

THE CLARION.

OPELOUSAS, AUG. 25, 1900.

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GILBERT L. DUPRE, ...LAWYER...

Has resumed the practice of his profession. Office with E. D. Estillette, Esq. may 26-6m

—Shute has it—Sour Lake Water.

—Best cigars in town at Mason's Drugstore.

—Telephone Shute's for Sour Lake Water. a4-13t

—Soda water at Mason's Drugstore. Call around.

—A crowd of gay serenaders had things their way Tuesday night.

—Sour Lake Water Depot—I. E. Shute, M. D., local agent and distributor. a4-13t

—Walter J. Smith is spending a few days with relatives here.

—Cheap excursion tickets to Sour Lake—only \$8.35 to hotel and return. a4-5t

—Miss Rosa Durko spent a few days with Miss Ethel Richard in Bellevue this week.

—Go to Mason's Drug Store for fresh drugs, compounded by a competent man.

—Don't scratch any more. Sour Lake will cure the worst case of Eczema ever known. a4-5t

—Mrs. Evans is building a neat cottage in the southern portion of town.

FOR SALE.—Two Smith & Son's gin-stands—complete and good as new. Apply to Sandoz Moss Co., Opelousas, La. a4-4t

—Mr. B. F. Perley, the veteran glinwright, is working at his trade in this parish this season. Address him at Opelousas, La. j5-2t

—Eczema cured everywhere at Sour Lake. The Hot Acid Mud Baths and free use of the water are GUARANTEED to cure Eczema. a4-5t

—The engagement is announced of Miss Marie Simon and Dr. Charles Arthur Gardiner, the marriage to take place Sept. 18th.

—Anything you wish to know about Sour Lake? Ask Dr. I. E. Shute, Agent, for the Best Mineral Water in the world. a4-5t

—Mr. B. Bennett, the Landry street clothier, is daily unpacking his immense stock of fall goods. By watching his ad. you will save money.

—Try "Faust" Beer—Special Brew—and you will drink no other. For sale over the bar by F. H. Eddy and C. Dietlein Grocery Co. Limited. a18-4t

—Four weeks at Sour Lake—drink freely of Nos. 4 and 7—gets your liver right. It will stay right for months. Try it, you will know it's true. a4-5t

—They have it in Washington that Sam Robertson is responsible for the establishment of a High School there. The next place we expect to hear from is Melville. There the catfish won't bite unless Sam is elected. Wonderful man is the colonel.

—What most people want is something mild and gentle. Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets fill the bill to a dot. They are easy to take and pleasant in effect. For sale at McBride's Drug Store.

—The new School Board will meet Monday, the 27th, for the purpose of organizing, and to appoint a committee to contract with the St. Landry State Bank for sufficient money to liquidate the Board's indebtedness. This will be good news to our teachers, who have so patiently borne the hardship occasioned by the Board's inability to pay them.

—If you have a baby in the house you will wish to know the best way to check any unusual looseness of the bowels, or diarrhoea so common to small children. O. F. M. Holliday, of Deming, Ind., who has an eleven months' old child, says: "Through the months of June and July our baby was teething and took a running off of the bowels and sickness of the stomach. His bowels would move from five to eight times a day. I had a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy in the house and gave him four drops in a teaspoonful of water and he got better at once." For sale at McBride's Drug Store.

The Primaries.

Now that the committee has met and ordered a primary to be held throughout the parish on September 16th, for the selection of sixteen delegates to represent this parish in the Congressional nominating convention, it behooves the Democratic yeomanry of the old Empire parish to begin to look around for "the man."

Col. Sam Robertson, the present incumbent, is a candidate for reelection. We believe that if he should be returned this time, it will make his twelfth year of service in the halls of Congress. Before him his father served several terms—so the Congressional seat has been an heirloom in the Robertson family for a quarter of a century.

