

THE GAZETTE.

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Arthur Hebert took in the Galveston excursion.

John Conniff, of New Orleans, is the guest of his aunt, Mrs. John Hahn.

Hart Sandoz, a popular young gentleman of Opelousas, called on The Gazette Monday.

Silver Umbrella Marks at Blossat's.

Deputy Sheriff Thomas Mouton has returned to Lafayette and is now attending to his official duties. Tom is looking much better.

Dr. Lyons, the venerable physician from Ridge, was in Lafayette Tuesday.

Louis Stelly and Sam Brown, of Carencro, were in Lafayette Thursday.

Silver hat-wears at Blossat's.

Edvard Pellerin came to Lafayette Monday to be present at the meeting of the jury commissioners.

Here's a snap for 10 days only. Silver novelties at Blossat's. Call and see the new selections just received.

Moss & Mouton have just received two more car loads of wagons—the best and cheapest in the market.

Henry Cronchet and Saul Broussard, of Carencro, were in town Monday.

Miss Emma Frere, of Franklin, is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Wm. Clegg.

Mrs. Walter Mouton is on a visit to relatives in Galveston.

Mrs. Alida Guidry, of Opelousas, was the guest of the Misses Revillon this week.

"Shirt-waist" buttons at Blossat's.

Misses Bessie and Leila Cornay and Messrs. Charles Bienville and Florian Cornay were visitors in St. Martinville Sunday last.

"Triby Hearts" are all the rage. Blossat has them.

Miss Agnes Chargois, of New Iberia, is the guest of her cousin, Miss Louise Chargois.

Many cigars that are sold for 10c. do not come up to the Daily States. Try one and be convinced. Ask P. Demanade.

The jury commissioners met at the court-house Tuesday and drew the venire for the October term of court, which will convene on the 7th of that month.

Dr. Irion's Dental Parlors, over post office, are always open from 8:30 a. m. to 1:30 p. m. and 3 to 5 p. m.

Judge Debaillon, Messrs. Wm. Campbell and Julian Mouton were in Abbeville this week "visiting friends and relatives."

We are told that our Carencro friends are already betting on the result of the next election.

Moss Bros. & Co. announce to arrive next week a superb line of Wall Paper and Window Shades. Prices way down.

Subscribe for The Gazette and get the political situation explained to you weekly by "Cherokee."

Many prominent physicians highly recommend the Daily States cigars as free from adulteration; hence not harmful.

The Daily States 5c. cigars still in the lead. For sale by P. Demanade.

The Business Men's Association will meet at Falk's hall Monday night. We understand that the question of waterworks will be discussed, and it is hoped that there will be a full attendance.

Engineers, conductors and brakemen say that the Daily States is the best 5c. cigar they ever smoked. For sale by P. Demanade.

The Daily States 5c. cigar is all hand made and imported tobacco. For sale by P. Demanade.

WANTED—A position as clerk by a young man who can keep books. Address this office.

Once tried, you will have no other. What? Why, the Daily States cigar.

Among those who went to Galveston on the excursion last Saturday were: Ozenec LeBlanc, Chas. A. Mouton, H. Billaud, Ed Estorge, Edward Doucet, Joe Labony, J. Rene Bonnet, Ralph Elliot and John Miller.

Moss Bros. & Co.'s extensive stock of Fall and Winter goods commenced arriving several days ago. Only the newest and most desirable will be offered by this firm and all goods will be sold at a uniformly low price.

No one has, as yet, announced himself a candidate for sheriff against the present incumbent. Mr. Broussard has been such a good official that it is not thought there will be much opposition to his reelection.

Last August while working in the harvest field I became overheated, and was suddenly attacked with cramps and was nearly dead. Mr. Cummings, the druggist, gave me a dose of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy which completely relieved me. I now keep a bottle of the remedy handy. A. M. Bunnel, Centerville, Wash. For sale by all druggists.

