

Advice to Consumptives  
There are three great remedies that every person with weak lungs, or with consumption itself, should understand. These remedies will cure about every case in its first stages; and many of those more advanced. It is only the most advanced that are hopeless. Even these are wonderfully relieved and life itself greatly prolonged. What are these remedies? Fresh air, proper food and Scott's Emulsion of Cod-Liver Oil with Hypophosphites. Be afraid of draughts but not of fresh air. Eat nutritious food and drink plenty of milk. Do not forget that Scott's Emulsion is the oldest, the most thoroughly tested and the highest endorsed of all remedies for weak throats, weak lungs and consumption in all its stages.

THE ENTERPRISE WEEKLY  
THURSDAY, MAY 5, 1898.  
OFFICIAL ORGAN.  
The Enterprise is the Official Organ of the City and Parish of Natchitoches.  
THE LODGES.  
P. E. A. M.  
Phoenix Lodge No. 33—Simeon Wainwright, W. M.; J. C. Tichel, Jr., Sec'y. Meets first and third Wednesdays at 7 p. m.  
O. D. FELLOWS.  
Stonewall Lodge No. 78. Dr. E. J. Harrison, N. G.; C. F. Powell, Sec'y. Meets every Tuesday at 7:30 p. m.  
KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS.  
Natchitoches Lodge No. 28. U. P. Brezale, C. C.; Adolph Liberson, K. of R. and S. Meets second and fourth Thursdays at 8 p. m.  
A. O. U. W.  
J. L. Weaver, M. W. D. L. Suddath, Recorder. Meets second and fourth Wednesdays at 7:30 p. m.

LOCAL CLEANINGS.  
Shoppers remember that the stores close at 7 o'clock now according to the agreement entered into by the merchants, a copy of which we publish elsewhere.  
On account of Monday being a dies non court did not convene until Wednesday morning.  
Lawn, Oranidies.  
See our line of Lawn and Oranidies and Oranidies, they cannot be excelled.  
WILLIAMS, WEAVER & O'QUIN.  
A special took out a large crowd of ladies and gentlemen Saturday night to meet the cannon ball on which our boys were going to New Orleans to mobilize.  
We regret to learn of the very serious illness of Mr. J. H. Volter, a valued citizen of ward 4, but that the danger has been overestimated.  
Opera Tickets.  
On sale of Williams, Weaver & O'Quin's Friday (to-morrow) for those on the guarantee list at 9 a. m. After Friday for general sale.  
U. P. BREZALE, Manager.  
It will be the great Columbia Opera Company in "Bohemian Girl" next Tuesday night at the opera house.  
Clothing! Clothing!  
War! War! on clothing prices. We've got the stock and they must move out. We are determined to do the cashing trade like Dewey did Manila, carry it by storm. Call and see for yourselves. WILLIAMS, WEAVER & O'QUIN.  
The dance that was to have been on Monday night by the young ladies complimentary to the visitors was postponed until to-morrow, Friday night.  
Complaint comes to The Enterprise from one of our obedient citizens that the school children of large and small growth, boys and girls, but principally girls, have been going into the American graveyard and pulling up the flowers. This is an outrage and if the teachers and parents do not put a stop to it, the children should be brought before court to answer for their misdeed and at once.  
Don't fail to secure seats for the Columbia Opera Company next Tuesday night.  
Laces! Laces!  
We run the scale of Laces from low C to high D. 20-22 of Venice, Chantilly, Gupure, Bourdon in ecru, black and white. Laces, 12 yards for 20c. J. A. Ducourneau & Son, may 5-3L.  
On Saturday night the 7th, the young lady teachers of the Grammar School, assisted by their pupils, will give a supper and lunch in the room adjoining Mrs. Alice Dehliens' store which she has kindly given the use of for this occasion, and an ice cream festival under the oaks in Mrs. C. L. Brezale's yard.  
The energetic and capable principal of the school, Miss Liza Payne, with her two able assistants, Misses Kate Lee Tichel and Mattie Hyams, are anxious to furnish the schoolrooms with desks as they are sadly needed, and the object of the supper Saturday night is to raise money to help purchase them, and as it is for a public benefit and a needy one, we hope that the entertainment will be well patronized.

