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Eighty-three arpents of cane and cotton land with comfortable residence, out-houses, two negro cabins, a barn and wagon shed; all fenced. Situated 2 1/2 miles from town of Lafayette.

A beautiful cottage, containing eight large rooms, two fire places; walls are all double and made of the best ship-lapped cypress lumber. A large eastern and good out-houses. Property fronts 150 feet on Lincoln Avenue and has a depth of 125 feet. It is enclosed by a good picket fence. Situated five blocks from the Southern Pacific depot. Plank walk all the way to property. Price, \$2500.

Forty-three arpents of high rolling land, with residence and out-houses, barn and good well; fenced. Situated one mile and a half from town of Lafayette.

Ten lots in McComb addition, with one good cabin on same. Price, \$1400.

A BARGAIN—Ten arpents of land on Lincoln Avenue in the town of Lafayette. Can be laid out in town lots and big money made out of same. Price, \$1500 cash.

One acre of land fronting 104 feet on Sterling Avenue. New residence with library, dining-room, large bed-room, bath-room, pantry, kitchen down stairs; three large bed-rooms up stairs, veranda on three sides of building, stable and shed for buggy; cistern and out-house.

A residence on Lincoln St. containing two bed-rooms, one hall, dining-room, kitchen, cistern, barn; lot 90x200 ft. All fenced.

Lot of ground on Main St. 75x200 ft.; two story building 36x70 ft. First floor used for a store, with large glass windows in front; second story is divided into seven rooms. New roof on the building, two cisterns and a cabin back of main building. For sale or to rent.

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One corner lot on Vermilion street, 50x170 feet with residence, store in front part of building.

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SO. PAC. SCHEDULE.

West Bound.		Leaves.	
ARRIVES.			
No. 7.	1:43 a. m.	1:58 a. m.	
No. 5.	1:55 p. m.	2:15 p. m.	
No. 9.	3:26 p. m.	3:46 p. m.	

No. 25 (Sunset Limited) arrives at 2:55 p. m., leaves 3:05 p. m., on Monday, Thursday and Saturday.

East Bound.		Leaves.	
ARRIVES.			
No. 8.	2:31 a. m.	2:46 a. m.	
No. 6.	12:01 p. m.	12:21 p. m.	
No. 10.	1:29 p. m.	1:49 p. m.	

No. 26 (Sunset Limited) arrives at 2:55 p. m., leaves 3:05 p. m., on Monday, Thursday and Saturday.

ALEXANDRIA BRANCH.
No. 72, arrives at 11:45 a. m.
No. 73, leaves at 2:25 p. m.

Church Notices.

METHODIST CHURCH.
C. C. Wier, pastor. Preaching every Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school 10 a. m. Epworth League, Sunday evening 6:45. Prayer meeting, Wednesday 7:30 p. m. Song service, Friday 7:30 p. m. Last Sunday night Mrs. G. M. Snodgrass led the Epworth League. There was a splendid attendance.

For Lagrippe take Humphries 77. A 25c bottle will cure you. Lafayette Drug Co.

Don't neglect to attend to that insurance business. Phone or write to Felix Mouton and he will call on you.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Denbo and children returned home this week from a visit to relatives in Indiana.

You will find the most complete line of Humphries Specifics at Lafayette Drug Co.

Notice.

Scaled bids will be received by Mr. C. H. Lusted for the construction of a plank walk along Vermilion street from the corner of Clinton Avenue near Denzade's corner, to the corporation limits, three blocks in all. The walk to be a four-foot one, built on three stringers, contractor to furnish all material, bids subject to approval of Council. Walk will be opened at 10 o'clock a. m., Wednesday, March 13, at The Gazette office.

General Insurance.

Life: Equitable of the United States.
Accident: Employers' Liability Assurance Co.
Boiler: Hartford Steam Boiler Insurance and Inspection Co.
Tornado: Home Insurance Co. of N. Y.
Surety Bond: American Surety Co. of New York.
Rent: Home Ins. Co. of N. Y.
Fire: Liverpool & London Globe; Royal Exchange; Royal of Liverpool; North British and Mercantile; Greenwich of New York; Lancashire of Manchester; Pennsylvania of Philadelphia; National of Hartford, Conn.; Mechanics and Traders of New Orleans.
S. R. PARKERSON, Agent.
FELIX MOUTON, Solicitor.