Our young friend, "Cherokee," pays his respects this week to those gentlemen who are Democrats only when the Democratic party is in the ascendancy. "Cherokee" has evidently no admiration for the time-server. He believes that consistency is necessary even in politics. The Gazette thinks that its bright young correspondent has a proper appreciation of what should constitute a true Democrat.

Ask for the Daily States cigar and get a 10c. smoke for 5c.

Mrs. S. A. Kell, of Pomona, Cal., had the bad luck to sprain her ankle. "I tried several liniments," she says, "but was not cured until I used Chamberlain's Pain Balm. That remedy cured me and I take pleasure in recommending it and testifying to its efficacy. This medicine is also of great value for rheumatism, lame back, pains in the chest, pleurisy and all deep-seated and muscular pains. For sale by all druggists.

J. J. Terry, traveling salesman for Hart & Oberndorf, of Chicago, dealers in fine clothing, has been in Lafayette in the interest of that firm. Mr. Terry has a beautiful line of samples and he has taken a number of orders from the people of the town. The advertisement of this well known firm will appear in The Gazette in the first days of October. Should you want any samples write to Terry and Wingfield, P. O. box 657, New Orleans.

Mrs. E. E. Davis, of San Miguel, Cal. says: "I am trying in a measure to repay the manufacturers of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for the great good their remedy has done me. For years I was a constant sufferer from weak lungs and bronchial asthma. My rest at night was disturbed by a hacking cough, so that I felt miserable the greater part of my time. Many remedies recommended by my friends were tried, none of which proved suitable to my case. I did not experience any beneficial results until I began taking Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. After two bottles of the large size have been used I am pleased to state, my health is better than it has been for years. The soreness has left my lungs and chest and I can breathe easily. I want all who are suffering from lung troubles, as I was, to give it a trial." For sale by all druggists.

Three Lafayette citizens returned from Galveston in real kingly style. Each had a car to himself and was monarch of all he surveyed. The only way we can account for this is that our old friend, Ozmece LeBlanc, was on board. He is neither judge nor representative, nor is he an aspirant for legislative or judicial honors, but for ten years he was agent for the So. Pac. at Scott, and it is more than likely that it is in consideration of past services that he and his two companions were so royally treated by the company—at least we have been told so.

Work is advancing nicely on Mr. Corly's law office. The pressed brick front looks exceedingly stylish and it is the first building for the kind in the town.

The above from the Abbeville Meridional indicates to his friends of St. Mary that our respected and efficient District Attorney is getting into new quarters. Well he honestly earned it, by faithful performance of duty, and long may he enjoy it. St. Mary regrets to lose the labors of so efficient a public official. Vermilion and Lafayette will honor themselves by continuing to honor him.—St. Mary Banner.

There's neatness and finish in the BUCKSKIN BREECHES that is not found in other makes. The reason they are the best is because we make more pants, know how better, and don't waste any time in manufacture. That's why the price is as low as that asked for common pants.

A Tough Negro. Numa Dugas, a negro, came to town Wednesday to make an affidavit against another negro named Joe Ruyer, who, Dugas swears, waylaid and shot him at 9 o'clock Sunday night. Dugas bore the mark of the assault upon his face. A bloody shirt showed where the bullet entered the body and where it went out. The wound was fear as to make any ordinary man fear some fatal results, but Dugas' face

wore a broad smile while making his statement to Judge McFaddin and Sheriff Broussard. When asked for the bullet he quietly put his hand in his pocket and produced the leaden missile which had gone through his body. Judging from the way he spoke, he looked upon bullets as absolutely harmless things. The simple fact of one going through his body was just a trifling incident, not sufficiently serious to disturb him in the least. He said that he found the bullet in his clothes. He gave what seemed to be a truthful account of the affair which appears to be a foul attempt at assassination.

A Timely Appeal.