The Congressional career of Col. Robertson is that of the machine boss of the most dangerous type. While always a Democrat, his rule or ruin, win-at-any-cost, policy has threatened the disruption of the party on several occasions. Repeatedly has he ruthlessly throttled the will of the Democracy of this district and only the loyalty of its members have prolonged the political revolution that must eventually be the outcome of political dishonesty. There must be an end to all things, and there must be an end to the reprehensible methods practiced by Col. Robertson for these many years to retain his seat in Congress.

Col. Robertson's opponent for Congress is Judge Adolphe V. Coco, of Avoyelles parish. Judge Coco is a native Louisianian, a member of one of the foremost Creole families in the State, thoroughly educated, an eloquent orator, level-headed, courteous, honest—an ideal man to represent us in Congress. He has served his district twice as Judge, and was a leading member of the late Constitutional Convention. Judge Coco's Democratic record is irrefragable. Ever since he attained his majority he has been a faithful and untiring worker for the party of his choice, never deviating from or changing his politics. He is the paragon of honesty—sturdy old Creole honesty—the very man to lead the fight against the political chicanery that is now being made.

Vote for Coco, and show Col. Robertson that he is not the Democratic party of the sixth district; that he cannot juggle with the people any longer. The time has come when the people want a voice in the selection of a Congressman—they are tired of having Robertson's committees make the selection.

A Minister's Good Work.

"I had a severe attack of bilious colic, got a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, took two doses and was entirely cured," says Rev. A. A. Power, of Emporia, Kan. "My neighbor across the street was sick for over a week, had two or three bottles of medicine from the doctor. He used them for three or four days without relief, then called in another doctor who treated him for some days and gave him no relief, so discharged him. I went over to see him the next morning. He said his bowels were in a terrible fix, that they had been running off so long that it was almost bloody flux. I asked him if he had tried Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and he said, 'No.' I went home and brought him my bottle and gave him one dose; told him to take another dose in fifteen or twenty minutes if he did not find relief, but he took no more and was entirely cured. I think it the best medicine I have ever tried." For sale at McBride's Drug Store.

School Announcement.

The 26th annual session of the Opelousas Female Institute begins Monday, September 3, 1900. Miss Mattie Holt from the Normal at Nashville, Tenn., will be associated with me. We guarantee satisfaction and earnestly solicit your patronage. Respectfully, Mrs. M. M. HAYES.

It Saved His Baby.

"My baby was terribly sick with the diarrhoea, we were unable to cure him with the doctor's assistance, and as a last resort we tried Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy," says Mr. J. H. Doak, of Williams, Oregon. "I am happy to say it gave immediate relief and a complete cure." For sale at McBride's Drug Store.

For Sale.

A second-hand soda fountain, 6 syrup tanks, 1 draught arm and 2 mineral tubes and 2 5-gallon copper fountains. All in first-class order, just repaired. Will sell same for \$100. \$10 cash and notes for \$10 a month each. Apply or write to MASON McBRIDE. j5-7

The Races.

The first races on the Burr track were pulled off on the 19th inst. The weather was fine for the occasion, the track, which is a regulation half-mile track, was in fine condition and very fast. There were about two hundred spectators present, who enjoyed the exciting sport and the delightful music furnished by the Conn Wonder Brass Band.

The Burr track is situated on the top of a beautiful hill, where a delightful breeze blows continuously. It is bounded on the south by an immense grove of pecan trees, just the place for a social gathering.

The races were as follows:

1st Race, third class, best three in five, 1 mile heats—contested by Ella Boagni and Mack Boutte. Ella won.

2nd Race, five arpent running—contested by Dewey and Jennie B. Dewey won.

3rd Race, 2:35 class, half mile heats—contested by Idlemore, Sunset Dun, and Rex. Won by Idlemore, the favorite Queen of the turf of St. Landry; time, 1:15, 1:16, 1:16, with Sunset Dun a close second.

4th Race, one-half mile dash for 2 year olds—contested by St. Patrick, of Sunset, and Clemmie Burr. This was a very speedy and exciting race and very closely contested. Won by St. Patrick by a head, both proved to be very promising racers, and will no doubt be hot contestants for the older "curf flyers" at an early date.