NOTICE

Non-residents and Unknown Delinquents.

Lafayette, La., March 7, 1901.
The following named non-residents whose post-office address is unknown, and unknown owners, are hereby notified that the State and parish taxes on the property described below as per assessment rolls for the year indicated, are now due and delinquent since January 1, 1901, and same must be paid with costs and penalties or said property will be sold according to law:

Fustlier Gabriel, assigns, 47 acres in sec. 65, Tp 10, S. R. 5 E. Valuation \$282.00; State tax \$1.50, parish \$2.82, school 56 cents, notice \$1.00.

Unknown, 29 acres of land bounded north by N. Simon and south by same. Valuation \$116; State tax 70 cents, parish \$1.10, school 23 cents, notice \$1.00.

Frejanc, Mrs. Adonnis, one lot in Scott; valuation \$2; State tax 15 cents, parish tax 25 cents, school 5 cents, notice \$1.00.

Darby, John, 50 acres of land with improvements bounded north by Bayou Carecero and south by O. Breux. Valuation \$500; State tax \$3.00, parish \$5.00, school \$1.00, notice \$1.00.

Thibodeaux, Mrs. Lessie, 50 acres of land bounded north by P. and D. Broussard. Valuation \$350.00; State tax \$2.10, parish tax \$3.50, school tax 70 cents, notice \$1.00.

Cormier Oculi, 40 acres of land with improvements bounded north by L. Hanks, south by V. Cormier. Valuation \$200.00; State tax \$1.20, parish tax \$2.00, school tax 40 cents, notice \$1.00.

Upton D. P., 60 acres of land with improvements, bounded north by J. Lyons, south by R. Franzer. Valuation \$450.00; State tax \$2.70, parish tax \$4.50; school tax, 90 cents, notice \$1.00.

Lassere Ernest, lots 5-6, sgr. 25, McComb's Addition. Valuation \$400.00; State tax \$2.40, parish tax \$1.20, notice \$1.00.

Unknown, 8 acres of land, bounded north by DeClout and south by same, taxes for 97-98-99-1900. Valuation \$64.00; State tax, \$1.52; parish tax \$2.56, school tax 13 cents, notice \$1.00.

I. A. BROUSSARD, Sheriff and Tax-Collector, Lafayette Parish, March 9, 1901.

LIEUT. MOSS COMMENDED.

Inspector General Brown recommends that the Young Soldier be Appointed Commissary of Subsistence.

Of all officially unwelcome visitors at an army post the Inspector ranks first. He is the official fault finder who comes around periodically and gives almost everybody a general hauling-over-the coals. As a rule he is, personally, a charming individual who enjoys telling and enjoys hearing a good story, and up to the time of his departure there is nothing in his manner to indicate otherwise than that he has found conditions at the post above criticism. However, it is the exception to the rule when that impression is not promptly dissipated by the early receipt of a communication at the post calling attention in positive terms to certain irregularities noticed by the Inspector upon his recent visit, and calling on the officer in command for an explanation, etc.

It will be pleasing to his friends to learn from the appended report how Lieut. Moss "ran the gauntlet" at a recent inspection of his post:

TAYUG, PANGASINAN, LUZON, P. I., November 17, 1900.

The Adjutant General, U. S. Army, Washington, D. C., (Through military channels.)

Sir: Upon making an official inspection of matters pertaining to the Subsistence Department at this post, I am so favorably impressed with his business-like methods, energy, and intelligent performance of the duties devolving upon him, that I have the honor to recommend the Post Commissary, 1st Lieut. James A. Moss, 24th Infantry, for appointment as Commissary of Subsistence with the rank of captain in the regular establishment.