Editor Gazette—The Lafayette Public School opened Sept. 9, with an enrollment of 140 pupils, a number beyond the efficient working capacity of the three teachers employed. A number of children have been turned away since opening day and as many pupils in attendance last session have not entered yet. The situation is becoming more and more embarrassing every day. It is indeed hard to refuse willing and anxious children so essential a boon as rudimentary education and yet under present circumstances it must be done. A little girl, neat and firm, came to school this week; her little face, all radiant with expectations, but—alas! was obliged to return home, her eyes filled with tears and her heart broken by the cruel disappointment. Parents come almost every day to demand admission for their children and I simply ask the question, "How long shall this condition of affairs be tolerated in Lafayette?" It is a question that demands immediate consideration, and prompt and decisive action. It is a question that affects the material progress of Lafayette to a far greater extent than the solution of financial problems discussed ad infinitum et ad nauseam.

But to the business point.

The Board has always done with its limited resources all that could be reasonably expected, and, it is safe to say, will continue to do so. But, the community must come bravely forward with timely and substantial assistance. The gods help them that help themselves. My proposition is this: Employ an extra teacher to take, say 30 or 40 beginners out of the primary department and with chart, black-board, etc., instruct them for half a day in a room by themselves, thus doing more effective work and relieving the primary grades. I have the room and we must get the teacher. A gentleman without solicitation has pledged \$5.00, and I invite all interested to consider the matter, and consult with the director, Mr. J. E. Trahan, or the undersigned in order that some definite action may be secured at the next meeting of the Board in October. Friends, I am in earnest in this matter and I beseech your hearty co-operation to the end that ample accommodation, may be afforded all who desire public education. The cost of this arrangement will be nominal.

R. C. GRIEG, Principal.

At Royville.

Messrs. Eugene Labbe and John Reaux, of Broussard, were in Royville Sunday.

Mr. Antoine Capo, Jr., of Arnaudville, is spending a few days with relatives.

Two of our social swells met in the arena Friday night. A few scratches, some pretty tough feelings and all was over. A prominent doctor acted as referee.

Mrs. Hebert, of Beaumont, Tex., mother-in-law of Mrs. D. Bonnemaison, was in Royville the past week.

It is indeed amusing to see the old "ring" trying to work up the sympathy of the people. There only and only cry is "REFORM." Rather late, eh?

We wish to correct the error we made some time back, when saying that the Billeaud Refinery was contracting cane at 67 cents a ton. The M. Billeaud Home Plantation will, on the contrary, pay as high as all others; that is according to price of sugar as quoted in New Orleans.

leans this week on business.

"Cherokee" will wager a pound box of Huylers chocolates that the Royville girls are the loveliest of the parish.

Another bet: A box of Robert Mantell cigars, that Ike Broussard will be sheriff till 1900.

Should the past be unfurled, wonder if our "Reformers" would still put up their same defence?

Cherokee had the pleasure of seeing "ardent" Democrats come to Royville a few weeks back, and whisper in his presence secret invitations. We were not honored with an "invite;" why, we know not. Probably these "Democratic champions" feared we were not true to their cause. Was it that they wished to confide this "secret work" to only a select and limited few? As all events, it matters with us very little. We know how to act and our friends will follow our footsteps. "Cherokee" is personally out of politics, but to make it hot for some "ones" he'll do so, and don't you forget it. Let the champagne open!

We hope the Democrats of this parish will make a close distinction between pure and real Democrats, and between "Democrats" who are "Democrats" only when the Democratic party is in majority. Bear in mind, fellow citizens, a number of the Democrats posing before you to-day are Republicans from principles, and are flying false colors simply to secure your suffrage. Watch them closely!

For the offices of justice of the peace of this ward, "Cherokee" suggests with pleasure the names of two Democrats. Gentlemen who have made honesty and uprightness their principles through life. No men could fulfill the duties of those offices with more honor and dignity than could Messrs B. Philogene Landry and Laodis Broussard.