The last, and one of the most exciting of the races, was an exhibition race between Tommy Boette and May C., owned by Dardie Lastreps. They made an even start, and finished even, for one-half mile.

There will be an exciting Stallion race (and others) on September 16.

St. Charles College, Grand Coteau, La.

The academic department of the St. Charles College, Grand Coteau, La., will re-open on Sept. 3rd, 1900. This institution for the present admits day-scholars only. Both the classical and commercial courses are taught, as in any other college within the State. Parents anxious to secure for their boys that moral and intellectual training which is received in all colleges of the Jesuit order, and of which this college has given ample proof in the past, can readily do so, and at small expense, by boarding their sons with some of the best families of this place, who will watch over and treat them in all respects as members of the family. Moreover, a strict personal supervision over the students is exercised by the President and Faculty, thus safe-guarding, as far as may reasonably be expected, the moral conduct and close application to study, of the students. They are frequently visited at their homes, and special rules made for them are strictly enforced. Thus, Christian parents can have no legitimate excuse for placing their sons at such schools as are the destruction of religion and hane of good society.

The tuition fee is \$3 per month. The daily classes begin at 9 a. m. and close at 3:30 p. m. For further particulars apply to the President of the college.

Respectfully yours, M. A. GRACE, S. J.

That U. S. Court House.

One of the Robertson people's strongest reasons to vote for Robertson is because he caused a United States Courthouse to be erected in Opelousas. What a glorious achievement! What high-class statesmanship! He actually had a Courthouse erected! We feel constrained to admit that a twelve-year tenure in Congress is not sufficient reward for this one act of the statesman from East Baton Rouge.

But the fact of the matter is that Judge E. T. Lewis is really the hero of the Opelousas U. S. Courthouse. It was he who introduced the bill, and Sam Robertson just took it up where the Judge left off. Pity it is that Congress adjourned before Judge Lewis got the appropriation through; perhaps he would have been in Congress yet.

A Good Appointment.

The Governor has appointed Mr. Fritz Dietlein, Cashier of the St. Landry State Bank, as a member of the Board of Aldermen of Opelousas, to succeed Nathan Roos, deceased.

The choice is an excellent one. Mr. Dietlein is a young man of wide business experience, which will be of value to him in managing the town's finances. He is energetic and enterprising, and will no doubt make a tip-top city dad.

Charbon! Charbon!

Just arrived, at Mason's Drugstore, a fresh stock of Anthrax Vaccine Virus—the best virus in the world.

—Drink "Faust" Draught—Special Brew—finest beer brought to Opelousas. For sale over the bar by C. Dietlein Grocery Co. Limited and F. H. Eddy. a18-4t

—H. Garland Dupre, of New Orleans, is spending a while with relatives and friends in Opelousas.

—Turnip Seeds, all kinds—new crop—35 cents per pound at C. Dietlein Grocery Co., Ltd. a25

Chronic Indigestion? Sour Lake Mineral Water will cure you—at Shute's Drugstore—only \$1.00 per gallon. Cheapest medicine ever sold. a4-13t

—Jailer Ewell Swords tells us that he will soon start his jail brigade fixing up the court house square. If he does that we'll see that he gets a monument.

—No Mineral water in the world superior to Sour Lake water—Shute's Drugstore, sole distributor—\$1.00 per gallon—special prices to the trade. a4-13t

—Hon. E. B. Dubuisson returned from an extended trip to Hot Springs Monday, looking much improved in health. He came in time to help whoop-up things for Coco.

—Lost.—On the road from Opelousas to Mallet, a grey Mackintosh coat, with a 38 6-inch barrel Smith & Wesson pistol. A liberal reward will be given for its return to me. ARTHUR ACCOIN, a18 Chataignier, La.

—Rev. E. E. Riggs will begin a protracted service at the Methodist church on Monday next at 8 o'clock p. m. The public is cordially invited to attend.