PERSONAL.  
Dr. O. L. Triggs, of Chicago, who here was a guest at the hospitable home of Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Scarborough.  
Judge E. G. Hunter, of Alexandria, is a guest of the Adams house.  
The Hon. Don E. Sorelle, of Many, was a visitor to Natchitoches the beginning of the week.  
Mr. Ed. Ficiary, of Carence, spent Monday in town.  
Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Keyser, spent Sunday at Magnolia.  
Mr. C. Chaffe and Misses Joan Chaffe, Eliza Hardy and Charlie Elliot, of New Orleans, returned home during last week.  
Mrs. E. E. Sibley returned to her home in Virginia Thursday, after a visit of several weeks to her mother Mrs. C. L. Wainwright.  
Mrs. Emily Prudhomme, with her daughter, M. nette, spent a couple of days in New Orleans last week with her three sons.  
Mr. T. Prudhomme was called to Alpha on Monday by the serious illness of his brother-in-law, Mr. J. R. Volter.  
Pro. R. L. Hines is conducting an institute in Clinton this week.  
Prof. Clark and Mr. W. Hayden of Baton Rouge were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Hines while in Natchitoches.  
Misses Marie Cross and Drenker were entertained at the Normal.  
Mr. Rowan N. Marrs of Waco, Tex., was the guest of Mrs. J. M. B. Tucker for a few days the beginning of the week.  
Messrs. C. A. and E. Cloutier, Y. Laubere, W. H. Jinks and O. Prudhomme, of Bermuda, were visitors to town Tuesday.  
Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Henry of Campic with their interesting family of children were visitors to Natchitoches on Saturday.  
Mr. Ponder Carter of Robeline, was a visitor to Natchitoches Monday.  
The Enterprise acknowledges a very pleasant and appreciated visit from Mrs. H. Williams of Bayou St. John, on Thursday. Mrs. Williams was in town Tuesday.  
Mr. H. Manheim and daughter of Robeline, spent Tuesday in town the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Art. Kalle.  
Among the visitors from ward 4 on Tuesday were Messrs. J. C. Henry, A. Cloutier, B. Raphael, A. Hyde, and J. Deblieux.  
Mrs. H. Lichtenstein has returned from a visit to New Orleans accompanied by her daughter and grandson.  
Miss Louise Gallion, who is teaching at Tabernacle, paid a visit to her home Saturday and Sunday.  
Mr. J. V. Cox of Minola, Tex., who is visiting his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Smith, on Spanish Lake, was a visitor to our office on Monday.  
Miss Emma Johnson who is teaching the Levee school in Ward 4, spent Saturday and Sunday at home with her parents.  
Miss Edith Libby of New Orleans who has been the guest of Miss Cokerham for the past few weeks, returned to her home on Wednesday.  
Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Glover and son left Tuesday morning for Derry where they will spend the week-end, returning they will go to New Orleans and on Saturday will sail direct for Liverpool. They expect to spend the summer months in Europe.  
Mr. J. Lines of Provencal was a visitor to Natchitoches on Wednesday.  
Mr. James B. Tucker, who has been quite sick for some time, left last week for Hot Springs where he went to recuperate.  
Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Scarborough entertained at a handsome dining on Sunday in honor of Dr. Triggs.