As yet, Royville remains without representative on the School Board. It is now nearly a year since the Hon. H. Theall resigned, and no appointment has been made. We are informed Messrs. Olivier Blanchet and A. L. Dyer made applications for the office. Both are upright and able gentlemen, and we are surprised the Board has not yet acted.

Several candidates for police juror are mentioned. We hear of Messrs. O. Theriot, Lucien Broussard, J. E. Primeaux, Adrien Theall.

Mr. Emedis Broussard is very ill. Nelson Higginbotham has returned from the sea coast better and redder than ever.

Misses Elvia Primeaux and Julia Comeaux, have returned home after a pleasant stay of a few days, as guests of Miss Fabre, of Mauriceville.

Miss Eleanor Theriot is visiting friends at Abbeville.

Late rumors have it that combinations upon combinations are being made for clerk of court. Here are a couple: Cochrane-Reaux, Voorhies-Martin.

The Bonnemaisons visited Lafayette this week. CHEROKEE.

Lincoln As A Lover.

Abraham Lincoln's sentimental perplexities are to be shown in an article of singular interest which John Gilmer Speed has written from unpublished letters of Lincoln to Joshua Speed, for the next issue of The Ladies' Home Journal. The article will show that the great President was not steady in his affairs of the heart, that he floundered in his love, and finally induced his friend Speed to marry and tell him (Lincoln) whether marriage was a failure or not.

A RANK QUITTER.

Memphis Commercial Appeal. The Hon. W. O. Bradley went into the campaign with the blood-curdling war-hoop that ever rose from Kentucky soil since the days of Dan Boone. He went out of it with the yelp of a curfice preceding a clattering oyster can down the stony street. For Wm. O. is not in it any more. He has tucked his tail and fled the field. He is no longer the terrible Bradley, who was advertised to eat live Democrats like oysters. He is no longer a warring, rampaging Nimitidian lion, splitting the earth with his thunderous roar and swinging his tuffed tail ten feet in the air. He is simply Bill Bradley who flunked and threw up the sponge as soon as he had got a hot one in the ribs—still dear to Kentucky goldings and Kentucky coons, but no longer a body terror not a word from Bitter

Creek. Bill simply didn't come up to specifications. He had the gall, but he didn't have the grit. His jawful prowess in debate, the awful reach of his deadly tongue, the cyclonic vehemence of his omnipotent lung, all these things were down on the bills, but they didn't appear in the show. That which was a Royal Bengal Tiger has shrank to the dimensions of a harmless and very unnecessary cat. The plumed knight we had been reading about is simply a vanquished pretender, whose white plume is the white feather. Brad. is a humbug, a stuffed catamount, a sheep in wolf's clothing. Henceforth his name is Icabol and Dennis and Mr. Mudd. He is the dominicker of the cock-pit who squawks at the first touch of the gaff. He is the rankest quitter that ever went to the post with a thoroughbred and threw up his tail at the quarter pole. This is the last of Brad. He has done the one thing that Kentuckians will not forgive. He has flickered. He has turned tail. He has absquated in the face of the enemy. He has chewed off his trigger finger to keep out of the fight. Henceforth Brad. is the thing that was. He is as dead as a pickled oyster. He is a soap-soaked reminiscence, a lagging and superfluous Has-been, hanging on to the ragged edge of Now. He is the bubble that rose to the surface when Bill Bradley, the Terrible, went down. He is a burst bladder, a last year's bird's nest, a back number.

So endeth the strange, eventful history of the Mud Moses of the Kentucky coon.

"Gee Wiz" buttons at Blossat's Handkerchief holders at Blossat's.

