	Clet LeBlanc, Jr.
J. P. Revillon	C. H. Bradley
Dr. H. C. Salles	A. E. Mouton
Joseph Ducote	T. J. Tanner
L. V. Labbe	Jonas Weil
E. Deputy,	D. Levy
Dr. R. C. Webb	W. F. Perkins
D. Pucheu	I. A. Smith
Ad von Kalekstein	R. H. Bagley
Frank Blanc	E. Miguez
Leon Plonsky	A. J. Ross

Last Wedneday was the day fixed for the installation of the officers elected at the last meeting of the lodge to serve for the ensuing year. The officers are: Dr. J. D. Trahan, past dictator; Chas. D. Caffery, dictator; T. F. Webb, vice dictator; Alfred Hebert, assistant dictator; A. Labe, reporter: A. E. Mouton, financial reporter: B. Falk, treasurer; Alex. Delahoussaye, guide; N. Schayot, chaplain, J. P. Revillon, sentinel; G. Schmulen, guardian. Grand Dictator E. F. Dyer, Past Dictator D. T. Weil, Grand Reporter D. J. Searcy and Grand Treasurer Ed Denekamp, of the grand lodge, came from New Orleans to install the officers-elect. The ceremonies of installation were very impressive and interesting and were witnessed by a number of people. Grand Dictator Dyer, who presided over the meeting, delivered a very interesting address and spoke in a matter-of-fact way. He was followed by Past Dictator D. T. Weill, who told in an eloquent manner of the many reasons why thoughtful and prudent men should join the K. of H. The next speaker was Judge A. C. Allen, who was called upon for a speech. The judge was at his best and treated the members and guests to one of those able and eloquent addresses for which he is known. At the request of Grand Dictator Dyer, Judge Debaillon, of the local lodge, addressed the meeting. As usual, the judge was brief and to the point and, we dare say, his remarks were fruitful of good results. Dr. Graham, a prominent member of Lafayette lodge and also an officer in the grand lodge was called upon to speak and delivered a short but effective address. At the conclusion of the speeches the grand dictator announced that the meeting had come to an end, and the guests were invited to repair to the lower floor of Falk's opera house, where a banquet would be served. The re past was an excellent one; everything on the table, including the wine, was of the best. All the participants being in a happy state of mind good cheer prevailed throughout. Toasts were responded to by Messrs. Chas. D. Caffery, Judge Allen, E. F. Dyer, D. J. Searcy and Ralph Elliott. It was late in the night when the banquet ended.

Paid High For Their Fun.

Sheriff Broussard is always on the lookout for violators of the law. While on the train last Wednesday he noticed a party of young men amusing themselves by throwing chunks of coal and stone at people standing along the railroad. The sheriff did not interfere with their "sport" until the train reached Broussardville, in this parish, where they provided themselves with a fresh supply of pieces of coal and stone and when the train was passing the big pond near that place they threw several chunks at a party of women and children engaged in fishing. When the train stopped at this place Sheriff Broussard arrested three young men named J. T. Martin, E. S. Summerford and F. M. Sorels, and made affidavits against them in accordance with the facts. Judge Martin fixed their appearance bond at $25, which was signed by Mr. Henri Crouchet to whom the accused turned over $47 in cash, and two silver watches. Thursday at 11 o'clock, the hour fixed for trial, the young men failed to show up. They had left during the night. The money goes to the public school fund.

The Sheriffs' Convention.

The Louisiana Sheriff's Association of which Sheriff Broussard of this parish is the originator, met in New Orleans Monday, and from accounts published in the city papers it is a success, Governor Foster was present and delivered a brilliant and interesting address. Mayor Fitzpatrick also spoke. Most of the parishes in the state were represented, not excepting Lafayette. Of course, Ike was on hand and, as usual, took a prominent part in the proceedings. Tuesday's Picayune contains his picture and has this to say about him: "The treasurer of the association is Mr. I. A. Broussard, of Lafayette. He is one of the most jovial of the members. He was born in Calcasieu parish in 1857, and before entering public office had been engaged in raising stock and trading cattle. He was elected sheriff in 1888. Yesterday, at the Crescent Club, Mr. Broussard took great pleasure in introducing his friend, Mr. Julian Mouton, of Lafayette, as a "sure winner" to become the successor of Mr. Overton Cade as representative from Lafayette in the legislature."

