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The Presidential boom of Mayor Carter Harrison of Chicago has been launched. He has been twice elected Mayor of that city, and is a strong man. He is the strongest man in the Democratic party today, who has not a blemish in his character. If he should be the nominee he would come nearer winning than any other man that could be put up.

The third term talk of Depew and other notables of the Republican party was pretty well punctured by President McKinley in his letter last week. Hanna and a few others of such a stripe, and who are demagogues of the worst type, were the ones who were pushing the third term talk, and are now laying their plans to control the next Presidential convention.

It should not be forgotten that the Confederate Veterans of Louisiana will hold their State reunion at Baton Rouge on Tuesday, August 6th, the anniversary of the battle of Baton Rouge. The citizens of that grand little city are preparing on a big scale to entertain every one who may attend the reunion. Every one will be welcomed and treated loyally. The old vets of our States will be shown every courtesy, and as many as possible should attend this State reunion.

The Southern Industrial Convention held at Philadelphia last week, was attended by a large delegation from every State in the South. Louisiana was represented by several of its leading citizens, among them Congressman Adolph Meyer and Mr. H. H. Hargrove, who is doing much for the advancement of our State. Such a convention is bound to do much good in many ways for the South, and it is a pity that East Carroll had not a representative there.

John Gray Foster, one of the most popular young men in the State, was shot and killed on the Foster place, near Shreveport on the 13th, by Prince Edwards or Ford, one of the negro laborers. Fourteen or more arrests have been made, but Edwards got away and is still at large. There was great excitement in Shreveport for several days, and it was thought the law would be respected, but on Wednesday night the jailor at Benton was overpowered and two of the ring leaders were taken out and hung to a tree. A reward of \$1000 is offered by the J. M. Foster Planting Co., for his arrest. Prince Edwards is described as being black, 5 feet 9 inches tall, weight 160 pounds; rather pleasing countenance, a peculiarity in one eye, about fifty years old. This negro came from Houston, Texas.

The Rising Sun Recorder says that "the lengthy opinions of dissenting judges in our State and United States Supreme Courts should be abolished. There is no need of them—they do no good—are no value whatever. The opinion is rendered by the majority is of value, and stands as the law, and there is no use whatever for minority opinions." It may look this way from the Recorder's standpoint, but not with the majority of the well thinking people of the United States. The above paragraph was brought fourth on the harsh and bitter attacks made upon the U. S. Supreme Court by the Downes decision, which will look fishy. The lengthy opinions of Justice Harlan, dissenting from the majority, has with him chief Justice Fuller, Justice Brewer and Justice Peckham—four of the ablest jurists of the United States Supreme Court—and would be right to throttle their opinions? Their dissenting opinion they are able to give their side of the case, which the people can read and which their own conclusions whether majority did right or not. In this issue the majority have received denunciation and bitter censure, which they so richly deserve.

The Industrial Convention at Philadelphia.

Last week there met in the city of Philadelphia one of the largest gatherings ever assembled in that city, more than a thousand delegates—representing every State in the South. Philadelphia is one of the few Northern cities that knows less of the South and its resources than many of its sister cities in the North, and it was a good thing in holding this convention there. The great good that the different sections of the South will derive in the near future from the convention will soon begin to be felt, and as Louisiana had such wide awake men as Gen. Adolph Meyer of New Orleans, and Hon. H. H. Hargrove of Shreveport, to represent it, and who spoke eloquently of the resources and advantages it had over many other states, much good can be expected to follow from this convention to our State and the other States of the South.

The Philadelphia North American Review, in an article on the Industrial Convention, says: By coming to this city the association casts off whatever sectional character it has had and enlarges its scope. Namely, its aims and purposes are the same as they have been from the time of its organization—the industrial development of the South and the advancement of its business and commercial welfare. Actually, they include a general plan of co-operation between sections, by which the resources of the South shall be brought into full bearing by the aid of capital and enterprise and immigration drawn from the North. From this interdependence of interests must follow closer commercial relations, the expansion of domestic trade and the improvement and multiplication of means of transportation.

The delegates to the convention have approached the work that they have laid out for themselves in a spirit of enthusiasm. For weeks the press of the South, and this city has labored zealously to awaken the communities to which it addresses itself, to the opportunities this convention would offer. How successful it has been, the North American knows from the cordial praise that has been bestowed upon its special Southern edition, both in its home field of circulation and in the Southern States. The preliminary discussion of the purposes of the convention has not only stimulated the general interest, but it has had a distinct educational value. Most important of all, it has made the people of the South feel confident that henceforth they will command a most attentive audience outside their own borders when they describe the needs and advantages of their section of the country.

Never has a convention of the Southern Industrial Association met under brighter auspices. The United States is now enjoying the most remarkable period of prosperity in its history. Our commerce is expanding at home and abroad, and there is every incentive to reach out in new directions. The South has shared in the general well-being within its present limitations, but its retarded growth and unutilized resources have prevented it from reaping the same measure of benefits that have fallen to more fully developed regions. Now that the South has been aroused to activity, it presents its claims to recognition at a most opportune time. The rest of the country was never better prepared than it is now to render the South the assistance that it desires for the fulfillment of its hopes.

