

PERSONAL AND OTHERWISE

FOR SALE—Five Polan China pigs. \$5 each. J. P. Riley, Columbia, La., R. F. D. No. 2.

W. A. Wall of Bay has our thanks for his renewal which he handed to us Saturday while in town.

The Parish School Board has been in session this week. The proceedings will appear in our next week's issue.

F. I. Girod of Boeuf River was a business visitor to town Saturday and paid this office a business visit.

J. J. Butler of Clarks was in town Saturday and called around and shoved the date of his subscription up another year for which he has our thanks.

W. F. Volentine of Holm was among the business visitors to Columbia Monday. He brought with him thirty gallons of ribbon cane syrup for which he found a ready market for.

C. W. Vantley, colored, of Blankston, and who has been a subscriber to The Watchman for a number of years called around last Friday and renewed his subscription for another year.

Mr. C. E. Slagle, general manager of the Louisiana Central Lumber Co., Clarks, and Dr. Gardner, a prominent physician of the same place were prominent visitors to Columbia on Wednesday last.

Last week we published the list of names of the students of the Columbia High school, that made 100 in the spelling contest, of the 500 words sent out by the department. Lack of time prevented us from calling the attention of the public, that the Columbia High School can claim as having the youngest boy speller in the parish. Up to the time we go to press we have failed to hear of a boy that equal the record of little Alton Yarborough, who is only eight years old, in the third grade and made a 100 per cent in his spelling at the test made recently at the Columbia High School. We would like to hear if there is another eight year old in Caldwell parish that can come up to this little fellow in spelling.

The mass meeting of the citizens of the parish that was called to meet Monday night of this week, failed to take place account of the small number that was present. This meeting was called for the purpose of organizing and electing officers to serve and pilot the Parish Fair this year. The meeting was postponed until Tuesday night of next week, at which time it is hoped that a large crowd of those that are in favor of holding a fair in Caldwell parish this year will be present. The management asks the ladies of the parish to try and be present at the meeting next Tuesday night, and to lend their support towards holding the third annual Parish Fair in Caldwell this fall.

Saturday afternoon, the first game of base ball, this season will be played on the Columbia grounds. The teams that will combat for honors will be Grayson vs Columbia, on our home grounds. We understand the visiting team has a crack team while the home boys have been developing themselves this week and have been showing up in good form in their practicing. A good and interesting game is assured the public, as both towns are anxious to be victorious in this, the opening game for the season. Let a good crowd turn out to witness the game and encourage the home boys to victory. A small admission will be charged to help confray expenses. All school children 10c; general admission 15c.

Spelling Contest

In the spelling contest of 500 words, sent to all public schools throughout the state, by Superintendent T. H. Harris, the following pupils of the Clarks High school received a perfect grade and the names of those who made 90 per cent and over: 100 per cent

Pearl Hobson, Helen Pile, Francis Beam, Gladys Gunn, George Pile, Gertrude Prince, Wayne Pettejohn, Leonard Jackson, Katie Albritton, Mabel Allen Margaret Pile, Uel Bradford, Sam Woodward, Lora Hanchey, Ve-loice Allbritton, Lettie Bird, Jewel Fergusons Jack Cleghorn, Myrdell Colquet, Fern Parham Madge Campbell Roy Colquette, Clyde Greene, Ina Kitchen, Perry Cooksey, Delaware Allbritton Carl Greene, Chester Greene, Jewel Jackson, Auddle Ferguson Fannie Colquette, Doyne Buffington, Agnes Hobson, Beatrice Skirvin, Lina Richman.

Between 90 and 100 per cent Adolphus Allbritton, Jeff Sellers. Roscoe Collins, Leila Kitchen, Christine Shoulders, Willie Mae McMullen, Edith Busch, Melvin Parham, Hobart Hobson, Stella Manes, Lorean Parsons, Tonie Stringer, Orvis Watson, Russell Colquette, Robert Far-row, Oris Colquette, Loyd Kelley, Clela Wallace, Ollie Stevens, Thelma Stringer, Geraldine Cleg-horn, Arnett Richman, Wilmar Chapman, Olga Patton, Dur-wood Pettejohn, Ira Brooks, Vassar Patton, Clyde Allen Pearl Daniels, Lois Manes, Blanch Brooks, Myrtle Prince, Ralph Morris, Smead Kelley, Irene Collins, Willie Bryant, Effie Young, Lillie Doolittle, Ce-Woodward, Walter Ragan, Vi-vian Stevens.

