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AGENTS.

Mr. A. A. Goodwin, of Alexandria, is an authorized agent of the CHRONICLE, and will contract for advertisements and receive subscriptions.

LOCAL DOGS.

Delinquents feel small. River continues to fall. Merry Christmas, one and all! Give your wife a shawl. And your little girl a doll. And don't you forget to call. On the printer and pay up that "little balance."

Gilt Edge Tonic cures Fever and Ague. Nice gold jewelry and silverware at FERGUSON & SCHNACK'S.

Low Middling cotton rules in New Orleans at 11c; Good Ordinary 10c.

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Judge R. J. Bowman arrived in Colfax yesterday on the Jewel. We understand the Judge considers this town a very attractive and pleasant place to enjoy his Christmas vacation.

Job work a specialty at the CHRONICLE office. We invite the attention of our Baptist friends to the Minutes of their Association, which have just been finished in this office, as a fair specimen of our hand-craft.

Within the past two weeks ten or twelve families of emigrants, from Alabama and Georgia, have passed Colfax on different boats on their way to settle in our sister parish of Sabine. More are coming, and soon Grant parish will get its share.

Every man in Grant parish is interested in having a good local paper that gives him every week the events of home occurrence. The CHRONICLE strives to do this, and to make it more efficient it wants the encouragement of every citizen. Only \$2 a year.

Old Sol peeped out yesterday morning from behind the clouds that have obscured his face nearly three days, as if to wish all a "merry Christmas," and express his regrets at not being able to let the light of his countenance brighten the day with cheerful sunshine.

Mr. J. E. Coffey, beside being a handsome young man, is the sole agent for the genuine Singer sewing machine in Grant parish. All machines sold by him will be kept in repair for five years free of charge, except where new parts are required. He delivers machines to any part of the parish free of cost to the purchaser, and charges nothing for his labor and instructions. Headquarters at Colfax.

Old Kris Kringle made use of the Jesse K. Bell this trip to distribute Christmas presents to those living along Red river, on account of which she was several hours behind time when she arrived at Colfax. Notwithstanding the hundreds of matters to be attended to by her popular clerks, they did not forget to remember the CHRONICLE with a file of city papers, for which they have many thanks.

The steamboat Lilia, which has been built expressly to ply between Colfax and Natchitoches, by way of Cane river, arrived at this place last night (Friday) a week ago. She is a perfect model in the steamboat line, with all the appointments necessary for the trade she is designed to run in. Very comfortable accommodation can be furnished eight or ten passengers, while her carrying capacity is 400 bales of cotton. She draws 11 inches light and 28 inches when loaded. Last Monday evening she returned from a trip up Cane river with 210 bales of cotton, and yesterday morning she came in again with about 300 bales.

The new method of enforcing the collection of taxes on movable property has proved to be remarkably efficacious in this parish. Out of something over a hundred seizures by Sheriff Teal and his deputies, in every instance but one, before the three days of grace have expired, the delinquents have paid their taxes and released their property. As a consequence only one poor little shaggy mule is advertised for sale, and we understand that even in this case the party will be on hand to settle up before the sale is accomplished. The deputies are still on the war path, and next week the mule will have company, unless the tardy ones come to time with the "necessary green."

Reed's Gilt Edge Tonic prevents Malaria.

WORTH KNOWING—A poison of any conceivable description and degree of potency, which has been swallowed, intentionally or by accident, may be rendered instantly harmless by swallowing two gills of sweet oil. An individual with a very strong constitution should take twice the quantity. This oil will neutralize every form of vegetable poison with which the physicians and chemists are acquainted. Cut this out and save it, you might have great cause of congratulation for doing so.

The Western Farmers Almanac for 1881 has made its appearance on our table. Like its predecessor of last year, and the years before, this almanac is filled to overflowing with useful information for farmers. Copies of this almanac may be found in Colfax at the store of McKnight & McNeely. The Western Farmers Almanac is published by John P. Morton & Co., 156 and 158 Main street, Louisville, Ky. It is just the thing for Southern farmers.

Reed's Gilt Edge Tonic restores appetite.

The steamer Jewel is now advertised to make weekly trips to mouth of Cane river (Colfax), running alternately with the Jesse K. Bell, the Jewel leaving New Orleans every Tuesday and the Bell every Saturday. Capt. Truslow, of the Jewel, is one of the most popular captains in this trade, while his clerk, Mr. Nat. Packett, Jr., can count his friends by the score.

