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STATE OF LOUISIANA.

15TH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT.

PARISH OF ASSUMPTION.

John Webre, Jr. vs. N. A. Pintado.

BY VIRTUE OF AND IN OBE-
dience to a writ of fieri facias
issued out of the Hon. 15th Judicial
District Court of the State of Loui-
siana, in and for the parish of As-
sumption, in the above entitled and
numbered suit, dated the 5th day
of April, 1876, directed to the
Sheriff of the parish of Assumption,
and a duly certified copy of said
writ made and certified to on the
20th day of May, 1876, by E. P.
Heliuin, then sheriff of said parish.
I will offer for sale at public auc-
tion to the last and highest bidder,
at the Court House in Napoleon-
ville, on

Saturday, July 7th, 1877,
between the hours of 11 o'clock A.
M. and 4 o'clock P. M., the follow-
ing described property seized in
the above numbered and entitled
suit, to-wit:

A certain frame building saw
mill, engine, boilers, fixtures, ap-
partenances and everything thereto
attached, appurtenant and belong-
ing; the same being situated upon
the following described property
belonging to N. A. Pintado, viz:

1st. The east half of the south
west quarter of section No. 10 in
township No. 13 south, of range No.
13 east, and

2nd. A portion of land lying in
the south, east quarter of section
No. 10, in township No. 13 south of
range No. 13 east.

Said above described saw-mill
building, saw mill, engine, boilers
and fixtures, &c., will be sold in
block, and the purchaser of the
same shall be entitled to a delay
of thirty days after the sale within
which to remove the same from the
above described landed property
of N. A. Pintado.

Terms and Conditions—CASH.
A. J. ECHEVERRIA, Sheriff,
Napoleonville, May 31st, 1877.

STATE OF LOUISIANA.

PARISH OF ASSUMPTION.

15TH DISTRICT COURT.

No. 2103.

Elvire Lasseigne, wife vs. Ern-
est Naquin, husband.

This case being at issue was
taken up and tried, and the law
and evidence being in favor of plain-
tiff and against defendant.

It is ordered, adjudged and de-
creed, that plaintiff, Elvire Las-
seigne, wife of Ernest Naquin, re-
cover judgment against her hus-
band, Ernest Naquin to the effect
that she is hereby declared sepa-
rated in property from her said hus-
band and resume henceforth sepa-
rately and independently of her said
husband the control and manage-
ment of her paraphernalia and have
full charge of her own affairs.

That the community of acquies-
ces and gains heretofore existing be-
tween them be and the same is
hereby dissolved. That further-
more she recover judgment against
her said husband for the sum of
three thousand seven hundred and
two dollars and two cents, with
five per cent. per annum interest
from this date with the recognition
of her legal general mortgage
against the immovables of her hus-
band to secure the same. That she
is hereby declared owner and pos-
sessor in her own right of the fur-
niture and stock mentioned in her
petition—defendant to be liable for
all cost herein.

Thus done, read and signed in
open court at Napoleonville, parish
of Assumption, this 7th day of May,
1877.

TAYLOR BEATHE,
Judge 15th Judicial District.
Filed May 7th, 1877.

THOMAS DIVINE,
Clerk.

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PARISH COURT.

PARISH OF ASSUMPTION.

Succession of Eudaldo G. Pin-
tado.

WHEREAS, Julia Eliza Malach-
ee, wife of P. E. Durand, has peti-
tioned the Court for Letters of ad-
ministratrix on the estate of the
late Eudaldo G. Pintado, deceased,
intestate: Notice is hereby given
to all whom it may concern, to
show cause, within ten days from
date of this notice, why the prayer
of the said petitioner should not be
granted.

By order of the Court,
THOMAS DIVINE, Clerk.
Assumption, La., May 19th, 1877.

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sumption Parish open on first Monday in
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LOCAL.

The Catholic fair held here on
the 2nd, 3rd and 4th of June,
realized \$1300 net. The com-
petition for an elegant gold
watch between Miss Mollie Folse
and Miss Eva Jones, resulted
favorably to Miss Folse. The
rivalry between these beautiful
young ladies (for none others but
the prettiest are ever selected in
such cases), was amiably spirit-
ed, and hence the sum of nearly
\$500 from the two boxes.