Following is a list of the contestants in the spelling contest held last week at the Riverton school. This contest created a great deal of enthusiasm among pupils, patrons and friends. The youngest contestant being Edna Cody, who is only eight years old, and who made 100 per cent: 8th grade, 100 per cent. Frank Reitzell, Dawson Bennett. 6th grade, 100 per cent. Jim Bennett, Jr.: Guy Alford, Hardie Reitzell, Allen Salter, Sadie Cottingham. 6th grade, 90 per cent. Vomer Wilson. 4th grade 100 per cent. Effie Cottingham, Allene Salter, Doyle Cody. 5th grade, 90 per cent. Lola Rossetter, Ollie Rossetter, Bertie Cody. 4th grade, 100 per cent. Mary Pearl McClahan, Jack Butler. 4th grade, 90 per cent. Fred Rossetter. 3rd grade, 100 per cent. Myatt Bond, Edna Cody, Louise Salter, Agartha Highley. 3rd grade, 90 per cent. Thelma Higdon.

PLAN OF COLUMBIA WORK FOR 1915

METHODIST CHURCH
Columbia Church—Preaching every 1st and 3rd Sundays, 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.
Prayer Meeting—Every Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock.
Epworth League—Every Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock.
Woman's Mission Society—1st and 3rd Wednesday in each month 3 p. m.
Women's Prayer meeting—Every Tuesday afternoon 3 p. m.
Sunday School—Every Sunday at 10 a. m.
Business meeting of Board of Stewards Monday night after 1st, Sunday in each month.
GRAYSON BOARD
Preaching every 4th Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.
BOEUF RIVER CHURCH
Preaching every 2d Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.
Sunday School every Sunday at 10 a. m.
Sunday School at Woolen Lake (Richland Parish) every Sunday afternoon at 3 p. m.
RIVERTON CHURCH
Preaching every 1st Sunday after noon at 3 p. m.
UNION CHURCH (Near Holm P. O.)
Preaching every 4th Sunday afternoon 3 o'clock.
Preaching at Indian Mound every 5th Sunday.
J. M. ALFORD, Pastor.

ADVERTISE

Sheriff Sale

Thirtieth District Court—Parish of Caldwell—State of Louisiana
George T. Martin vs No. 1455 R. B. Culpepper, et als.

By virtue of a writ of seizure and sale issued in the above entitled and numbered suit, and to me directed I have seized and taken into my possession and will offer for sale at public auction to the last and highest bidder at the principal front door of the courthouse in the town of Columbia, La., between the hours prescribed by law for judicial sales on

SATURDAY, MAY 8th, 1915
the following described property, to-wit: The lot No. six (6) of sec. twenty (20) in township fourteen (14) north range five (5) east, La. Mer., containing forty-four acres of land, more or less, together with all buildings and improvements thereon, lying and being situated in the Parish of Caldwell, State of Louisiana, and to me directed, I have seized and taken into my possession and will offer for sale at public auction to the last and highest bidder at the principal front door of the courthouse in the town of Columbia, La., between the hours prescribed by law for judicial sales on

SATURDAY, MAY 8th, 1915
the following described property, to-wit: One lot of general merchandise in defendants store building at Kelly, La. Seized as the property of the defendant, J. E. Jemison and will be sold to satisfy said writ and all costs in the above entitled and numbered cause.

Terms of sale, cash, with the benefit of appraisement.

