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### MANAGER LOEB ANNOUNCES PARTIAL BILL FOR SEASON.

The List Representing Some of the Best Shows On the Road—Negotiating for John Sharp Williams and Ben Tillman

Manager E. L. Loeb, of the Sandoz, tells us that he is negotiating to have John Sharp Williams, present minority leader of the National House of Representatives and Democratic nominee for Senator of Mississippi, and Ben Tillman, the pitchfork orator, come here in June or July.

Mr. Loeb has succeeded in giving the theatre-going people of Opelousas very creditable shows, in the past few weeks, and the following list of the shows billed indicate that he will continue the good work throughout the season.

The following is a partial list of the attractions booked:

- Dec 16, "Faust," Hubert Labadie.
- Dec. 21, "Ma's New Husband," musical comedy.
- Dec. 26, Florence Davis, in "A Question of Husbands"
- Dec. 31, "Sweetest Girl in Dixie."
- Jan. 6, "Josh Simpleton."
- Jan. 18, Barlow & Hatfield's Minstrels.
- Jan. 20, W. B. Patton.
- Jan. 22, "Zeake, the Country Boy,"
- Jan. 27, Lyceum night.
- Jan. 30, The Hollingsworth Twins.
- Feb. 1, The Great Barlow Minstrels.
- Feb. 3, "When We Were Friends," by McCauley & Patton.
- Feb. 11, "Bowery Boy."
- Feb. 14, "In San Antonio."
- Feb. 15, "When Knighthood Was In Flower," (company of 50 people).
- Feb. 21, "The Flaming Arrow."
- Feb. 22, "Jerry from Kerry," with band and orchestra.

Feb. 29, The Albert Taylor Co. March 12, Joe Jefferson Jr. and Wm. Jefferson, in "The Rivals."

A large stock of 5c, 10c, 25c and 50c post card albums; also nice ones from \$1 to \$5, at Jacobs News Depot Co.

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### "FAUST" NEXT MONDAY.

Popular Play by Popular Actor Will Delight Opelousas Audiences On 16th.

Goethe's masterpiece has been given much attention by some of the world's greatest actors. Sir Henry Irving and Lewis Morrison devoted most of their lives to it, and Hubert Labadie has been presenting it for some fourteen years with uninterrupted success. Mr. Labadie's company has remained intact for a number of seasons, and assures a perfect presentation of this great play in Opelousas, at Sandoz Opera House, on Monday evening, December 16th.

The complete production is carried by the company. Speaking of this company, the Wichita (Kan.) Daily Eagle says: "Those people who love a good show and who stayed away from the Toler last night, missed a performance of 'Faust' that has never been equaled in this city. If any one has had a lingering doubt about the ability of the Auditorium stage to accommodate a fine production, they were undeceived last night. Every inch of the stock scenery was laid aside, and the changes which have been made, allowed plenty of room, and to spare, for Mr. Labadie's splendid scenery and electrical effects. "There were several new features,

through the story was not trifled with. The effects were great, an avalanche of fireworks at the close of the fourth act making the region of Hades seem awfully realistic. Mr. Hubert Labadie is a most convincing Mephisto; his work is painstaking and artistic. A close attention to detail also helps to render the performance finished. Mary Von Tromp is idealistic in the role of Marguerite, easily taking the strong emotional cue in the third and fifth acts."

Children's desks, hobby horses, swings, rocking chairs, velocipedes, tricycles and wagons, at Jacobs News Depot Co.

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### SOCIETY and PERSONAL

—Mrs. E. W. Lee made a business trip to Lake Charles this week.

—Mr. J. H. Boutte, of Lelia, dropped in to see us Wednesday.

—Mr. John T. Leger, of Coulee Croche, was a visitor to Opelousas Thursday.

—Mr. John P. Stagg, of Whiteville, was in the capital on business Wednesday.

—Mr. John Manning, of Port Barre, was a Clarion office visitor Tuesday last.

—Col. Henry Milburn, of Whiteville, was a pleasant visitor to Opelousas one day this week.

—Mr. E. E. Carpenter, of Loyd, was in Opelousas Tuesday, and gave us an appreciated call.

—Mr. F. J. Vautrot, of Church Point, was a visitor to St. Landry's capital Tuesday, and paid us a visit.

—Superintendent C. J. Thompson left for Baton Rouge Thursday, where he went to attend the meeting of State Superintendents of Public Education.

—Mr. Yorick Vidrine, one of Ville Platte's aldermen, was shaking hands with his many Opelousas friends Monday.

—Mr. Louis Veillon, Sr., one of Chataignier's prominent citizens, was a pleasant caller at the Clarion office Wednesday.

—Mr. Homer David, a well-known citizen of Church Point, was in Opelousas Wednesday, and favored the Clarion office with a call.

