

Society and Personals

—Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Jagou of New Orleans returned to their home after a visit to relatives here.

—Mr. Lionel Bienvenue was a visitor to Lafayette during the week.

—H. C. Comeaux returned from a trip to Asheville, N. C.

—Miss Ethel Devillers is the guest of Miss Margery Chachere.

—Mrs. George Chachere left for New Orleans Wednesday, where she will visit relatives.

—Mrs. Edwin Bercier and children of Rayne, have returned home, having been the guests of relatives here for some time.

—Bryan Halphen of Lafayette came up Tuesday to attend the funeral of his great-aunt, Mrs. E. Latour.

—Miss Louise Pavy is in Rayne, visiting relatives.

—John J. Fontenot and daughter of Crowley were Opelousas visitors Sunday.

—Frank Quebedeau, prominent Leonville citizen was transacting business here Monday.

—Baby Chachere, one of Uncle Sam's sailors, who was home on furlough, departed Wednesday to resume his duties.

—Miss Junge has returned to her home in New Orleans after a visit to friends here.

—Hon. P. R. Sandoz, prominent local attorney was a business visitor to New Orleans on Monday, returning on Tuesday.

—Miss Viola Latil of Baton Rouge is the guest of friends in this city.

—Mrs. H. Miller and children of Mer Rouge are visiting relatives in Opelousas.

—Tony Bercier and Finley Troclair visited their parents in this city Sunday. They are now at Camp Beauregard.

—Mrs. J. N. Brown and Mrs. Sam Plosky of Washington were in this city recently.

—Mrs. W. Nicholson, and Mrs. K. Lynch of Washington and Mrs. A. W. Bittle of Lafayette were Opelousas visitors Saturday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sandoz were visitors to the Crescent City the past week.

—Miss Mamie Kelley of Denton, Texas, is visiting at the home of her mother, Mrs. G. W. Kelley.

—Mr. and Mrs. Ben Dejean have moved into their home on Market street, which was recently purchased.

—Mrs. Felix Richard and children who were visiting relatives and friends in Opelousas returned to Abbeville on last Thursday.

—Mrs. H. Richard and children have returned from a trip to Coopers Wells, Miss.

—J. E. Hicks, of Rosa, was circulating among friends here Monday.

—Jno. W. Clark, the jeweler, made a flying trip to New Orleans last Sunday. He reports Mrs. Clark, who is sick in that city, as improving.

—Dr. and Mrs. B. A. Littell were visitors to Camp Beauregard last Sunday.

—On Saunday last Mrs. A. S. Brown was hostess to the Bridge Club, entertaining in a charming manner. The prizes were won by Mrs. Henry Lastrapes and Mrs. E. T. Bercier. The following ladies were present: Mrs. George Bienvenue, Mrs. G. T. Edwards, Mrs. H. U. Callahan, Mrs. B. Edwards, Mrs. Ike Roos, Mrs. R. Morhniveg, Mrs. Jesse Barnette, Mrs. Henry Lastrapes, Mrs. F. J. Dietlein, Mrs. John Green, Mrs. Alex Castille, Mrs. Mrs. C. Jenin, Misses Rose Chachere, Althe Delarue, Mathilde Estorge, Mary Littell.

—Misses Cecile and Isaura Dejean left Tuesday for Asheville, N. C., where they will spend the summer.

—Mrs. A. A. Anding was a Tuesday visitor to the capital city.

—Mrs. E. W. Owen and little son, after a delightful visit to friends in this city, have returned to New Orleans.

—The following enjoyed an outing and barbecue at the country home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dietlein on Sunday last: Mr. and Mrs. Harold Lastrapes of New Orleans, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Edwards and children, Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Edwards and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dietlein and children, Dr. and Mrs. E. T. Bercier and children, Messrs. Frankie Dietlein, Vincent and Edward Boagni, Dudley Lastrapes, Edward Estorge and Dick Eckart.