This recommendation is made without hint or solicitation on the part of Lieut. Moss or any of his friends—in fact I do not even know that he is an applicant for such appointment.

This recommendation therefore may be taken as purely official and made with view to securing efficient service in the Subsistence Department. Very respectfully,

W. C. BROWN, Major 42nd Inf'y., U. S. V. Act'g. Insp. Genl.

1ST ENDORSEMENT.
TAYUG, PANGASINAN, P. I., November 17, 1900.

Respectfully forwarded. I concur with Maj. Brown in his estimate of Lieut. Moss, who has discharged the duties of Regimental Commissary and Post Quartermaster to my entire satisfaction. He has signal ability as an officer and high personal character.

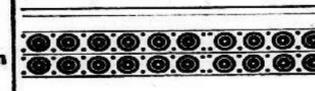
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For sale at Lafayette Drug Co., Diamond Dyes, by the gross or single package.

The Times-Democrat, Twice a week, 12 months, \$1.00. Joe E. Mouton, Agent.

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REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

The following real estate transfers were recorded in the clerk's office during the past week:
Jules Jeanmarc to Jules Dutel, one lot in Carencro, \$350.

Alcide Delhomme to Marguerite M. York, 50 acres in near Carencro, \$1400.

Clemence Breaux to Jules Cormier, 5 arpents woodland in sixth ward, \$45.

Clemence Breaux to Esdras Breaux, 5 acres in sixth ward, \$50.

Jules Cormier to Adam Cormier, 5 acres woodland in sixth ward, \$45.

Hernance Landry to Dr. Geo. R. DeLaurel, one lot with improvements in Broussard, \$1500.

Emilie Trahan to Ellen Landry, 26 arpents in fourth ward, \$200.

Emilie Trahan to Valerien Comeau, 7 arpents in fourth ward, \$140.

Southern Development Co. to John Nickerson, one lot in Lafayette.

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Andrus Amuny to Mike Abud, lot in Lafayette, \$400.

Julien Comeau to Frank Gilbert, 35 arpents in sixth ward, \$500.

Lodoiska Breaux to Louis G. Bernard, 12 arpents in sixth ward, \$400.

Martial Trahan and others to Genevieve Azema Bourque, 5 arpents in fourth ward, \$110.

Joseph Reaux to Dr. R. O. Young, 21 arpents in fourth ward, \$487.

Dr. R. O. Young to Alex Guillaume, half interest in 100 arpents in fourth ward, \$1210.

Dr. A. O. Clark to Martin Sarver 25 acres in 2d ward, \$250.

Martin Sarver to J. N. Hoffpauir, 25 acres in 2d ward, \$300.

Elizabeth H. Mills to Chas. D. Caffery, lot in Lafayette, \$75.

Lodoiska Breaux to Esdras Breaux, one lot in Carencro, \$50.

Esdras Breaux to Numa Breaux, 25 arpents in sixth ward, \$250.

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Lodoiska Breaux to C. Addison, 8 arpents in sixth ward, \$150.

Southern Development Co. to Anne Queenland, 4 lots in Lafayette, \$313.50.

The Times-Democrat, Daily, one month, \$1.00; 12 months, \$12.00. Joe E. Mouton, Agent.

Fire Co. No. 1. Fire Company No. 1 held a meeting last Monday night and elected the following officers: President, Wm. Campbell; vice-president, Judge Debaillon; secretary, Felix Mouton; treasurer, D. V. Gardebled; foreman, Paul Castel; 1st assistant foreman, John Graser; 2d assistant foreman, Abe Hirsch; keyman, Hyman Plonsky; nozzlemaster, Wm. Graser; plugman, A. J. LeBlanc; house-keeper, Louis Hebert.

The company decided to give a supper on March 14.

A complete assortment of Diamond Dyes for sale by Lafayette Drug Co.

Creole onion sets, Moss Pharmacy

Firemen Will Meet Monday. The members of the three fire companies of Lafayette will meet at Falk's hall on Tuesday instead of Monday night. The purpose of the meeting is to elect officers of the department. A full attendance is desired.

