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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 DOTS.

Paris green is being used by several of our planters to kill off the worms.

Jeter & Andre will deliver shingles, at any point from Colfax to Alexandria, at \$5 per thousand.

A good deal of sickness exists in several localities of Grant parish, with a few deaths, the most of the fatal cases being among the negroes.

Mr. David Collins, an old, well known and highly esteemed citizen of Grant parish, died at his residence near Liberty Chapel, on Wednesday, August 8, 1883.

On Thursday last the house of Mr. A. G. Hargis caught fire, but it was discovered and put out before any great damage was done.

Two or three of our planters commenced to pick cotton on the 2d and 3d, and six or eight more joined them this week.

The Colfax and Alexandria pine woods road, from Colfax to the Cholera branch, has just had the only good working it has had for years, for which the overseer, Mr. John Anderson, is to be thanked.

The next thing on docket among Colfaxians is a cotton seed oil mill, of which some very serious talk is now afoot.

No rain yet, and the very air hot and dry, while vegetation is drying up and the parched earth is gaping for water.

Rattle snakes seem to be about as thick as blackberries on the Darro road. Mr. Hutchinson brought us a sixteen jointed rattle last Saturday from one he had killed that was nearly six feet long.

It is said that the new steamboat company, lately organized at Natchitoches, have made arrangements with the old "pool line" to carry freight for the present season at the card rates of 1880.

For its soothing and grateful influence on the scalp, and for the removal and prevention of dandruff, Ayer's Hair Vigor has no equal.

The New York Sun will long be remembered throughout New York and the New England States in connection with what many consider to be the best cholera medicine ever prescribed.

A true iron medicine, beneficial to the young as well as the old who suffer from dyspepsia, etc., is Brown's Iron Bitters.

Letter from Ward Two.

GRANT PARISH, La., Aug. 8, 1883.

Editor Colfax Chronicle:

Our grange meeting, had last Saturday at Old Prospect church, was very well attended, but we did not do much of anything.

We are needing rain very much on the cotton. I hear of worms in this vicinity, but have not seen any.

Yours truly, JNO. P. HADRON.

Pictures of Real Life.

[BY H. C. DODGE, IN NORRISTOWN HERALD.]

The Society Girl. Here hang my bangs o'er eyes that dream,

And here's my chin with dimples in. This is my neck without a speck

which doth these snowy shoulders deck; and here is—see, oh, double t-o-n (a useful article of commerce)

which girls all wear, like me; and here's a heart, from Cupid's dart

safely shielded by this corsage's art. This is my waist, tightly laced, on which a bustle

the big is placed. This is my dress. Its cost I guess, did my

poor papa much distress, because he sighed when mama tried it on,

and scolded so I cried, but mama said I soon would wed,

and buy pa's clothes for him instead. It's trimmed with lace just in this place, beneath

two ankles show, with grace, in silken hose, to catch the breeze, who think

they are lovely, I suppose. These are my feet, in slippers neat

and now chance to meet if we should tie on the street.

How sweet!

The Society Dude. A is the actress this dude so boasts:

B is his billiards, bills, boogies, and bets. C is his check, cards, and collar.

D is his drink on another man's dollar. E is his eye-glass and English

airs. F is the free lunch that he never, never

spares. G is the girl he endeavors to mesh. H is his hat, just as fat as his cash.

I is his ignorance, always displayed. J is the jewelry on his arrayed.

K is his knowledge of folly and sin. L is his legs that are crooked and thin.

M is his mustache, aims high to a side. N is his necktie, a solid shirt to hide.

O is his old man, whom he will not indorse. P is his pocket-book, empty, of course.

Q is his quarrel when he gets a kick. R is the racket that makes him so sick.

S is his shoes, very absurd at the top. T is his tailor, who kills him with a U.

U is his uncle, who pays bills. V is, vice, which he makes so ill.

W is his work, which he does so ill. X is his ex-er-cise, which he keeps on his big feet.

Y is his yawns, quite. Z is the zig-zag he walks.

Subscribe to your home paper.

Notice. Notice is hereby given that the last Will and Testament of David Collins, deceased,

has been filed in my office for probate, and that unless opposition is filed thereto, that same will be proved and ordered to be registered and executed on Saturday, August 25th, 1883.

S. B. SHACKELFORD, Clerk 12th District Court, Parish of Grant, State of Louisiana. a11-3t

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SHERIFF'S SALE.

Twelfth Judicial District Court, Parish of Grant, Louisiana.

Succession of Giles Smith vs. Wm. S. Calhoun et al.—No. 130.

M. M. A. Lane et al vs. Sheriff et al.—No. 134.

By virtue of and to satisfy two writs of fieri facias, issued and to be directed in the above entitled and numbered suits, I have seized and will offer for sale, at public auction, to the highest bidder, in front of the court house door, in the town of Colfax, La., within the hours prescribed by law, on

SATURDAY, August 25, A. D. 1883,

the following described property, seized as the property of the Defendants, to-wit:

Block No. 23, in the town of Colfax, in the Johnston survey, with all the buildings and improvements thereon, and may be further described as the House and Lot occupied by Dr. Neal and Wife. Said property will be sold subject to their lease.