—Lawrence B. Sandoz, who enlisted in the Coast Artillery a few days ago, has been accepted and assigned to duty at Jackson Barracks, New Orleans. While awaiting action upon his application for entrance into the Officer's Training Camp at Fort Monroe he is employed in the insurance department being conducted by the war department in the interest of sailors and soldiers.

—Rev. C. B. Anderson, of New Orleans, was here this week, primarily for the purpose of attending the memorial Mass for Rev. John Engberink. He stated to friends that no selection had yet been made of a pastor for Opelousas and that it

was not likely that one would be named until Bishop-elect Jeanmar received his formal papers from Rome.

—Miss Hilda Sandoz left for Crowley on Tuesday where she will be the guest of the Misses Broussard. Miss Gladys Broussard, who has been a visitor here for some time returned home the same day.

—Mrs. Raoul Pavy and children have returned from a visit to Coopers Wells, Miss. Mr. Pavy who was also at the Wells continued to Georgia where he will remain a few days.

—Isaac Goetz, one of the leading merchants of Gariand, was an Opelousas visitor on Friday, returning home on the afternoon train. He states that crops are fairly good in his section despite the drought.

—"Tonie" S. Lambert left Thursday for a business trip to Houston, Texas.

—Attorney W. J. Sandoz was a business visitor to New Orleans the latter part of last week.

—Judge A. W. Dejean of Plaquemine Point was a visitor to Opelousas yesterday (Friday) morning and while here gave The Clarion an appreciated call.

—After spending the week-end with home folks, Miss Della Bourdier and Miss Lucy Gonsoulin returned to Baton Rouge to continue their studies in the business college there.

—Hon. E. K. Eastham was a business visitor to Eunice this week.

—Alva D. Hanks, business man of Port Barre, was in Opelousas Wednesday and gave The Clarion a call.

PLANE WRECKED HERE THURSDAY EVENING

MACHINE DAMAGED BUT AVIATOR ESCAPES INJURY

Descended Safely but Attempt to Rise Causes Smash of the Wings and Propeller

Aviator Clary from Gerstner Field, on his first flight alone, lost his bearings near Abbeville Thursday and strayed over to Opelousas late in the afternoon. His plane was flying at a high altitude when it passed over this city going east and people thought it was bound for Baton Rouge. In a few minutes it circled and descended safely in the Ringrose pasture. The visit of a machine after such a long interval brought a large crowd of people who have not lost their interest in the machines and when the aviator attempted to rise the machine made a fluke and, striking its wing in a tree, fell. The wings, propeller, etc., were smashed, but motor and body escaped any serious injury. When the accident occurred the onlooking women screamed, thinking that the aviator was killed, but when he emerged from the wreckage he waved his hand to assure them that he was all right. The wrecked machine was shipped back to Lake Charles for repair.

PORT BARRE RESOLUTIONS

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Be it further resolved, That we, the citizens and residents of Port Barre and surrounding country, do hereby condemn and deprecate any thought of mob violence or disdain of the law and authority as dedicated by the people to attain a proper measure of protection and safeguard for the inhabitants of civilized communities. We hereby pledge our allegiance and support to the maintenance of our legal institutions and to these resolutions.

Signed by: F. A. Dejean, Mayor; A. E. Resweber, alderman; A. L. Monfille, A. D. Hanks, C. P. Stuat, C. V. Dejean, E. C. Hawkins, Placide Robin, M. R. Callouet, Ollus Boudreau, R. P. Bergeron, J. I. Shute, J. W. Kessinger, Hugh Blum, W. R. Pearce, Chas. Robertson, Sidney Leblanc, Adam Gullory, Lucius Carriere, B. B. Kessinger, F. E. Carman, W. W. Kessinger, Albert P. Resweber, Eddie Ardoin, V. Langlois, Jos. Langlois, J. A. Burleigh, Andeol Landry, C. L. Ballard, John Marniry, Rev. D. Sarrazin (reserving, however, any criticism against Mr. D. M. Fontenot); Jas. M. Keith (reserving criticism against the sheriff).