Three Fine Entertainments. Through the efforts of a number of citizens the people of Lafayette will be afforded an opportunity to enjoy three first-class entertainments. On Friday, March 22, the Boston Concert Company, one of the greatest musical troupes on the stage, will play here. About two weeks later, Joaquin Miller, the famous poet of the Sierras, will deliver a lecture on the Klondike and will read some of his masterful literary productions. After an interval of two more weeks, Harr Wagner, one of the most popular American lecturers, will deliver a lecture. The admission to each entertainment will be 50 cents. These will unquestionably be the finest attractions of the whole season.

In order to secure these entertainments a number of citizens were compelled to guarantee the amount required.

Buy your shelled corn for feed or seed at George A. DeBlanc's, at the old stand near the depot.

MAIN BUILDING

Of the Industrial Institute Accepted by the Board—Other Important Matters Attended to.

Several important matters were taken up and fully discussed at the called meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Industrial Institute last Saturday. The members of the Board present were Vice-president Robert Martin, of St. Martinville, Capt. J. C. Buchanan, of Lafayette, Mr. James A. Lee, of New Iberia, Hon. T. H. Lewis, of Opelousas, Lieut.-Gov. Estapinal and Prof. Brown Ayres, of New Orleans.

After making a thorough inspection of the building and receiving a report from the architects of its completion according to contract, its final acceptance was ratified by a resolution.

The question as to the sale of bonds authorized by Acts 71 and 91 of the last Legislature, was then brought up and arrangements were completed for the sale of the bonds at par to the local banks. The proceeds of these bonds, which will amount to somewhat over forty thousand dollars, will be immediately applied, in part to the cost of the main building and in part to the construction of other buildings necessary for the school, upon which work is soon to begin.

Upon recommendation of President Stephens, and upon examination of preliminary plans already outlined, the architects, Messrs. Favrot & Livaudais, were authorized and instructed to begin at once upon the plans and specifications for a two-story brick dormitory for girls, to be erected on the Northwest edge of the Industrial School property, appropriately grouped with the main building; and the building committee was authorized to proceed immediately with the advertising for bids and the work of construction. In addition to this, there is also to be built a machine shop—and such other buildings as may be necessary, as soon as is practicable. It is now assured that the school will begin its first regular session next September.

We are informed that the formal opening of the main building will take place in about two months from now and will be made the occasion of an educational and popular gathering from the State at large.

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Our buggies are here. Summer styles, you know. L. Lacoste.

Fine writing paper in boxes, 10c., at the Moss Pharmacy.

MORE LIGHT.

Two Dynamos to be Bought by The Council.

As may be seen by reading the proceedings of the City Council published in this paper, two dynamos will be added to the town's electric light plant, which will increase its capacity to thirteen or fourteen hundred 16-candle incandescents. This will enable the town to give a far brighter light and to accommodate a much greater number of patrons.

President Stephens of the Industrial Institute, is negotiating with the Council for 200 or more lights, which demand alone would necessitate the purchase of the dynamos. The intelligent efforts of the Council to make the plant self-sustaining and to give the public a good service will no doubt be appreciated by the community.

Ladies' favorite writing paper, 10c. a box, at the Moss Pharmacy.

Felix Mouton will write an insurance policy on your life or property.

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Friends of Mr. Carver, the well-known Natchitoches lawyer, have circulated a petition among the members of the local bar, recommending that gentleman for the appointment on the supreme bench to succeed the lamented Judge Watkins. Mr. Carver is a gentleman of the highest integrity and a lawyer of eminent attainments and he would no doubt prove a worthy member of the State's highest tribunal.

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A New Store. Mr. W. V. Nicholson has bought of Mrs. F. Gardner a lot on Lincoln Avenue, measuring 37 feet front by a depth of 125 feet, for \$750. Mr. Nicholson has bought the lot for the purpose of putting up a two-story store building in which he will open a hardware store. The store will be built at once.

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That carload of fine summer jobs is here. Come in to see 'em. L. Lacoste.