Special attention paid to the repairing of fine and complicated watches at T. M. Biossat's, Jeweler.

Real Estate Transfers and Mortgages.

Recorded during the past week:

G. H. Guilbeau to Raoul V. Dugas, lots.
Dr. J. P. Francez to L. H. Prejean, land.
Frank Abadie to Gaston Francez, land.
Pierre Guchereau to E. J. Trahan, land.
E. J. Trahan to Pierre Guchereau, land.
Preston Benton to Walter S. Torian, mortgage.
Theophile Vincent to Valsin Vincent, land.
Valsin Vincent to Theophile Vincent, land.
Emile Vincent to Theophile Vincent, land.
Ita Estillette to Edrasse Breaux, lots.
Dr. J. P. Francez to Louis Prejean. land.
Heirs of Jules Arceneaux to Z. Arceneaux Sr. and Jr. land.
Joseph Boutin Husband, to Eusebe Comeau, land.
Alphonse Senegal to F. Lombard mortgage.
Eliza Dugas to Gabrielle Dubeau, land.

The A. M. Hill Comedy Company

Gave a delightful performance at Falk's opera house last night. The performance consisted of three charming little one-act plays. The first one was called "Love's Victory." It is a remarkably sweet little piece told in the excellent language of Minnie Maddern Fisk. The story gave Miss Agnes Hill an excellent opportunity to display her talent, which is of the very highest order, while the other members of the company took excellent care of the characters assigned them. The second piece was the "Golden Goose," an uproariously funny piece written by Sutherland Edwards. The story and plot are most humorous and the audience was well nigh convulsed with laughter from the opening of the story to the fall of the curtain. The one that appeared to please most of all, however, was "Brazen Born," the closing play. It lasted for about an hour and there was a laugh for almost every minute of the sixty. The situations are particularly ludicrous and errors occasioned by mistaken identity formed a wide field for the remarkably clever company to exhibit their art. So pleased was the audience with the performance that the management was prevailed upon to spend a second night in Lafayette. Accordingly this excellent company will be seen again to-night in Falk s opera house. Reserved seats for sale at Mr. Falk s store.

Duson Dots.

From Our Regular Correspondent.

—Mrs. Eula Koch returned from her Mississippi visit several days ago and reports a pleasant time.

—Ed. Loughlin has returned from the Mermentau.

—John Cain and Gaston Servat began their labors as hack-peddlers Monday. The white sheets "show up."

—Mrs. Joseph States is visiting relatives in Patoutville.

—Mr. Preston Hoffpauir is on the Mermentau.

—Rev. Porter, the new minister, preached his first sermon here not long since, and, we are informed, made a favorable impressions

—We have been informed by our efficient agent, J. R. Davis, that this place will be a ticket office about Feb. 1. Supt. Mulvey, has, we think, acted wisely in so doing; and we hope the early morning passenger will accommodate the public hereafter. Rah for Duson.

—Your correspondent here, could not send in "dots" last week. We don't wear boots and oh! What a rain! Then, your gallant, Cherokee, Totidem, etc., etc., etc., and so on, did'nt come arouud either.

—T'is not too late to make good resolutions.

—We should all resolute to live better.

—Farmers should resolute to grow a variety of crops.

—Old Bachelors and Maids can resolute to get married.

—Sweethearts can resolute to be sweeter.

—Those who are "in the cold" can resolute to get "in the fold."

—We need more happy, attractive, comfortable homes.

—We need more good clothes, better educated people, more religion, cheerful words, encouragement; kindness, good things to eat and less whisky, gambling, profanity, unkindness, extravagance and evil doing in general.

—There is a demand for manly men and womanly women, young man, young women, the world needs your services. Do you hear its call! Will yon heed?

BETSEY JANE.

Wait for Arlington's ALL WHITE Minstrels, January 25. Prices reduced to 25, 33 and 50 cents.