The Banner-Democrat extends its thanks to Mr. S. B. Kennedy for a copy of a booklet of poems entitled, "Malvern Hill and Patriotic Poems," which were published in souvenir form for the Memphis reunion. "Malvern Hill" portrays the experience of a Southern soldier who was wounded at the Battle of Malvern Hill. The poem has received some very nice compliments. The Memphis Commercial-Appeal, in a short criticism of the poem, says: "Mr. Kennedy has written some stirring poems and must be considered a balladist of a high order." The literary editor of the Memphis Scimitar, also says Mr. Kennedy a high compliment. Mr. Kennedy has a few of the books for sale at 25cts.

We take pleasure in copying below the contents of the Tuskalooza Gazette and Tuskalooza Sun of the progress being made by Prof. W. F. Melton in his college located at Tuskalooza, Ala. Prof. Melton is well known here as a popular gentleman and educator. He married Miss Ollie Keller, of our town, one of East Carroll's sweetest and brightest girls. Dr. W. F. Melton has already commenced some valuable improvements on the Tuskalooza Female College property. A second floor is being added to the Music Hall. This will be used as a gymnasium and sewing room. Hot air furnaces are to be put in this building which will materially add to its comfort and convenience. Dr. Melton is superintending this work himself which is a guarantee that it will be well done.—Gazette.

The T. F. C. recitation rooms are being enlarged and the music hall is to have a second story for the Art, Gymnasium and Sewing departments. In addition to this, all the buildings in Tuskalooza has a great cause to be proud of the T. F. C.—Sun.

Miss Eddie Bass, with her sister, Miss Rebecca, after attending the Confederate reunion at Memphis, went on to visit their cousin, Mrs. W. F. Melton at Tuskalooza, Ala., and we take pleasure in copying the following personal from the papers of that city: Miss Eddie Bass is the guest of Mrs. W. F. Melton. Miss Bass came here for several years at the T. F. C., and is much admired in this city.—Sun.

Miss Eddie Bass, accompanied by her little sister, Miss Rebecca, of Lake Providence, La., is the guest of her cousin, Mrs. W. F. Melton. She is just from Memphis where she was one of the loveliest sponsors in the galaxy of beauty gathered there. Miss Bass spent several years here at the T. F. C., and has a host of Tuskalooza admirers who are delighted to see her again.—Gazette.

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Y. & M. V. RAILROAD. Special Excursion Rates via The Y. & V. R. R. to the Pan-American Exposition at Buffalo, New York. For above occasion, the Y. & M. V. Railroad will sell round tickets daily to October 31, final return limit November 3, 1901. Rate from Vicksburg \$40.50 (Forty dollars, fifty cents) Through sleeping car service from Memphis. Leave Vicksburg at 11:30 p. m., arrive Memphis 6:45 a. m. Leave Memphis at 7 a. m.; arrive Buffalo at 10:30 a. m., following day. (Thirty-five hours from Vicksburg.) For further information and particulars, address the undersigned: A. Q. PEARCE, C. P. A., Vicksburg, Miss. L. F. MONTGOMERY, T. P. A., Jackson, Miss.

National Educational Association Meeting, Detroit, Michigan. July 6 to 12, 1901.

For the above occasion, the Queen & Crescent Route will sell tickets to Detroit, Mich., at rate of one first class fare for the round trip plus two dollars. Dates of sale July 5th, 6th and 7th, with final limit to return July 16th, 1901. By depositing tickets with Joint Agent on or before July 12th and on payment of fee of fifty cents, an extension of the final limit will be granted until September 1st, 1901, inclusive. For further information and particulars, call upon any Q. & C. Agent, or R. W. BONDS, T. P. A., Meridian, Miss.

QUEEN & CRESCENT ROUTE. National Convention Epworth League, San Francisco, Cal., July 18-21, 1901.

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VENIRE. List of grand jurors selected this 7th day of June, to serve for the six months of the year 1901, and for the term of the 7th District Court, beginning on the first Monday, the 1st day of July, 1901: ward ward T B Davis 5 J G Pittman 2 Geo Guiter 2 Geo S Owen 5 T S Stiner 2 J A Brown 3 Chas McAlpin 4 R L Hill 3 J W White 3 T J Powell 3 W B Pittman 3 J A Shields 3 W B Keene 3 Leo Taylor 2 W W Tooke 3 J W Crump 4 J W White 3 Henry Day 4 J S Millikin 3 Ralph Aly 4 J W Moore 3

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Assessor's Notice. Parish of East Carroll, State of Louisiana, June 1, 1901.—In accordance with the provisions of section 21 of Act No. 196, approved July 9, 1890, notice is hereby given to tax payers of the parish of East Carroll, that the listing of property, real and personal of said tax payers, is completed, together with the valuation placed upon said property, and that said list will be exposed in my office for the term of 30 days, beginning June 10, 1901. All tax payers are requested to avail themselves of the opportunity afforded to make known their objections to any assessment and to test their correctness in the manner prescribed by law. W. C. McKee, Assessor.