Reed's Gilt Edge Tonic cures Dyspepsia.

Very few men appreciate the fact that their parish paper frequently saves them many times its value. This fall we have seen more than a dozen men who could have saved several dollars on their taxes if they had been subscribers to the CHRONICLE. Only \$2 a year for your home paper.

Start the new year by subscribing to the New Orleans Christian Advocate. Its editor, Dr. Linus Parker, is a deep thinker, a terse writer, and a true christian. No Methodist family should be without this paper.

We invite the attention of our readers to the advertisement of the Buckeye Manufacturing Co., Marion, Ohio, in another column. They offer rare inducements to earn an honest livelihood.

The silent Wheeler & Wilson No. 8 and White sewing machines delivered at Colfax at New Orleans prices by Ferguson & Schnack, watchmakers and jewelers.

Christmas Eve the first frolic of the holidays was held at the residence of Mr. J. T. Wilson. It is said others will follow next week.

Judge Ezra B. Taylor goes to Congress to fill Gen. Garfield's place.

Indians have been organized into a police force at several agencies.

BIG PAY! AGENTS WANTED.

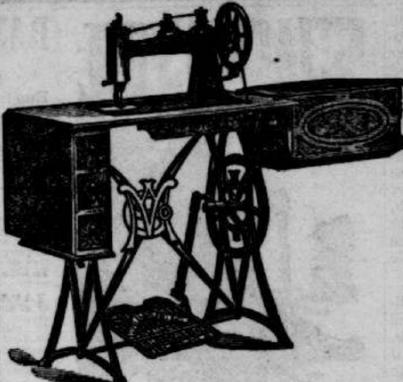
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State Tax Sales OF MOVABLE PROPERTY.

THE STATE OF LOUISIANA } Parish of Grant, 12th District. vs. Delinquent Tax Debtors.

By virtue of the authority vested in me by the Constitution and laws of the State of Louisiana, I will sell, at the principle front door of the Court House in which the Civil District Court of said parish is held, within the legal hours for judicial sales, beginning at 11 o'clock, a. m., on SATURDAY, the 15th day of January, A. D. 1881, and continuing on Monday and each succeeding day until said sales are completed, all Movable Property on which taxes are now due to the State of Louisiana and parish of Grant, to enforce collection of the taxes assessed on movable property in the year 1880, together with interest thereon from the thirty-first day of December, 1880, until paid, and all costs. The names of said Delinquent Tax-Payers, the amount of taxes due by each on the assessment of movable property, and the property to be offered for sale are as follows, to-wit:

Table with columns: Name, Description of Property, and Amount of Taxes Due Each Year (1880, 1878, 1877, 1876). Includes Anderson Kimball - One Male Mule.

ON said day of sale I will sell such portions of said property as each Debtor will point out, and, in case the Debtor shall not point out sufficient property, I will at once, and without further delay, sell the least quantity of said property of any debtor which any bidder will buy, for the amount of taxes, interest and costs due by said debtor. The sale will be without appraisalment, for cash, in legal tender money of the United States. C. H. TEAL, Sheriff and ex-officio Tax Collector.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Twelfth Judicial District Court, Parish of Grant, State of Louisiana. J. W. Johnson vs. Rufian Nelson - No. 553 Old Series.

By virtue of and to satisfy a writ of fieri facias, issued and to me directed by the Honorable the District Court in and for the parish of Grant, in the above numbered and entitled suit, I have seized and will offer for sale, to the highest bidder, at public auction, at the court house door, in the town of Colfax, within the hours prescribed by law, on SATURDAY, January 8, 1880, the following described property, seized as the property of the defendant, to-wit:

One bale of cotton marked "E." About 1300 pounds of cotton in the seed in the cotton house. About one bale of cotton in the field. Seized subject to a seizure made under a writ of sequestration by L. H. Hadnot, constable of ward 2, in a suit styled J. W. Johnston vs. Rufian Nelson, brought before J. P. Hadnot, justice of the peace for ward 2, for supplies for the year 1880. Terms - Cash, with the benefit of appraisalment. C. H. TEAL, Sheriff. Sheriff's Office, Colfax, Dec. 16, 1880. 2t

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