

THE CLARION

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Announcements.

We are authorized to announce ARTHUR SIMON as a candidate for the office of City Judge of the City of Opelousas and of the First Ward of the Parish of St. Landry, La., subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce the candidacy of E. S. KERR for re-election to the office of City Judge at the primary election to be held in January, 1916.

We are authorized to announce J. W. SANDERS as a candidate for member of the Lower House of the General Assembly of the State of Louisiana, from St. Landry parish, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

WHY WE ARE LATE

The Clarion has been delayed this week by the accident which partially destroyed the modern power plant, causing this issue of the paper to reach our subscribers several hours late. In rushing to attempt to get our paper out as quickly as possible we were forced to condense many of our news articles especially the article pertaining to the parish fair. We hope however to advert to the parish fair next week in such a way as to make up for all shortcomings this week.

The fair was a great success, the exhibits were grand, and much praise is due to Dr. Littell for having worked so faithfully and energetically in order to make this fair a gorgeous success. We will dwell on the benefits derived from the parish fair, and everything in general pertaining to the fair, more fully in our next issue.

WHAT DEMOCRACY HAS ACCOMPLISHED

At the very time that the Democratic party is being derided in Louisiana, a wave of prosperity is sweeping over the United States, due to the efficient and diplomatic manner in which President Wilson and other leaders of the Democratic party, who now enjoy full sway at Washington, have conducted the affairs of the government.

It was found that under existing conditions the government could not be operated successfully without the duty on sugar; no sooner had that fact been discovered than it was announced that the duty on this important Louisiana crop would remain the same. This was not done with a view of "bringing back" the disgruntled politicians and effected sugar planters, who thought that Democracy had pointed them out for revenge. It was purely an economic and business-like step.

President Wilson has kept America from being engaged in war; jingo politicians pressed America's chief executive to step into rebellious Mexico, for the purpose of establishing peace in that country at the sacrifice of probably thousands of the best American soldiers; Senator Hoke Smith and others criticized Mr. Wilson for not declaring war against England, while Theodore Roosevelt was shouting for the United States navy to cross over and land some troops on the Kaiser territory. Despite all of this pressure brought to bear President Wilson stood firm in his conviction that the United States could achieve a greater victory in peace than in war. By his patient and diplomatic handling of the situation he has saved this country from participating in the most horrible war of human kind.

A wave of prosperity is sweeping the country right on the heels of a Democratic administration and ere President Wilson's term expires the United States will have awakened to the realization that the present executive is the greatest man that has graced the chair of George Washington since the days of Abraham Lincoln.

Those who are shouting for the death of Democracy fail to realize that in the party the South and the nation has found a true savior; that Louisiana will prosper as never before.

Three years of Democratic control has made the trusts sit up and take notice; laborers are getting better wages, the consumer is not forced to pay more for manufactured products than during Republican rule. Democracy has kept America out of war and has pressed the good name and reputation of the United States abroad; party leaders, who stand for everything that Democracy stands for, have

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broadened out the name of Uncle Sam; they have accomplished so many good things that it will take years to realize just what benefit the United States has derived from Wilson's administration.

THE CLARION ENDORSES JUDGE DUPRE

That Judge Gilbert L. Dupre is eminently fitted to fill one of the three positions in the Lower House of the General Assembly from this parish is not doubted. He has served this parish repeatedly in public office and has never been found wanting and the Clarion unhesitatingly endorses the candidacy of Judge Dupre.

In endorsing Judge Dupre's candidacy we feel that we owe our readers the reasons why we would want to see him elected. First of all Judge Dupre has taken a lively interest in the affairs of the state, he is well posted, capable and efficient; he has always taken care of the interests of the small taxpayers and has fought time and again for the man who pushes the plow. The Clarion has had Judge Dupre associated with it for the past several years as legal adviser and associate editor. He has been a true friend of the Clarion, Democracy and St. Landry and the voters of this great parish should certainly honor him with a re-election to the Lower House of the General Assembly of Louisiana.

We feel certain that the majority of the voters of this parish will agree with us that the Judge is fully qualified to hold the office and is full of energy. He will take care of the interests of this parish and its people as he has always done. Parker men will awake to find an overwhelming majority of Louisiana voters ad-

verse to "flopping over" to the Bull Moose party for the sake of voting for a man, who is hailed as such a wonderful business man. They are pretty apt to be sadly disappointed at the outcome of the general state election next April.

Clerk of Court Henry Las-trapes and Coroner Robert M. Littell made so little noise during the past six months that the voters of St. Landry forgot that there were such offices as Clerk of Court and Coroner in this parish. Now, however, the aforementioned gentlemen laughingly greet the voters and are laying claim to their respective offices. They are unopposed.

ELECTRIC LIGHTS ARE FLASHED ON FRIDAY

Opelousas Wakes Up to Find Itself With the Use of the Very Necessary Lights

Opelousas is no longer in darkness, thanks to Superintendent Jones of the power plant and his crew of heroic workers, who labored strenuously for over twenty-four hours trying to adjust things down at the ruined power plant for the purpose of furnishing the city with electric lights.

At five o'clock Friday afternoon the electric lights were flashed on and Opelousas citizens appreciated the work of the city officials.

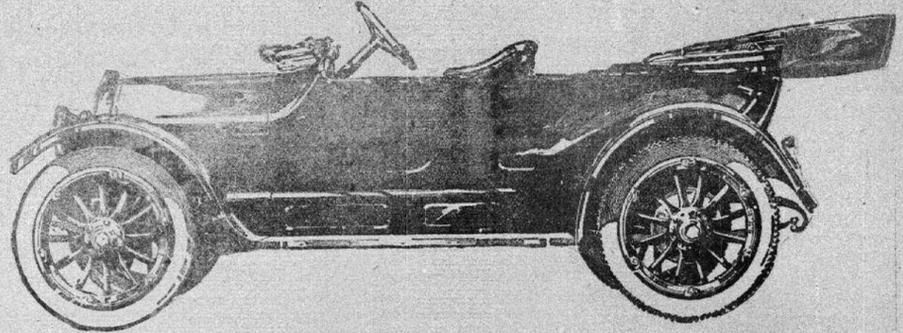
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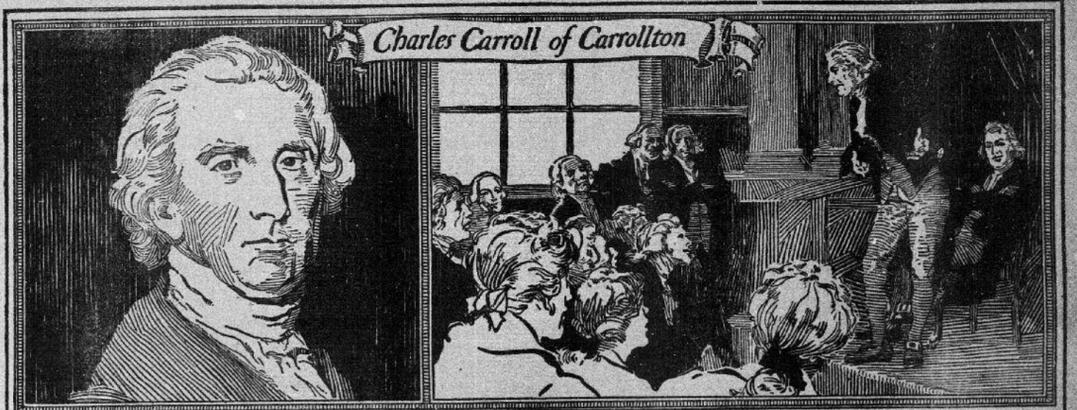
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