Sheriff's Sale. State of Louisiana, Parish of East Carroll, Ninth District Court.—No. 567. C. A. Voelker et al., versus George Ashbridge. By virtue of a writ of F. Fa. to me directed by the Honorable Ninth District Court for the parish of East Carroll aforesaid, in the above entitled cause, I will proceed to sell at public auction, at the door of the court house, in the town of Providence, East Carroll parish, La., on Saturday, the 30th day of June, 1901, between the hours prescribed by law, all the right, title and interest of George Ashbridge in and to the following described property, to-wit: The entire stock of goods, wares, merchandise, store-furniture and movables in the Voelker store-house on Lake street, according to the inventory on file in my office, seized in the above suit. Terms of sale—cash with the benefit of appraisement. J. W. DUNN, Sheriff. Sheriff's office, Providence, La., June 13, 1901.

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Constable Sale. State of Louisiana, Parish of East Carroll, Third Ward Justice Court. S. Schwartz vs. G. W. S. McNeal, No. 63. J. Doribusch vs. S. A. McNeal, No. 64. J. Danubusch vs. S. A. McNeal, No. 65. By virtue of a writ of F. Fa. to me directed by the Hon. C. R. Egally, Justice of the Peace of the Third Ward Justice Court for the parish of East Carroll aforesaid, in the above entitled causes, I will proceed to sell at public auction, at the door of the said Third Justice Court (Fireman's Hall) in the town of Providence, East Carroll parish, La., on Saturday, the 6th day of July, 1901, between the hours prescribed by law, all the right, title and interest of S. A. McNeal in and to the following described property, to-wit: One and one-half acres of land, situated in the parish of East Carroll, Louisiana, and known as the "Old Store" and containing therein a large quantity of goods, wares, merchandise, store-furniture and movables, real and personal, and books and accounts, in the store-house on Levee street occupied by said S. A. McNeal as a grocery store, according to the inventory on file in my office—seized in the above suit. Terms of sale—cash with the benefit of appraisement. W. H. HUNTER, Constable. Constable's Office, Providence, La., June 22, 1901.

Promulgation of Election. STATE OF LOUISIANA, PARISH OF EAST CARROLL. Be it remembered, That we, the undersigned Board of Supervisors of Election for the parish of East Carroll, do this day repair to the courthouse of said parish, for the purpose of compiling the returns sent in by the commissioners of election at the polling place in said parish and Town of Providence, of an election held therein on the 19th day of June, 1901, for Mayor, Secretary, Treasurer, Marshal and five Councilmen agreeable to the laws of this State and in pursuance of the proclamation of the Mayor of the town of Providence, in the Board of Supervisors of Election, and then and there having arrived we proceeded in the courthouse of said parish, to open the returns and to count the same, and the following persons, known and heretofore required and qualified electors of this town, and as many others who have chosen to attend, to complete said returns, and have ascertained from said compilation that the votes cast at said polling place at this town at said election, for a Mayor, Secretary, Treasurer, Marshal and five Councilmen, are as follows: For Mayor: G. M. Franklin, 68. R. L. Hill, 1. For Secretary: W. H. Fisher, 64. For Treasurer: Yancy Bell, 67. For Councilmen: J. W. Pittman, 58. C. F. Ellis, 59. W. S. Maguire, 58. N. Fousse, 59. C. R. Egally, 63. Y. B. Burns, 54. And do hereby declare the following persons duly elected: G. M. Franklin, Mayor; D. F. Peck, Marshal; Yancy Bell, Treasurer; W. H. Fisher, Secretary; J. W. Pittman, C. R. Egally, W. S. Maguire, N. Fousse, C. R. Egally, as Councilmen, and having made public proclamation of the above results, we have closed this present process verbal of compilation of votes, which is made in triplicate, as required by law. Town of Providence, parish of East Carroll, this 4th day of June, 1901. Signed in presence of Adair Vought, Jno. Franklin and C. N. Hill. W. E. Dunn, W. C. McKee, Board of Supervisors for the parish of East Carroll.

STATE TAX SALES OF Immoveable Property. The State of Louisiana, the Parish of East Carroll and the Fifth District Levee Board vs. Delinquent Tax-Payers. By virtue of the authority vested in me by the Constitution and Laws of the State of Louisiana, I will sell at the principal 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 10 o'clock a. m., on Saturday, July 6, 1901, and continuing on each succeeding day until said sales are completed, all the real property on which taxes are now due to the State of Louisiana, the Parish of East Carroll and the Fifth District Levee Board to enforce collection of taxes assessed in the years 1898, 1899 and 1900, together with the interest thereon from the 31st day of December, 1900, at the rate of two per cent per month until paid and all costs. The names of said delinquent tax-payers, the amount due by each on the assessment of said year, and the immoveable property assessed to each to be offered for sale as follows, to-wit: FIFTH WARD: L. L. WITKOWSKI, 80 acres; the W. of N. of Sec 52, T 22 N 12 E.

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