T. K. FAUNT LEROY, Pastor.

—Modlenka's Compendium of Legal Information, compiled from the laws of the State of Louisiana, is a useful book for the business man and the public generally. Can be had at this office at the regular price.

—J. P. Gueydan, of Gueydan, La., states: "I am 72 years old—two months ago I went to Sour Lake suffering for many years with Eczema—could scarcely walk. I am now sound and well, and I think Sour Lake is the greatest place on earth." a4-5t

Under a French law any person who has been offensively mentioned in a periodical publication has the right to reply in the next issue thereof, provided he do not use more than twice the space occupied by the original article.

—Mr. M. Hellman, a member of the whiskey firm of A. M. Hellman & Co., one of the largest in the South, was in town Wednesday, in the interest of his firm. They are the makers of the famous Arlington whiskey, the advertisement of which appears in this issue.

—The laws of health require that the bowels move once each day and one of the penalties for violating this law is piles. Keep your bowels regular by taking a dose of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets when necessary and you will never have that severe punishment inflicted upon you. Price 25 cents. For sale at McBride's Drug Store.

The Venezuelan Herald says that "at the very hour—strange irony of fate—that we were receiving the New York journals announcing the entirely false news that a new revolution had broken out in Venezuela, the author of which news cannot be traced, the Venezuelan people were once more chanting the hymn of peace, and in the midst of the hurrahs of a population in the delirium of joy, on the 24th of July, President Castro stated that not a single armed band existed in the country."

—The statement of the Robertson people that the support of Judge Coco is fighting the State administration is as absurd as other stories being circulated around here by the Colonel's friends. If the fight were administration versus anti-administration, if that were the issue, the Clarion would be found on the side of the administration. We believe that the Clarion is closely allied with Governor Heard's administration as any paper in the State. It has been an administration paper ever since its existence, and it is not now prepared to desert its old love. But that has nothing to do in this fight. Judge Coco is as stalwart an administration man as Col. Robertson, and Governor Heard or his administration have no right to take a hand in the fight. Coco is a Democrat.

TAKEN UP by the undersigned, at Rosa, one roan mare, about 10 years old, been on range about four years—brand inverted F J or F G with bar below. The owner will please come forward, prove property, pay costs and take same. W. H. HALEY, Rosa, La. all-5t

Jersey's Richly Bred.

Blood of such cows as "Princess 2nd" record of 46 lbs. of butter in 7 days—Signal's "Lily" Flag—known as "Queen of Jerseys" and declared by World's Fair contest account of her great performance—"Little Goldie"—"Gentiana" and many other grand cows. Bulls and Bull Calves for sale. Agents for De Laval Separators. Don't write unless you mean business. all-5t C. A. SAINT, Sunset, La.

FROM OUR ANNUAL CLEARING SALE, DIETLEIN GROCERY CO. LTD.

Which we had for the past month, we have left a small lot of our

Linen Suits and Alpaca Coat and Vests,

which we decided to sell REGARDLESS OF COST. Also a few of our Negligee Overshirts, and the balance of our Underwear will go at the same rate.

LINEN SUITS, \$4.50 kind at \$2.90
The \$3.75 kind at 2.50
Also a few we sold at \$2.50, will go at 1.40
A few Boy's Linen Suits left, size 9 to 14, will go at75
Underwear, the kind sold at 90¢ a suit, will go at50
The kind sold at \$1.50 a suit, will go at 1.00

Do not fail to Secure some of these Real Values as they will not last long at these Prices.

Remember The Place!

New York Clothing Store,

M. Winsberg & Bro., Proprietors,

Building lately occupied by Thompson's Drugstore, Landry St., Opelousas, La.

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For the Fourth Police Jury Ward, 9th Election Precinct, at Melville, at Rosenberger's store, on Monday, August 13.

For the 4th Police Jury Ward, Eighth Election Precinct, at E. C. Hayes' store, on Tuesday, August 14.