THE PARISH TAX ASSESSMENT

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mills, 2; valuation, \$200, an average of \$100.

Agricultural tools—Harness and gear, valuation \$36,950; walking plows, cultivators, etc., valuation \$50,530.

Live stock—Horses ten years old and over, 10,000 head, valuation \$618,700, an average of \$61.87 each. Mules, ten years old and over, 4,957

head, valuation \$448,320, an average of \$90.44 each. Cattle, common cows, 15,641, valuation \$465,510, an average of \$29.76 each. Common bulls, 96 head, valuation, \$4,920, an average of \$51.25 each. Mixed young cattle \$23 head, valuation \$18,380, an average of \$19.91 each. Calves under 10 months, 4,146 head, valuation \$43,800, an average of \$10.56 each. Sheep, 1136, valuation, \$3,340, an average of \$2.94 each. Hogs, common, 3913 head, valuation \$22,290, an average of \$5.70 each. Goats, 763 head, valuation \$1,180; an average of \$1.55 each. Dogs, 15 head, valuation \$610, an average of \$40 each.

Vehicles—Four wheel wagons, 3301, valuation \$96,180, an average of \$29.14 each. Surreys, 191, valuation \$7,200, an average of \$37.67 each. Buggies, 3,058, valuation \$93,370, an average of \$30.66 each. Road carts, 62, valuation \$1,470, an average of \$23.71 each. Automobiles, 747, valuation \$82,190, an average of \$511.63 each.

Manufacturing plants, 151, valuation \$597,650, an average of \$3,957.94 each.

Household property, valuation \$2,890.

Watercraft, 8, valuation \$1,550, an average of \$193.75 each.

Lumber yards—Pine, 3,682,351 feet, valuation \$55,240; cypress, 37,000 feet, valuation \$7,400; oak, 726,000 feet, valuation \$14,520; gum \$1,360,000 feet, valuation \$11,680; hardwood, 1,966,297 feet, valuation \$37,980.

Banks, \$908,050.

Tram railroads, 8, valuation \$16,000, an average of \$2,000 each.

Total of all assessed values, \$21,047,360.

INDICATIONS OF HALL VICTORY

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from a Florida parish. This man is a farmer—a real farmer, and not an agriculturalist like Mr. Gay. He stated that while he lived near the Mississippi line he was a Louisianian and took some interest in politics and thought Governor Hall would not only carry his (the farmer's) parish but would be elected in the first primary. He said further that while the vote of his parish was not large yet everyone was intelligent and the supporters of Mr. Overton and Mr. Gay were few and far between—people did not know them but did know Governor Hall and believed that he was the best fitted man for senator.

Now, in New Orleans, the so-called "organization" is not going to have things its own way. In the campaign of 1912 they "endorsed" Sanders. We remember what happened and how Bob Broussard wiped up the earth with the former governor in the city. This time the "organization" is working a little quieter. It appears that there is some trouble beneath the surface and that the big fellows and the lieutenants are failing in the attempt to line-up the entire rank and file behind Candidate Gay for there is open talk for and support of Governor Hall among large elements heretofore loyal to the organization and any strong-arm attempt to make these men come across for Gay will result in an open revolt which might spell disaster in the next city election. The leaders are more interested in city affairs than in putting over their candidate for senator and if there is any signs of a disruption because of this support they will quietly let the "boys" knife Mr. Gay in September.

BELLARD-LEWIS MARRIAGE SURPRISES COUPLE'S FRIENDS

The news of the marriage of Miss Pearl Lewis, the charming daughter of Mr. J. H. Lewis, a prosperous farmer of Whiteville, to Stephen Bellard of Church Point, came as a surprise to the many friends of the bride.

The ceremony was performed at the Catholic presbytery at Opelousas on Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Only the nearest relatives of the contracting parties were present.