PERSONAL (continued).  
A man may dress as well as his own good judgment and the assistance of an artistic tailor may elicit. He may take his "cube" but if his digestive organs are out of order, he will have an unwholesome appearance. His complexion and the white of his eyes will have a yellowish cast. His tongue will be coated, appetite poor, his teeth rusty, his breath abominable. He is one big, unmistakable sign of constipation. The quickest, surest, easiest way to cure this trouble is to take Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. They are made of refined, concentrated vegetable extracts. Nothing in the least harmful enters into their composition. They hunt down all impurities and "make them move on." They are the product of many years study and practice. Dr. Pierce cannot afford to put forth a worthless article. Address with 21 cents in one-cent stamps to cover cost of mailing only, World's Dispensary Medical Association, Buffalo, N. Y., and get a free copy of the "Medical Advertiser."  
Agreement.  
We the undersigned, Merchants and business men do hereby agree to close our places of business at 7 o'clock p. m. (excepting Saturdays) from May 1st to September 1st, 1898; and further agree to close our places of business on such holidays as Christmas, New Year, 4th of July, and Thanksgiving day, when occurring on days other than Saturdays, and at 12 o'clock when falling on Saturdays, during the year 1898. J. A. Ducourneau & Son, H. Kalle & Bro., Simon Bros., E. Liechtenstein & Son, Leopold Levy, S. Nelson, H. M. Levy, Charles Unter, Williams, Weaver & O'Quin.  
WHEN NATURE needs assistance it may be best to resist her promptings. The most perfect remedy ever used when needed. The best and most simple and gentle remedy is the Syrup of Figs manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. my 5  
Mr. J. G. Rester, the Cane River photographer, was in town Saturday and says it will be four or five weeks yet before he will reach Natchitoches. He reports a good time on the river. ad.  
Wonder I Wonder!  
The wonderful wonder is the WONDERFUL ICECREAM FREEZER. Will freeze in three minutes, thereby saving you ten enough in one season to pay for it. We've got them.  
WILLIAMS, WEAVER & O'QUIN.  
In Memory of Her Old Home.  
Mrs. W. H. Tunnard who is bed-ridden and whose eyesight is entirely gone, is despite all these sad afflictions in sympathy with others and yesterday sent Captain W. S. Tichel and the Natchitoches boys a very large and magnificent bouquet of flowers including the rarest blossoms of the season. Mrs. Tunnard is a former resident of Natchitoches, and her remembrance of the sons of her friends brought forth the most appreciative expression from the soldiers boys, who have none but pleasant thoughts of her.—Pansy's Column.

PERSONAL (continued).  
Ladies Please Read This.  
On last Monday night after the regular meeting of the Lesch Club, it was proposed by one of the members that the Club should try to get all the ladies in town interested in sanitation and for that purpose should hold a public meeting. After some little discussion of the matter in which all the members acted and promised to do all within their power, it was decided to have the meeting at the Comus Club on Friday afternoon, the 13th, at 6 o'clock prompt.  
ALL THE LADIES in town are asked, may urged to attend, no formal organization will be formed, but little talk will be made, and methods as to the best way to go about improving our city from a sanitary standpoint, making and keeping it clean, will be fully discussed. This is a matter in which everybody is or should be interested, and if anything is to be done, it should be done at once, and the object in putting off the meeting until then is that all may be sure of the date which is  
FRIDAY, May 13th, 6 p. m.  
The Benefit Concert.  
On last Friday night the auditorium of the Normal was well filled by a large and appreciative audience who assembled to enjoy the concert which was given by Prof. Clark, Miss Drenker and Mr. Willie Hayden for the benefit of Mr. Hayden. All three of the performers were totally blind and it was remarkable to notice with what ease all managed their different instruments and the rare skill with which they were played.  
The program was a high class one and the manner with which each and every number was executed could have led to shame many a professional musician.  
The neat sum of (\$7) seventy-nine dollars was realized for the Natchitoches people were glad to see the amount to the sum being collected so far, and Mr. Haden to continue his musical studies in a conservatory, as this young boy is decidedly talented and his ambition and pathetic desire to cultivate his talent to the utmost arouses the sympathy and should unite the purse-strings of everybody with whom he comes in contact.  
A Narrow Escape.  
Thankful words written by Mrs. Ada E. Hart, of Groton, S. D. "Was taken with a bad cold which settled on my lungs, cough set in and finally terminated in Consumption. Four Doctors gave me up, saying I could live but a short time. I gave myself up to my Savior, determined if I could not stay with my friends on earth, I would meet my absent ones in heaven. My husband was advised to get Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. I gave it a trial, took in all eight bottles. It has cured me, and thank God I am saved again. My husband was advised to get Trial bottles free at Natchitoches Drug Co. Regular size 50c and \$1. Guaranteed or money refunded."  
Miss Elise Cokerham entertained her guests from New Orleans with a fish fry at Chapin's Lake Saturday.  
The party included, Misses Caro Chaffe, Edith Buckner, Edith Libby, Elise Cokerham, Messrs. Simeon Wainwright, E. L. Stephens, with Mrs. I. O. Chaffe as chaperon.  
A Glorious Return of Opera.  
The Columbia Opera Company will on next Tuesday, May 10th, play a special return engagement of this popular company, presenting their most brilliant production, "Bohemian Girl," with the same cast and augmented chorus as appeared here several weeks ago. Thorough satisfaction was the verdict on everyone's lips at that time and this appearance will be no exception. Besides Miss Katherine McNeil, the peerless contralto, will appear Miss Ethel Balch, Miss Mona Thurston, Miss Leona Hamilton, Miss Griner, Messrs. John Henderson, Harry Davis, Chas. Huntington, Eugene Rogers, W. H. Northrop, and a magnificent chorus of 25 voices, making in all the most complete operatic organization in the South.  
A dainty and patriotic little remembrance came to the editor this week with a pretty note of presentation, which begins with the war cry "Remember the Maine." It is an engraved sovereign spoon on the golden bowl of which is an excellent picture of that ill-fated ship. For this timely little offering we are indebted to our friend Mrs. V. B. Jones of Shreveport, who is well known here as Miss Virginia Barlow, and who has our appreciative thanks.  
TO CURE CONSTIPATION FOREVER  
Take Casson's Candy Cathartic, 1c or 2c. If C. C. fail to cure, drug-gists refund money. 34-1