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Contemplating a trip West or East, the Southern Pacific Co.'s advantages are worthy of consideration. We can save you time and cost by saving money by asking any of our representatives for the information you desire relative to Ticket Rates, Routes, Time, etc. We especially call your attention to the train service, which comprises the latest modern improvements in equipment. Her road-bed is the best in the South, and her facilities for Speed, Safety and Comfort assure you of a pleasant journey and a safe arrival at your destination. Her trains run through all the large cities in Louisiana, Texas, New Mexico, Arizona and California. At New Orleans her trains connect with all Railroad and Steamship Lines for the North and Northeast. Through Pullman Sleepers of the latest design and Pullman Tourist Sleepers between New Orleans, Los Angeles and San Francisco. Her courteous employes will aid the traveler and solicit your patronage. Apply to nearest Southern Pacific Agent or write to S. P. B. Morse, G. P. & T. A., New Orleans, La.

See Blossat's stem-winding watch, \$2.50. Fine time-keeper, and sold under a guarantee. It will surprise you.

Notice To Tax-payers.

Notice is hereby given that the tax-roll for 1895 is now on file in my office, and all taxes are due. On movable property, taxes will become delinquent on Oct. 1, 1895; and on immovable property they will become delinquent on Dec. 31, 1895. To avoid costs tax-payers are urged to settle before the above dates. L. A. BROUSSARD, Sheriff and Tax-Coll'r of Lafayette parish.

City Council Proceedings.

LAFAYETTE, LA., Sept. 10, 1895.

Following ordinance was offered by O. C. Mouton: "An ordinance proclaiming the result of the election held at the court-house in the town of Lafayette on the second day of September, eighteen hundred and ninety-five, at which was submitted to the electors qualified to vote under the general election laws of the State, and residing within the corporate limits of the town of Lafayette, whether they concurred in, consented and acceded to the proposed annexation to the corporate limits of said town, certain lots or land contiguous and adjacent thereto, under provisions of acts 105 of 1892."

Whereas the returns of the election held at the court-house in the town of Lafayette on the second day of September, eighteen hundred and ninety-five, submitting to the electors qualified to vote under the general election laws of the State, and who resided in the territorial limits of said town, whether they concurred in, consented and acceded to the proposed annexation to the corporate limits of the town of Lafayette, certain lots or land contiguous and adjacent to the corporate limits of said town, under provisions of acts 105 of 1892:

PEOPLES STATE BANK.

CAPITAL, \$25,000. SURPLUS, \$5,000. Does a General Banking Business.

CROW GIRARD, Pres. JOHN O. MOUTON, Vice Pres. S. R. PARKERSON, Cashier.

Marshal's Sale

United States Circuit Court, Western District of Louisiana. Wm. M. Lorce et al. vs. Tchec R. R. and Sugar Company, Ltd. G. M. Dilley & Sons, Intervenor.

By virtue of a writ of Fi Fa issued by the Honorable United States Court for the Western District of Louisiana, in the above entitled and numbered suit and to me directed, I have seized and taken into my possession the following described property, to-wit: One Parcel of Land, No. 19, Narrow Gauge, Baldwin Locomotive, now on the Hurst Plantation in St. Martin Parish, Louisiana, and will sell at public auction between the legal hours of sale, the above described property, on

Saturday, Sept. 21, 1895, at the town of Carencro, La. Terms of sale, cash with the benefit of appraisement. J. M. MARTIN, United States Marshal.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

State of Louisiana, 17th Judicial District Court, Parish of Lafayette, No. 3931.

Peoples State Bank of Lafayette, La., vs. Welman Bradford.

By virtue of a writ of seizure and sale (under executory process) issued from the Honorable Seventeenth Judicial District Court in the above entitled and numbered suit and to me directed, I have seized and taken into my possession and will sell in the manner prescribed by law to the last and highest bidder, between legal sale hours, at the front door of the court-house of said parish, on

Saturday, Oct. 5, 1895, the following described property belonging to Welman Bradford, Esq., of Acadia parish, La., and situated in the parish of Lafayette, to-wit: The nearest quarter of section twenty-one, township nine, south of range three, east Louisiana meridian, and containing one hundred and sixty-six acres acquired by Welman Bradford from the United States Government as per patent issued by the United States government on October 15, 1891, with all buildings and improvements thereon situated: one horse cart, one wagon, one grain stack, one Creole hog, one sheep and binders; one mower; one lot of shingles of 14 bundles; one gang plow; one fifth of growing crop, say of 50 barrels.