—Mr. J. W. Hill and little son, of Rosa, were in Opelousas on business Thursday last, and favored the Clarion office with a pleasant call.

—Postmaster Goldman L. Lassalle was absent from his post of duty several days this week, attending a State meeting of postmasters at New Orleans, in which assembly he took a prominent part.

—Dr. Paul Foster, of Lawtell, celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of his pilgrimage through life on December 4th. The pleasure of the occasion was only marred by the absence of his son, Marion, who is attending medical lectures in Vanderbilt University, and the illness of little Mamie Lawler, and the preacher's babies, who were among the invited guests.

The Bijou! The Bijou! See it.

### TO ENTER EUNICE BY JAN. 1.

Rock Island Preparing to Operate Road to St. Landry Town by the First of the Year.

Alexandria, La., Dec. 10.—The following officials of the Rock Island were in Alexandria to-day on an inspection tour, and after inspecting the depot and grounds of that Company went south over the road to Eunice. Those in the party were F. O. Melcher, General Manager; M. J. Kenelly, Division Superintendent; W. C. Hollister, Train Master; J. C.

Berry, Chief Engineer. The object of the visit of these officials was to find out if the condition of the road will permit opening up freight and passenger service through this city to Eunice Jan. 1. The track has been completed to within four miles of Eunice, and it is thought that trains will be run over the entire road by Jan. 1.

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### AUCTION SALE

Monday, December 16, 1907 At 10 O'Clock A. M.

Household Furniture, also a lot of Fine Milk Cows, Horses;

One pair Creole Mules;

A complete outfit of Blacksmith tools and farming implements;

One Surry, One Buggy,

One Wagon;

And many other articles too numerous to mention. EUGENE LACHAPPELLE. One mile northwest of Opelousas.

### PUBLIC AUCTION.

I will proceed to sell at public auction, to the last and highest bidder, at the residence of Jos. V. Roy, near Opelousas and according to the Police Jury estray ordinance, on Wednesday, Dec. 18, 1907 at 11 o'clock a. m., the following described animal, to-wit: One yellow brindie bull calf about two years old, no ear mark, no visible brand. A. SIMON, Justice of the Peace.

### SUCCESSION SALE.

ESTATE OF ERASTE FRUGE.

No. 6285, Probate Docket, District Court, Parish of St. Landry, La.

By virtue of an order of the Hon. E. T. Lewis, Judge of the 10th Judicial District Court, in and for the Parish of St. Landry, State of Louisiana, there will be sold at public auction, to the last and highest bidder, by the undersigned administrator or any duly qualified auctioneer, at the last residence of the deceased, in Prairie Mamou, on

Tuesday, Dec. 17, 1907, at 11 o'clock a. m., the following described property, belonging to the above estate, to-wit:

One certain tract of prairie land, situated in Prairie Mamou, in St. Landry parish, La., bounded north by school land, south by land of Widow Nell Reed, east by land of Dorin Chapman, west by land of Polux Gully, containing fifty superficial arpents, with all the buildings and improvements thereon.

One lot of household furniture; One half American horse; one mule; One wagon; one old buggy; One lot farming implements; One cow and calf; eight hogs; One lot of kitchen utensils. Terms—cash. FELICIANE BILLEAUDEAU, Administratrix.

LAND OFFICE AT NEW ORLEANS, LA., Nov. 29, 1907.

Notice is hereby given that JOHN W. Walker, of Turkey Creek, La., has filed notice of his intention to make final proof before Clerk of Court at his office in Opelousas, La., on the 30th day of January, 1908, on Homestead No. 2240, for the E. 1/4 SW 1/4 of section No. 20, in township No. 28, range, or lots 2 and 4, No. 1 E. La. Mer., made Dec. 22, 1892. He names as witnesses: Pierre Vidrine, J. C. Russell, W. M. Nixon, Allen B. Carter, all of Turkey Creek, La. WALTER L. COHEN, Register.

LAND OFFICE AT NEW ORLEANS, LA., Nov. 2, 1907.

Notice is hereby given that FRANCOIS VIDRINE, JR., of Pine Prairie, La., has filed notice of his intention to make final Five Year proof in support of his claim, viz: Homestead Entry No. 2288, made November 22, 1901, for the E. 1/4 of SW 1/4, Section 29, Township 3 South, Range 1 West, La. Meridian, and that said proof will be made before John Evans, U. S. Com'r at Blanche, La., on December 19, 1907. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of the land, viz: Jean Pierre Ardoin, of Pine Prairie, La.; Cleophas Fontenot, of Beaver, La.; Edward McDaniel, of Beaves, La.; Esterlie Rold, of Pine Prairie, La. WALTER L. COHEN, Register.

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Notice. I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by any member of my family, or anybody else, except myself or my wife, or our signatures. M. L. SWORDS. Opelousas, La., January 15, 1907.

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