Doctors Say:  
Bilious and Intermittent Fevers which prevail in miasmatic districts are invariably accompanied by derangements of the Stomach Liver and Bowels.  
The liver is the great "driving wheel" in the mechanism of man, and when it is out of order, the whole system becomes deranged and disease is the result.  
Tutt's Liver Pills  
Cure all Liver Troubles.  
Dr. O. L. Triggs.  
The lecture given by Dr. O. L. Triggs under the auspices of the Lesch Club at the Comus last Thursday night was a brilliant success from every standpoint. The large audience assembled on time was unusually attentive and appreciative and the learned gentleman gave one of the most scholarly and intensely interesting addresses ever heard here. His subject was "Biliousness and Intermittent Fevers" and he would read selections from the poem and interpret them very pleasantly, he also discussed at length Browning's philosophy and made it very clear. The music hall at a high order and well rendered and at the end of the program dancing was indulged in by many while the more serious minded assembled in the reading room and enjoyed an informal literary talk with the guests of honor and thus ended a very delightful evening.  
A drive down Cane River Sunday afternoon was planned by Mr. Scarborough in honor of Dr. Triggs and formed a delightful and entertaining not only to the gentleman but the other guests who were invited to be of the party.  
About three the start was made from town and no stoppage was made until Mr. R. B. Williams' place was reached and as that gentleman was expecting the crowd a hearty welcome was given to them by him and his estimable wife. A walk was taken just before sundown over the prettiest part of the place and the historic spot where the noted duel between Gen. Bossler and Mr. V. Gaten was fought was pointed out and the history of it told to the unknown ones with varied embellishments and amendments.  
Refreshments were served the guests by the hospitable host and hostess, who had expected and prepared dinner for their guests but as the moon rose the fireworks and heavy drags were spoken of and a delightful drive in the moonlight was started, all teaching house about 2:30.  
Those who enjoyed the outing were Messrs. L. J. Lewis, J. M. Lewis, E. O. Walter, Mues, D. B. Scarborough, J. Williams, J. C. May and C. L. Brezale, and Messrs. J. E. Stephens, D. C. Scarborough and Dr. O. L. Triggs.  
Dr. Triggs kindly consented to give Walt Whitman reading on Saturday afternoon, and about five o'clock the same and commodious reception hall of the Lesch Club and some of their friends gathered to absorb a much needed rest. The Dr. entertained the crowd well, delightfully for a couple of hours and in a violin and piano and vocal solo were rendered by Misses Garner and Knott and Mrs. Brezale. Those who enjoyed the afternoon were Messrs. Morris Garner, L. Knott, L. Campbell, B. S. Russell, Johnson, M. Phillips, B. S. Russell, C. E. Cross, E. Oswalt, L. Ducourneau, C. T. Chaplin, L. McVoy, L. Ducourneau, E. Phillips, L. Scarborough, R. Williams, J. Johnson, E. F. Harrison, R. Honingworth, B. C. Caldwell, C. L. Brezale, and Messrs. D. C. Scarborough, T. P. Chaplin, E. L. Stephens, Dr. E. J. Harrison.