Married,

At Carencro, Thursday evening, by the Rev. Father Laforest, Mr. Gabriel Martin and Miss Eliza Grand.

Mr. John B. Comes returned Sunday from Barbreck where he had been to replace Jno. E Bowen who was away for a few days.

The Arlington Minstrels are without doubt the finest minstrel company that ever visited Lafayette, as will be evinced by reading the following notices from towns they have played:

Decatur, Ala., Nov. 23, 1893.—H. B. Raymond, Manager Arlington Minstrels: Your minstrel company played my house to-night to good business and gave one of the best performances ever given in my house. J. L. ECHOLS, Owner and Manager.

Longview, Texas, Dec. 29, 1893.—H. B. Raymond, Manager Arlington Minstrels: Your minstrel company is beyond a doubt the best that ever played in this city. I take pleasure in saying that the performance is strictly moral and especially pleasing for refined audiences. I. M. MOBBERLY, Manager Opera House.

Palestine, Texas, Jan. 2, 1894.—The Arlington Minstrels played my house to-night and gave the best performance of any minstrel show ever given in this city. Especially adapted to lady audiences. F. R. SAWYER, Manager Opera House.

Oxford, Miss., Feb. 1, 1893.—To Managers: You will find all members of Arlington's minstrels gentlemen. Good show. J. W. BOWSER, Manager Opera House.

This company are all white, and present a first-class moral entertainment at reduced paices, in keeping with the times—25, 35 and 50 cents. Thursday, January 25.

If you want good silverware go to T. M. Biossat's.

Notice.

All parties indebted to the undersigned, desiring to avoid costs would do well to call and make a satisfactory settlement before January 1, 1894.

Dec. 7, 1993. J. J. REVILLON.

Sheriff's Sale.

I. A. Broussard, Sheriff and Tax Collector, vs. Isaac Dugas.

By virtue of the authority vested in me by the Constitution of the Laws of Louisiana, I will sell for cash, at public auction, at the front door of the Court House of the Parish of Lafayette, within the legal hours for judicial sales, on SATURDAY, JAN. 20 1894 the following mentioned and described property, to-wit:

One PISTOL.

to enforce collection of poll tax, assessed in 1891, against said Isaac Dugas, and all costs incurred.

I. A. BROUSSARD. Sheriff.
Lafayette, Jan. 6 1893.

Sheriff's Sale

I. A. Broussard, Sheriff and Tax-Collector, vs. Gustave Savoy.

By virtue of the authority vested in me by the Constitution and Laws of Louisiana, I will sell for cash, at public auction, at the front door of the Court House of the Parish of Lafayette, within the legal hours for judicial sales, on SATURDAY, JAN. 20, 1894, the following mentioned and described property, to-wit:

ONE HORSE

to enforce collection of poll tax, assessed in 1893, against said Gustave Savoy and all costs incurred.

I. A. BROUSSARD, Sheriff.
Lafayette, Jan. 6, 1894.

Sheriff's Sale

I. A. Broussard, Sheriff and Tax Collector, vs. Guillaume Broussard.

By virtue of the authority vested in me by the Constitution and Laws of Louisiana, I will sell for cash, at public auction, at the front door of the Court House of the Parish of Lafayette, within the legal hours for judicial sales, on SATURDAY JAN. 20, 1894, the following mentioned and described property, to-wit:

FOURTEEN BARRELS OF CORN.

to enforce collection of poll tax, assessed in 1891, against said Guillaume Broussard and all costs incurred.

I. A. BROUSSARD. Sheriff.
Lafayette, Jan. 6, 1893.

Dr. J. L. Duhart,

A practicioner in the State 22 years; and in Lafayette parish 11 years, calls attention to his New and Successful treatment of the respiratory organs. Medical inhalations combined with constitutional treatment affording a cure in Consumptives, in the first and second period if they follow exactly the treatment and relief in the third period.

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All persons indebted to the old firm of Jos. Plonsky & Son must settle with the undersigned, who has purchased all of said accounts. All accounts not settled within 15 days, will be collected with cost.

HANNAH PLONSKY.

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