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For State Treasurer,
LEONCE GUILLOTT, of Iberville.
For Auditor,
W. S. PEARCE, of St. Landry.
For Supt. of Education,
J. V. CALLOUN, of New Orleans.

DISTRICT.

For Judge 15th District,
C. DEBLANCHE, of Lafayette.
For District Attorney 15th District,
Wm. CAMPBELL, of Lafayette.

LAFAYETTE PARISH.

For Representatives,
OVERTON CADE, of Royville.
HOMER DURIO, of Carencro.
For Sheriff,
I. A. BROUSSARD, of Lafayette.
For Clerk of Court,
E. G. VOORHIES, of Lafayette.
For Coroner,
Dr. J. F. MOUTON, of Lafayette.

FOR POLICE JURORS.

First ward, Alonzo Lacey; second ward, Alex M. Broussard; third ward, F. G. Mouton; fourth ward, J. O. Blanchet; fifth ward, M. Billeaud, Jr.; sixth ward, Saul Broussard; seventh ward, J. A. Labbe; eighth ward, J. Whittington.

FOR JUSTICES OF THE PEACE.

First ward, Gustave Mouton; second ward, Hugh Wagner; third ward, Galbert Bienvenue and Homer Monnier; fourth ward, J. O. Savoy and Edouard Parent; fifth ward, Geo. Malegarie; sixth ward, Frank Abbadie and J. J. Comsant; seventh ward, A. D. Verrot; eighth ward, Charles Breaux.

FOR CONSTABLES.

First ward, Alex Chiasson; second ward, Andrew Cummings; third ward, L. Hirsch and Thomas Mouton; fourth ward, Theodule Baudoin and Kossuth Blanchet; fifth ward, _____; sixth ward, Anatole Cormier and Saul Babineaux; seveneh ward, Eustache Comeaux; eighth ward, Samuel Jenkins.

SENATOR CAFFERY'S SPEECH.

The following is a portion of Senator Caffery's speech on the policy regarding the Phil ppine Islands. We would like to print more of the senator's able and patriotic speech, but can not do so for want of space:

"Mr. President, it occurs to me that the infinite pains taken to show that the Filipinos are not American citizens are due to the fact that if we can hold them outside, beyond the pale of the Constitution, then we can protect certain home industries against the competition of the products of those islands. That appears to me to be one cause, if not a very great cause. It has been alleged that this war was undertaken for commercial greed. I do not believe it. I would be loath to believe, Mr. President, that there was any man or that there were any set of men in the United States so utterly depraved, so lost to every sentiment of honor and patriotism and humanity, as to undertake a war of this character, so disastrous and so destructive, for the mere purpose of commercial greed.

"I believe that after the war with Spain was declared certain parties took advantage of the situation in order to exploit our acquisitions for their personal benefit, but I do not believe that the President of the United States or his advisers ever contemplated or projected a war of this kind in order that certain men might derive benefit and advantage. That to me is so appalling, that to me shows such utter depravity and inhumanity as to be incredible.

"Now, sir if these people are citizens of the United States and are, as the Senator from Indiana stated and as the report of the Schurman commission states, utterly incapable of self-government, what are we going to do with them? Are we going to tolerate for all time a rule beyond the Constitution, deriving its source and power only from the Congress of the United States: Is not that abhorrent to the doctrine laid down by the distinguished men of the past, the dead statesmen of bygone years. Does not this distinguished man from Massachusetts, Mr. Sumner, say that the will and consent of the people must be had first before we can take them into constitutional wedlock? Can the Constitution of the United States embrace in its holy arms such people as reside in the Philippine Islands? Can we take head-hunters, polygamists, savages, slaveholders, who for all time will be incapable of our government, and make them citizens of the United States? They are citizens if we take them; and if they are incapable of ever coming up to the forms of our Government, the very best of statesmanship, the very best of humanity, the very best of regard for our own interests and our own institutions require us to get rid of them.

"I am willing to get rid of them at any moment. I do not want any accomplished gentleman from Ohio, or from any other State, I will say to my friend the senior Senator from Ohio, to be sent over there as the governmental agent of [illegible] appointed by the Executive [illegible] governors and [illegible]

[illegible] "desire to depart and be with Christ." She leaves a number of relatives and a large circle of acquaintances, by whom she will be greatly missed. But while we are sad at the parting, let us rejoice in anticipation of a reunion around the "throne of God."—*J. T. Rennie, in Christian Advocate.*

Mr. J. Shear, Sedalia, Mo., saved his child's life by One Minute Cough Cure. Doctors had given her up to die with croup. It's an infallible cure for coughs, colds, grippe, pneumonia, bronchitis and throat and lung troubles. Relieves at once. Sold by Lafayette Drug Co.

Board of Health.

LAFAYETTE, LA., Feb, 14, 1900.—The Board of Health met this day in special session with the following members present: Drs. Geo. R. Delaureal, H. D. Guidry, J. P. Francez, and Messrs. L. G. Breaux, D. A. Cochrane, J. O Broussard, and Jasper Spell. Absent: Dr. R. O. Young.

The president explained the object of the meeting to be the fixing of charges of physcians nurses and guards etc., in cases of smallpox.

By motion the following rates were adopted: Transportation of patients to pesthouse per head, $1.50; diagnosing cases per head, $2.50; guards and nurses per day, $1.00.

Messrs. D. A. Cochrane and R. C. Grieg were appointed to contract for transportation, and Messrs. H. D. Guidry, D. A. Cochrane and R. C. Greig were appointed to appear before the jury and urge approval of above charges.