Master Wallie Clifford has accepted a position on the Magenta plantation.

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REGULAR MEETING

Of the Police Jury—Much Business Transacted—Matters of Interest to Tax-payers—Third Ward Roads.

The Police Jury met last Thursday, March 7, with all members present: M. Billeaud, president; A. Lacey, Alex Broussard, F. G. Mouton, J. C. Buchanan, O. Blanchet, S. Broussard, J. A. Labbe, Jno. Whittington.

Clerk E. G. Voonhies appeared and urged the Jury to appoint a committee for the purpose of supplying the office with additional space for files and providing for the keeping of certain indexes and other books.

By motion the president appointed Messrs. Mouton, Buchanan and Wm. Clegg to investigate and report on the application of the clerk.

Mr. Mouton in behalf of the committee appointed to report on the claim of Donacien Dubon for damages resulting from the breaking of a horse's leg submitted a verbal report to the effect that Mr. Dubon valued his animal at \$200, but refused to make any proposition looking to a compromise.

The committee reported failure to reach any understanding relative to the matter and referred the claim to the Jury. Whereupon the Jury declined to take any action in the premises.

Mr. Lacey reported having satisfactorily arranged the complaint of Paul Martin as to flood water on his place.

By motion of Mr. Labbe, the secretary was authorized to notify agent of the Dennis Long plantation and Desire Benoit, to remove their fencing five feet back from the main Abbeville public road in order to give the full width of 40 feet.

Mr. B. N. Coronna appeared and asked reconsideration of the resolution adopted in January last, in reference to the refunding of parish taxes paid by the Lafayette Compress and Storage Company.

A motion to reconsider by Mr. Buchanan was lost by the following vote: Ayes—Buchanan, Whittington, Alex Broussard, Nays—Mouton, Lacy, S. Broussard, Blanchet and Labbe.

Mr. Eloi Vincent complained of two bridges between the 2d and 8th wards and the matter was referred to Alex M. Broussard and Tillman Spell of that ward.

By motion of Mr. Mouton, seconded by Mr. Buchanan, Lucien Arceneaux and Alcee Dugas were appointed road overseers of the 3rd ward. Carcelotte Gathe, Azelia LeBlanc and Homer Washington, indigents, were each allowed \$12.50.

EVENING SESSION.
Mr. Blanchet moved to reconsider the vote taken in the morning relative to refunding taxes to Lafayette Compress Company and the following tie occurred: Ayes—Blanchet, Buchanan, Whittington and Alex Broussard.

Nays—S. Broussard, Lacy, Labbe and Mouton. President Billeaud cast the deciding vote in favor of reconsideration and the motion prevailed. The president explained that his vote was based entirely upon the moral obligation of the Jury to fulfill the promise of exemption made by the previous administration and accepted in good faith by the Compress Company.

By motion of Mr. Buchanan, the taxes of the cotton compress were ordered remitted by the following vote: Ayes—Buchanan, Whittington, Blanchet and Alex Broussard. Nays—Mouton, Lacy, Labbe, S. Broussard. The chair again decided the tie in favor of the motion which prevailed.

Mr. Mouton explained his vote upon the ground that the Jury had no right to remit the taxes in question.

Mr. Mouton was authorized to paint the iron work in the jail.

Messrs. Buchanan and Greig were appointed to investigate the treasurer's books and accounts, cancel all vouchers and grant a quietus to that officer.

The Jury upon invitation of Capt. Buchanan visited the Industrial School building in a body and were kindly received by President Stephens who conducted the party over the grounds and through the various departments of the building. Much favorable comment was indulged in as the admirable plan of the structure was unfolded and the numerous modern conveniences were brought to notice. The Jury expressed extreme satisfaction for a most pleasant and profitable visit.

The treasurer's report showed cash in general fund \$25,68.35, and special road tax \$2557.43.

After approval of accounts the Jury adjourned.

Yes, indeed, we sell lime, brick, sand and cement. E. H. Vordenbaumen.

W. F. Price who was putting the steam fixtures in the Industrial Institute building completed the work