The bride was attired in a dress of brown Georgette crepe over soft satin. She was attended by her sister, Mrs. Lee Stokes, who was dressed in Georgette crepe and satin.

Miss Lewis is a graduate of the Lafayette College and has been an earnest worker in the educational field.

The groom is the son of Mr. P. A. Bellard, a well known citizen of Church Point. He is a very enterprising young man and shows the promise of a bright future.

Mr. and Mrs. Bellard left immediately after the ceremony for Galveston and other points where they will spend several days after which they will return to their home in Church Point.

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The complete Electric Light and Power Plant

Saves time and labor.—Increases farm efficiency.—Pays for itself

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Wilhelm Moss Gin Co., Port Barre.
L. Goudchaux, Big Cane.
C. W. Roy, near Opelousas.
Jos. Bordelon, near Opelousas.
City Drug Store, Washington.
Bank of Washington, Washington.
C. M. Kilpatrick, Washington.
Max Klaus, Washington.

ASK FOR DEMONSTRATION

S. MELTON,
Box 391, Alexandria, La.

mailed the following letter to his sister, Miss Marie Deville, the first of the week:

"Dear Sister—Only a few words while I am traveling in the state of Mississippi. I am a little tired but in the best of health. Marie, since we left Texas we have been traveling east but God knows where. There are five hundred soldiers on the same train. We made one stop since we left Texas and that was in Pine Bluff, Arkansas. We drilled two hours in that city. The next stop will be in St. Louis. We went through five states since we left Texas but didn't see one like old Louisiana yet.

"Well, sis, as I want to drop this at the next station, I will close. Tell mama not to worry about me because I feel just as happy as a soldier can feel. Love to all.

"Your brother,
"EMAR."

PROPOSALS

Sealed bids will be received at the Mayor's office until Tuesday, August 6, 1918, at 12 o'clock M. and will be opened at the regular meeting of the Board of Aldermen, to be held on that date, for the construction of sidewalks around the City Market, according to plans and specifications on file in the office of the City Engineer. A certificate of indebtedness, issued by the City, payable January 1st, 1920 and bearing five per cent interest from its date, is to be accepted in payment of the above work. All rights reserved to reject any and all bids.

July 13-4t M. HALPHEN, Mayor.

No Worms in a Healthy Child

All children troubled with worms have an unhealthy color, which indicates poor blood, and as a rule, there is more or less stomach disturbance. GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC given regularly for two or three weeks will enrich the blood, improve the digestion, and act as a General Strengthening Tonic to the whole system. Nature will then throw off or dispel the worms, and the child will be in perfect health. Pleasant to take. 60c per bottle.

WANTED—A young man either under or over the draft age. Must have experience in gent's furnishings, hats and shoe business. Good salary to the right man. Address Box 173, Opelousas, La., or Clarion office. aug3-tf

An Inspiration

A visit to the penmanship classes of Prof. F. J. Stanley at Baton Rouge Business College is an inspiration. Probably few are aware of the fact that between 130 and 140 pupils are here daily practicing under the direction of one of America's most successful teachers of penmanship. The rapid growth of the department during the few months of Mr. Stanley's engagement, is evidence, however, that many appreciate the advantages to be gained by attending the courses in our Baton Rouge Business College.

Many excellent specimens of rapid, legible business writing are exhibited,

but the following pupils merit especial mention for practically expert work.

Miss Hersilie Cire,
Miss I. Brown,
Miss Mamie Arbutnot,
Miss Elele Booth,
Miss Julia Bahl,
Miss Josephine Bahl,
Miss Lily Callaghan,
Mrs. C. Gesell,
Miss Beatrice Guillot,
Miss Myrtle Harrell,
Miss Grace Mears,
Miss Isnel Lavigne,
Miss Georgia Lynch,
Miss Minnie Parker,
Miss Sibyl Slocum,
Mr. Alva Werber,
Miss Eddie White,
Mr. Sylvan Meyers,
Miss Irene Dooley,
Miss Mayme Humphreys,
Miss Laura Latham,
Miss Lulu Allen, a Gregg shorthand teacher, from the Gregg school, has been added to the teaching force of the Baton Rouge Business College. Miss Allen is not only a graduate of the Gregg school, but was actively engaged as teacher there. She will be an appreciated addition to the educational advantages of the Business College.