GEO. R. DELAUREAL, Pres.
R. C. GREIG, Secty.

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Carnival Low Rates.

The Carnival season in New Orleans is a season of absolute gaiety and good humor. The fame of the Crescent City in relation to its Mardi Gras festivals has spread until it has encompassed the entire earth. The Carnival is made up of a series of "fiestas" in which the people participate generally and which creates a long train of brilliant occasions and gorgeous pageants. The Carnival of 1900 will be the most brilliant in the history of New Orleans. There will be two additional street parades; the one occurring Feb. 21, at night, being an electrical display, the others occurring as follows: At night, Feb. 22, Momus; at noon Feb. 26, arrival of Rex; on night of the same day, Proteous; at noon Feb. 27, Mardi Gras Day, Arrival of Rex, and on Mardi Gras night, Comus.

Arrangements have been made for a general elaboration of the various spectacles and street masking. The Southern Pacific, Sunset Route, will make a one fare for the round trip rate, with tickets on sale Feb. 19, to the morning of Feb. 27, inclusive, going, and good for returning until March 10. For particulars see agent. S. F. B. Morse, Passenger Traffic Manager; L. J. Parks, General Passenger and Ticket Agent, Houston, Texas.

It takes but a minute to overcome ticking in the throat and to stop a cough by the use of One Minute Cough Cure. This remedy quickly cures all forms of throat and lung troubles. Harmless and pleasant to take. It prevents consumption. A famous specific for grippe and its after effects. Sold by Lafayette Drug Co.

Miss Cecile Voorhies, of New Iberia, is visiting relatives in Lafayette this week.

Miss Annie E. Gunning, Tyre, Mich., says, "I suffered a long time from dyspepsia; lost flesh and became very weak. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure completely cured me." It digests what you eat and cures all forms of stomach trouble. It never fails to give immediate relief in the worst cases. Sold by Lafayette Drug Co.

A. H. Mouton, of St. Landry parish, was on a visit to relatives in Lafayette this week.

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Mr. P. B. Roy, of Royville, transacted some business in Lafayette last Thursday.

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At Lafayette, in the State of Louisiana,
At the close of business, Feb. 13, 1900.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$100,507 05
Overdrafts, secur'd and unscur'd		250 58
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation		12,500
Premiums on U. S. Bonds		1,125
Stocks, securities, etc		50
Banking-house, furniture and fixtures		6,162 65
Due from approved reserve agts.		93,176 82
Checks and other cash items		339 86
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents		146
LAWFUL MONEY RESERVE IN BANK, VIZ:		
Specie	$11,446 50	
Legal-tender notes	8,800	20,246 50
Redemption fund with U. S. Treas'r (5 per cent of circulation)		562 50
Total		$235,066 96

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 50,000
Surplus fund	8,000
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	2,407 32
National bank notes outstanding	11,250
Dividends unpaid	156
Individual deposits subject to check	151,103 94
Demand certificates of deposit	12,149 70
Total	$235,066 96

STATE OF LOUISIANA, Parish of Lafayette, } ss.

I, S. R. Parkerson, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
S. R. PARKERSON, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16th day of February, 1900.
ORTHER C. MOUTON, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:
CHAS. O. MOUTON,
J. G. PARKERSON,
CHAS. D. CAFFERY,
Directors.

Constable's Sale.

J. Grossman & Sons vs. Lock Neveu—Court of the Justice of the Peace, 3d Ward, Parish of Lafayette, La.

By virtue of a writ of fieri facias issued out of the honorable court of the justice of the peace of the 3d ward of the parish of Lafayette La., in the above entitled and numbered cause to satisfy a judgment therein rendered for the sum of $60.50 and interest and cost, I have seized and taken into my possession and will sell for cash, to the last and highest bidder, at the front door of the court-house, between legal sale hours, on

Saturday, March 17, 1900,

the following described property, to-wit:

Three certain lots of ground in the town of Lafayette, Louisiana, designated on a map of McComb addition of said town as lots fifteen, sixteen and seventeen, in block H; each of said lots having uniform width of twenty-five feet each; bounded north by an alley, east by lot fourteen, south by Seventh street, and west by Cypress street. Terms, cash. Subject to appraisement.

Witness my official signature this 6th day of February, 1900. L. HIRSCH,
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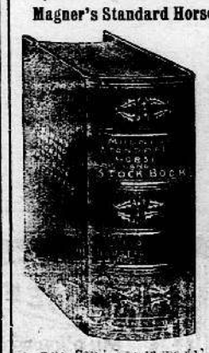

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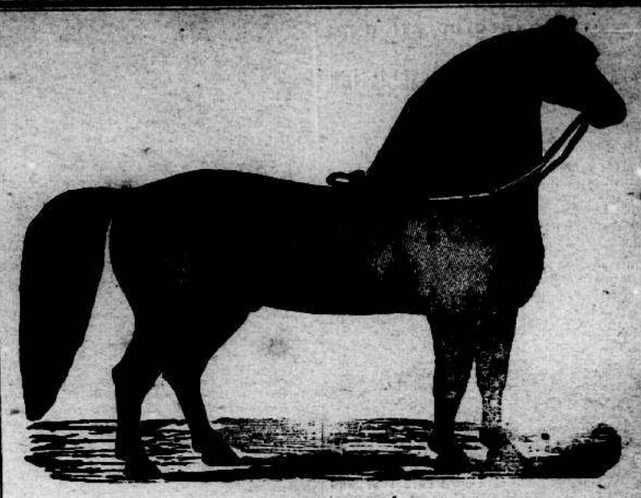

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