W. E. GODFREY,
Sheriff, Caldwell Parish, La.
Columbia, La., April 23, 1915.

Sheriff's Sale

Thirtieth District Court—Parish of Caldwell—State of Louisiana
Floyd Blakeney vs No. 1422 J. N. Strahan

By virtue of a writ of fi fa issued in the 30th District Court of the Parish of Caldwell, La., and to me directed, I have seized and taken into my possession and will offer for sale at public auction to the last and highest bidder at the principal front door of the courthouse in the town of Columbia, La., between the hours prescribed by law for judicial sales on

SATURDAY, MAY 8th, 1915
the following described property, to-wit: The E 1/4 of the NE 1/4 of the NE 1/4 of sec. 4, T 14, N R 3 E La. Mer., containing 20 acres of land, more or less, together with all buildings and improvements thereon. Seized as the property of the defendant, J. N. Strahan, and will be sold to satisfy said writ and all costs in the above entitled and numbered cause.

Terms of sale, cash, with the benefit of appraisement.

W. E. GODFREY,
Sheriff, Caldwell Parish, La.
Columbia, La., April 23, 1915.

Notice for Publication

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office, Baton Rouge, La.

March 15, 1915.
Notice is hereby given that Henry C. Johnston of Grayson, Louisiana, who, on Aug. 16, 1913, made Homestead Entry, additional—Act March 2, 1888, No. 06587, for SW 1/4 of NW 1/4

and NE 1/4 of SW 1/4 Section 31, Township 13 N., Range 3 E., Louisiana Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make commutation proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Clerk of Court, at Columbia, Louisiana, on the 27th day of April, 1915.

Claimant names as witnesses: Joseph H. Ferrand of Clarks, La.; Nathan H. Hester of Clarks, La.; Willis Welch of Clarks, La.; Jesse B. Welch of Clarks, La.
E. D. GIANELLONI,
Register.

Sheriff's Sale
Thirtieth District Court Parish of Caldwell—State of Louisiana,
Louisiana Clothing Co. vs No. 1441 J. E. Jemison.

By virtue of a writ of fi fa issued out of the 30th District Court of the Parish of Caldwell, State of Louisiana and to me directed, I have seized and taken into my possession and will offer for sale at public auction to the last and highest bidder, at the principal front door of the court house in the town of Columbia, La., between the hours prescribed by law for judicial sales on

SATURDAY, APRIL 17th, 1915
the following described property to-wit: One lot of general merchandise in defendants store building at Kelly, La. Seized as the property of the defendant, J. E. Jemison and will be sold to satisfy said writ and all costs in the above entitled and numbered cause.

Terms of sale, cash, with the benefits of appraisements.

W. E. GODFREY,
Sheriff, Caldwell Parish, La.
Columbia, La., April 23, 1915.

Rheumatism

More than nine out of every ten cases of rheumatism are simply rheumatism of the muscles, due to cold or damp, or chronic rheumatism. In such cases no internal treatment is required. The free application of

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Notice of Election

Public notice is hereby given, that by the authority vested in me as Mayor of the village of Columbia, Louisiana, I hereby declare, that in accordance with Sections 19 and 38 of Act No. 136 of the General Assembly for the State of Louisiana, for the year 1898, an election shall be held in the village of Columbia, Louisiana, on Thursday, April 27, 1915, for the purpose of electing a Mayor and three Aldermen and one Marshal to serve for the ensuing two years.

Said election shall be held at the court house, in said village, and in accordance with the general election laws of the State of Louisiana.

The following named persons are hereby appointed to conduct said election, to-wit:

C. R. Ferrand and W. A. Brandin, Commissioners. F. M. Yarborough, Clerk.
Witness my hand officially at the village of Columbia, Louisiana, this

the 23rd day of March, 1915,
W. C. WELCH, Mayor.

Notice for Publication

United States Land Office Baton Rouge, La., Mar. 4, 1915

Notice is hereby given that James F. Peterson, of Vixen, La.; who on Dec. 26, 1911, made Homestead Entry No. 05243, for S W 1/4 of S E 1/4 Sec. 9 T 14 N, R 8 E, Louisiana Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before clerk of court, at Columbia, La., on the 17th day of April, 1915.

Claimant claim as witnesses:
John S. Kelly of Columbia, La. R R No 2. Milton Ray of Hardie, La. James J. Downs of Hardie, La. Nathan S. Pressnal of Vixen, La.
E. D. GIANELLONI, Register.