Terms of Sale—Cash, with benefit of appraisement. C. H. TEAL, Sheriff Grant Parish. Sheriff's Office, Colfax, July 26, 1883.

ESTRAY NOTICE.

Estrayed before me this day, by Beauregard Laysard, one Cow and Calif, color red and white spotted, cow branded I. L., or something that looks like W. L. on right hip, and marked with crop and upper bit in left ear, and split and upper bit in the right ear. Appraised at eighteen dollars.

The owner is hereby notified to come forward and prove property and pay all charges within forty days from date, or said Cow and Calif will be sold according to law. A. L. GROW, Justice Peace, First Ward. Colfax, Grant parish, La., July 19, '83.



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SHERIFF'S SALE

Twelfth Judicial District Court, Parish of Grant, Louisiana.—No. 353.

W. G. Wheeler vs. Jules Lamouroux.

By virtue of and to satisfy a writ of fieri facias, issued and to be directed in the above entitled and numbered suit, I have seized and will offer for sale, at public auction, in front of the court house door, in the town of Colfax Louisiana, within the hours prescribed by law, on

SATURDAY, Sept. 15, A. D. 1883,

the following described property, seized as the property of the Defendant, to-wit: The north-east quarter of the south-east quarter of section 6, and the south-east quarter of the south-west quarter of section 6, and the south-west quarter of section 5, making 120 acres more or less, and all in township 5 north, range 5 west.

Terms—Cash with benefit of appraisement. C. H. TEAL, Sheriff. Sheriff's Office, August 10, 1883. 6t

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Twelfth Judicial District Court, Parish of Grant, State of Louisiana.—No. 350.

Machen & Richardson vs. G. W. Lane, et al.

By virtue of and to satisfy a writ of fieri facias, issued and to be directed in the above entitled and numbered suit, I have seized and will offer for sale, at Public Auction in front of the court house door, in the town of Colfax, La. between the hours prescribed by law, on

SATURDAY, Sept. 15, A. D. 1883,

the following described property, seized as the property of the defendant, to-wit: Blocks No. 29 and 30, within the Johnston Survey, in the town of Colfax, with all the buildings and improvements thereon. Block 29 to be sold subject to lease of Mrs. A. G. Deal.

Terms—Cash with the benefit of appraisement. C. H. TEAL, Sheriff of Grant Parish. Sheriff's Office, August 10, 1883. 6t

CONSTABLE'S SALE

First Justice's Court, Parish of Grant, State of Louisiana.—No. —

Rachal Rubin vs. G. W. Lane

By virtue of and to satisfy a writ of fieri facias, issued and to be directed in the above entitled and numbered suit, I have seized and will offer for sale, at Public Auction in front of the Court House door, in the town of Colfax Louisiana, between the hours prescribed by law, on

SATURDAY, Sept. 1, A. D. 1883,

the following described property, seized as the property of the Defendant, to-wit: One Iron Safe. Terms—Twelve months credit with good bond. S. M. LACHOLE, Constable. Colfax, La., Aug. 10, 1883. 4t

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Twelfth Judicial District Court, Parish of Grant, Louisiana.

A. G. Hargis vs. George W. Lane.

By virtue of and to satisfy a writ of fieri facias, issued and to be directed in the above entitled and numbered suit, I have seized and will offer for sale, at public auction, in front of the court house door, in the town of Colfax, Louisiana, between the hours prescribed by law, on

SATURDAY, August 25, A. D. 1883,

the following described property, seized as the property of the defendant, to-wit: One lot of Goods and Merchandise. One Iron (fire-proof) Safe. One Writing Desk. Terms—Cash with benefit of appraisement. C. H. TEAL, Sheriff. Colfax, La., July 26, 1883. Jy24-5t

NOTICE.

In the matter of the Succession of Thomas H. Biddle, deceased.—No. 30

Twelfth Judicial District Court, Parish of Grant, State of Louisiana.

Whereas Mrs. Mary Biddle has this day made application to this court to be appointed Administratrix of the succession of Thomas H. Biddle, deceased, notice is hereby given to all whom it doth or may concern to show cause, within ten days from the publication of this notice, why the same should not be granted.

Witness the Honorable Aristides Barbin and W. F. Hisekman, Judges of said Court, this 26th, 1883. Jy26 S. B. SHACKELFORD, Clerk.

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The room in which these trials were carried on (January 31 to March 7) had been warmed by a coal stove. Observations generally taken twice or thrice daily, with a self-registering thermometer have shown an average daily minimum temperature of fifty-five degrees and maximum of eighty-four degrees, the daily mean temperature having been seventy degrees.

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