Terms cash. ISAAC A. BROUSSARD, Sheriff of Lafayette parish, Saturday, Aug. 24, 1895.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

State of Louisiana, Parish of Lafayette, No. 1350—Succession of Jacques Rouman.

By virtue of an order issued out of the 17th Judicial District Court in and for the parish of Lafayette, bearing date Sept. 11, 1895, and to me directed, I have seized and empowered to sell and will sell at public auction at the front door of the court-house of said parish, on the last and highest bid, between legal sale hours, of the following described property, to-wit: Lot No. One—The claim of said Succession against the United States for the unsatisfied land claims being O. B. W. Dist. E. 127, for 80 arpents B. 127, for 320 arpents B. 129, for 220 arpents B. 1430, for 200 arpents B. 1431, for 100 arpents B. 1471, for 200 arpents B. 1870, for 440 arpents in all 2240 arpents.

Lot two—The claims of said succession against the United States for the unsatisfied land claims known as O. B. No 1347, for 233 arpents in the report of land board dated May 1842.

Lot three—Attakapas warrant, No. 718, series of July 1842, for 50 acres of cypress swamp land on Grand Teite, Bayou Estepere.

Lot four—The claims of said succession against the United States for the unsatisfied land claims being O. B. West District of Louisiana, No. 1434, for 320 arpents, A. No. 1462, for 500 arpents and B. 1870, for 440 arpents, in all 1320 arpents.

Terms Cash. ISAAC A. BROUSSARD, Sheriff of Lafayette parish, Sept. 14.

Demand of Administration.

State of Louisiana, Parish of Lafayette—17th Judicial District Court. Whereas Cleopha Richard has filed #19 and prays that he be appointed Administrator of the Succession of Charles Richard deceased, Any person intending to make any opposition to said appointment will file the same in said court, within ten days from publication of this notice; otherwise said appointment will be made. Given under my official seal and signature in the town of Lafayette, La., this 2d day September, A. D. 1895. W. S. BERRY, Clerk of Court.

Something For Nothing.

Of all the recent events at writing the life of Napoleon in popular style, Miss Tarbell's history is the most brilliant and merited and interesting. It has appeared serially in McClure's Magazine, and is now published in a handsomely printed cloth-bound volume with 250 illustrations. The book is having an enormous sale at \$1.00 per copy. PUBLISHED BY THE LITTLE, BROWN & COMPANY, 15 NASSAU ST., N. Y. City. It is actually a new volume. Write for particulars.

FOR SALE!

Attention Home Seekers and Investors. A chance of your life time to secure an ideal home and profitable farm. Also the BEAUSIEUR Springs and Park situated on the banks of the beautiful Bayou Vermilion. A large commodious country residence with TWO HUNTERY ADAPTED to the best of the country. Excellent land. Soil very best for cultivation of sugar cane, corn, cotton, etc. One mile from the town of Lafayette; half mile from Sugar Reimers. Apply to BEAUSIEUR SPRINGS, BEAUSIEUR SPRINGS, BEAUSIEUR SPRINGS.

Notice.

My wife, Dorothy Spill, has left my bed and board and I notify the public that I will not be responsible for debts contracted by her. A. S. WILSON, Lafayette, La., Sept. 10, 1895.

Beausieure Springs, Vermilion. On the banks of the beautiful Bayou Vermilion. Excellent Spring Water. COMMODOUS BATH HOUSES. Large Dancing Platform. Beautiful grounds and plenty of shade. Largest Hotel for Dinners, Parties, Etc. Water for drinking and bathing purposes unexcelled. Call and see the place and enjoy a splendid bath.