The Napoleonville Firemen
had their pump christened at the
St. Napoleon's Church, on Sun-
day, June 3rd, by the Rev. Fath-
er, Viollier. Mr. Charles Dupaty
acted as god father, and Mrs.
Charles Dupaty as god mother.
The day previous to the baptism
the boys shined "Lady Susan,"
(so called in compliment to the
god mother, whose christian
name is Susan) up until she fair-
ly glittered. After which the
god mother decorated her most
beautifully with green gauze,
and a profusion of flowers, both
artificial and natural. The gauze
was most skillfully entwined
around the breakers, and flowers
so arranged as to imitate a mini-
ature parterre on wheels. The ex-
quisite and resplendent dress of
"Lady Susan" reflected inexpress-
sible credit upon the correct judg-
ment and cultivated taste of La-
dy Susan's god mother. The
baptismal ceremonies at the
church were of the most inter-
esting character, and infused a
new enthusiasm in the hearts of
our gallant boys.

After the baptism, the mem-
bers of the fire company fell into
line and proceeded with their
pump to the catholic fair grounds,
where she was the cynosure of
all eyes. The firemen with their
handsome red shirts, black pants
and snow white panama hats
were the observed of all observers.
Of course, their health was guar-
anteed by innumerable bumpers,
and the congratulations of
friends, were hearty and cordial.

The president, August Bellow,
and foreman, V. L. Dauphin, and
other prominent officers of the
company, when the corks com-
menced to pop, were repeatedly
toasted, and numerous speeches
followed. May Lady Susan nev-

er be baptised like Emperor III,
Napoleon's son was "in fire," but
if any such calamity should
transpire in our little village,
trust in us.

Madame Gedeon Guedry, a
venerable and estimable lady,
died at her residence in this
parish, on the 9th of this month.
She leaves a large family to
mourn her loss. She was the
mother of Messrs. Joseph, Duffo-
sard and John Guedry, three
prominent citizens of this parish.
Also, another son whose name
we cannot recall, who is a talent-
ed Catholic priest, now stationed
in California.

Mr. B. Gardner, a colored
member of the Police Jury, was
declared ineligible by the com-
mittee on elections and privileges
and unseated. It appears that
Gardner, although an old resi-
dent of this parish, was in the
habit of oscillating between here
and New Orleans, and "gest"
happening to be in thattcity about
a year or so ago on election day,
claimed his residence there and
voted. Upon his own admission
he was clearly disqualified under
the law, and will not, probably
for mere convenience or party
sake, change his abiding place so
frequently.

Whitewash and lumber in-
dicate a certain degree of pros-
perity; and these signs are
abundant on both sides of the
Lafourche, and are clear intima-
tions that the planters are in an
improving condition and dispo-
sed to contribute something to
the general appearance of the
country. In this respect our sec-
tion has a decided advantage
over the Coast, as the front fields
are all in a high state of cultiva-
tion.

"Help cash us or we sink," says
our Tax Collector, who now
earnestly implores the patriotic
tax payers to come forward and
settle with lightning speed.

Our readers have doubtless
heard of Montenegro. He was in
town the other day, making a
display of his skill with three
papers, the ace of hearts, ace of
diamonds and ace of spades.
Several of the unsophisticated
plantation hands bit and got bit,
whereupon foul play was sus-
pected and the Sheriff was sent
for to take a hand; but Monte-
negro smelt a mice and lit out,
and is now in quest of more
Turks in some other parish.

It has been found necessary to
cover the chairs of Governors
Carver and Winslow, and the
cradle of Perigrine White, at Ply-
mouth, Mass., with glass cases
in order to save them from relic
whittlers. A descendant of Gov.
Carver, residing in this parish,
has an old chair that is appro-
tected and can be liberally whit-
tled on by the relic hunters. We
can not vouch for the evil conse-
quences that might result in first
class pocket knives from a con-
tact with concealed tacks and
single nails in the precious par-
tisanal old heirloom. This mode
of arresting vandalism was intro-
duced by Carver's eight year old
boy in order to stimulate his
chuckling proclivities. That boy
is a dead beat on relic whittlers.