For the 4th Police Jury Ward, Eleventh Election Precinct, at Palmetto, at Wesley Budden's office, on Wednesday, August 15.

For the Fourth Police Jury Ward, 12th Election Precinct, at Big Cane, at Havard's store, on Thursday, August 16.

For the Fourth Police Jury Ward, 13th Election Precinct, at Barwick, at Clotson's store, on Friday, August 17.

For the Fifth Police Jury Ward, 16th Election Precinct, at Whiteville, at Savant's store, on Saturday, August 18.

For the Fifth Police Jury Ward, 22nd Election Precinct, at Barwick, at Phillips' store, on Monday, August 20.

For the Fifth Police Jury Ward, 15th Election Precinct, at Garland, at Dan Hart's store, on Tuesday, August 21.

For the Fifth Police Jury Ward, 17th Election Precinct, at Grand Prairie, at School House, on Wednesday, August 22.

For the Seventh Police Jury Ward, 23d Election Precinct, at Ville Platte, at Dejean's store, on Thursday, August 23.

For the Sixth Police Jury Ward, 21st Election Precinct, at Bayou Chicot, at Sam Haas' store, on Friday, August 24.

For the Sixth Police Jury Ward, 18th Election Precinct, at Boarman, at Dossman's store, on Saturday, August 25.

For the Sixth Police Jury Ward, 33d Election Precinct, at Lone Pine, at Stewart's store, on Monday, August 27.

For the Sixth Police Jury Ward, 19th Election Precinct, at Lake Cove, at church, on Tuesday, August 28.

For the Sixth Police Jury Ward, 22d Election Precinct, at Pine Prairie, at Pine Prairie Hall, on Wednesday, August 29.

For the Sixth Police Jury Ward, 20th Election Precinct, at Beaver Creek, at Morris' School House, on Thursday, August 30.

For the Seventh Police Jury Ward, 24th Election Precinct, at Upper Mamouth, at J. J. Landreane's store, on Saturday, September 1.

For the Eighth Police Jury Ward, 28th Election Precinct, at Lower Mamouth, at Benoit Johnson's store, on Monday, September 3.

For the Eighth Police Jury Ward, 31st Election Precinct, at Eunice, at Town Hall, on Tuesday, September 4.

For the Eighth Police Jury Ward, 27th Election Precinct, at Paquetique, at Valentin Savoy's store, on Wednesday, September 5.

For the Seventh Police Jury Ward, 24th Election Precinct, at Chataignier, at A. Guille's store, on Thursday, September 6.

For the Eighth Police Jury Ward, 29th Election Precinct, at Waxia, at School House, on Friday, September 14.

For the First Police Jury Ward, 2nd Election Precinct, at Plaisance, at Yves Andrepont's store, on Saturday, September 15th.

For the Second Police Jury Ward, 4th Election Precinct, at Judge J. A. Smith's office, on Tuesday, September 11.

For the Third Police Jury Ward, 6th Election Precinct, at Leonville, at Frank Quebeaudeau's store, on Wednesday, September 12.

For the Third Police Jury Ward, 7th Election Precinct, at Nottelville, at N. C. Devilliers' store, on Thursday, September 13.

For the Fourth Police Jury Ward, 10th Election Precinct, at Waxia, at School House, on Friday, September 14.

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For the Fifth Police Jury Ward, 14th Election Precinct, at Washington, at Town Hall, on Monday, September 17.

For the First Police Jury Ward, 3rd Election Precinct, at Bellevue, at School House, on Wednesday, September 19.

After which day the registration office will be open daily at the Court House in Opelousas, as required by law, for the registration of all legal voters throughout the parish, beginning on Thursday, September 21st, and ending on Saturday, October 13th, at which time the registration for the parish of St. Landry will finally close.

All persons claiming the right to register under a Property Qualification should produce their tax receipts. ALFRED STAGG, Assessor and Registrar, Parish of St. Landry. aug4

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