Two other teachers are engaged in the teaching of Gregg shorthand at the Business College. Miss Dorothy Dyer, a graduate of the State Normal School and an experienced high school teacher, and Miss Irene Miller, an L. S. U. student and graduate of the Business College.

The Commercial Law Course is under the direction of Mr. D. W. Thomas, a graduate of L. S. U. Law Department.

The English Department is in charge of Miss Sadie Reeves, an experienced high school teacher and a former student of L. S. U. and the State Normal School.

For the time being the Type-writing Department is under the supervision of Mrs. Gesell, while the head of the department, Miss Lee, is taking a short vacation at her home in Morganfield, Ky.

In all seven expert teachers are employed the year round. 250 students are now enrolled in the Day and Night School and about 15 of these are prepared to take the Civil Service examination on July 30.

This school is open day and night during the summer.

The demand for competent men and women stenographers and bookkeepers seems unlimited.

Mr. S. A. Hicks, completed the Bookkeeping Course at the Business College in six weeks and is now holding a responsible position with the McNeel Stationery Company.

Miss Hersilie Cire is with the Louisiana National Bank.

Miss Annie Sternberger is the secretary to the Parish Superintendent of Schools, Amite City.

Miss Wanjita Nunery is secretary to Dr. Pierson at Jackson, La.

Miss Jeanne St. Paul, Miss Nannie Williams, Mrs. O. Edwards and Miss Julia Gourrier are at the Standard Oil.

Miss Iris Flenniken is with Dahlberg & Co.

Miss Ione Flenniken is with S. I. Raymond & Co.

Syl Meyers is with the Bank of Baton Rouge.

J. B. Heath is with Dahlberg & Co. O. Alexander is with the United States government extension work.

Miss Etta Jones is with the Exemption Board at Baton Rouge.

Miss Angie Smith is with the Exemption Board of DeSoto.

Baton Rouge Business College,

BATON ROUGE, LA. adv

SHERIFF'S SALE

HENRY D. LARCADE, JR.
Versus
J. ADAM BUDD.

No. 21072, Civil Docket, Sixteenth Judicial District Court, Parish of St. Landry, La.

By virtue of a writ of seizure and sale, issued out of the Honorable Sixteenth Judicial District Court, in and for the parish of St. Landry, Louisiana, in the above entitled and numbered suit, and to me directed, I have seized and will proceed to offer for sale, at public auction, to the last and highest bidder, at the front door of the Court House of St. Landry parish, at Opelousas, Louisiana, on

SATURDAY, AUGUST 24th, 1918,

at 11:00 o'clock a. m., the following described property, to-wit:

A certain lot of ground situated in the City of Opelousas, St. Landry Parish, La., having a front of eighty two feet and five inches by a depth of one hundred and twenty three feet and six inches and being bounded on the north by the property of George Callouet, on the south by Littell street,

GET INTEREST WITH SAFETY

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The Fashions

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There is really not much change. Husbands may be fat, skinny, bald, tall, short, lean, and even have whiskers, just as they are decorated with large bank accounts, deeds to lands, profitable businesses, and ability to hustle. These fashions in husbands haven't changed much since your grandmother was a girl. Show this fashion ad to your husband or your prospective husband and tell him to come to our bank where we will help him to meet the fashions the ladies desire.

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Women who suffer from any form of weakness, as indicated by displacements, inflammation, ulceration, irregularities, backache, headaches, nervousness, "the blues," should accept Mrs. R. B. Pinkham's suggestion and give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a thorough trial.

For over forty years it has been correcting such ailments. If you have mysterious complications write for advice to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass.

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