PERSONAL (continued).  
The Time of Renewal.  
All nature is renewed in the springtime. The fisher takes on the fisher color the trees don their Easter garments, everything seems glad and happy. It seems as if the sun should smile and the flowers and grass, the principal difficulty is a lack of the numerous spring troubles as depicted? Which will cure permanently and promptly permanently and remove every all the disagreeable symptoms? Read what Mrs. Adlin Adams, Orlans, Ky., says of Peppermint. "I was obliged to give up all hopes when I concluded to take Peppermint. I believe it is the best medicine in the world. I can't speak too highly of it."  
A book containing several hundred letters similar to the one from which this is an extract will be sent free to any address by the Peppermint Drug Manufacturing Company, Columbus, Ohio.  
Decidedly the finest letter that we have seen this season was the two leaves brought to us on Wednesday by Mr. J. E. Ser, either of which measured 12 inches in diameter and was tender and crisp. Mr. Ser is an expert and successful gardener, and while the garden that he has charge of for the editor may not be very advanced, it is certainly one of the cleanest and best kept in the town and claims admiration from everybody who sees it.  
U. S. flags fly from every school house in New Orleans and the children sing, "Lily Patriotic songs with a van."

PERSONAL (continued).  
MARRIED.  
McCombs-Cokerham.  
A very pretty church wedding was celebrated at Trinity Church on last Wednesday night at 7:30 when Miss Edna Cokerham was united in marriage to Mr. E. McCombs of Canada. To the strains of the bridal chorus from Lobengrin the party entered, first the bride and groom, then the bridesmaids and maid of honor in the same order, then the bride on the arm of her father, and they were met at the altar by the groom and his best man. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Carson and the nuptial blessing given by Bishop Seamus, at the close of which Mendelssohn's march, the bride and groom led the procession out followed by the maid of honor and best man and then the bridesmaids and groomsmen. The church had been transformed for the nonce into a perfect bower of roses, the altar rails loaded with them, the windows covered with them, and handsome stands, filled with pot plants in bloom, forming a beautiful and brilliant background.  
The bride, who is the eldest daughter of Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Cokerham, is an intelligent and attractive young lady, was beautifully groomed in an ivory white duchesse satin, the bodice was cut Juliette and was filled with puffled tulle which also formed the sleeves, a dainty tulle veil enveloped her and fell to the edge of the long and graceful train and was held in place by the traditional orange blossom. She carried a bouquet of bride's roses and white ferns. The bridesmaids and maid of honor wore tulle and silk. The brides were cut decollete and were trimmed in handsome lace and outlined in apple green gauze, and sashes of the same fell to the edge of the demi train, white slippers and gloves completed these handsome costumes, and each carried tastefully arranged bouquets of roses and white satin streamers. Miss Elise Cokerham, sister of the bride, was maid of honor, then came Misses Caro Chaffe, Charlie Elliot and Eliza Hardy of New Orleans, and last Misses Charlie Russell and Mal Pierson. The groom looked handsome in his full dress suit and was well attended by his best man and was attended by the groomsmen, Dr. Henry Cochrane, of New Orleans, Dr. Henry Cokerham of Ala., Messrs. Wilson & Smith of New Orleans, and J. Foster of Shreveport.  
A reception was given the bridal party at the conclusion of the church ceremony at the home of the parents, and a little later all accompanied the newly married pair on a special to Cypress where they took the Cannon Ball for New Orleans from where they left at once for their fat off home in Hamilton, Ontario.  
Mr. and Mrs. McCombs have the congratulation and best wishes of the Enterprise for a happy and prosperous future.  
EDUCATE YOUR BOWELS WITH CASSON'S CATHARTIC.  
Candy Cathartic, cure constipation forever. 10c, 25c. If C. C. fail to cure, drug-gists refund money. 16-17  
ALL THEIR OWN WAY.  
The Wrought Iron Range Company Capture Six World's Fair Prizes. [From the Republic Oct. 27, 1893.]  
Missouri is beyond question the banner State and St. Louis the laurel city in capturing World's Fair prizes. To secure an award from the Columbian Exposition, where competition is so

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sharp and comprehensive, and opposition so deep and vigorous must necessarily bespeak noble merit and excellence for the article exhibited.  
The most recent award was granted on Home Comfort goods manufactured exclusively by the Wrought Iron Range Company, whose factory and spacious salesrooms are located on Washington and Lucas Avenues from Nineteenth to Twentieth streets.  
The distinguished merits and superlative qualities of their cooking apparatus secured here as at all former places where placed on exhibition for test first award of merit.  
The commodious factory of this concern is bedecked in gay attire, proclaiming the victory so worthily won. Blue, the emblem of a victory, is liberally draped, and none look more beautiful or wear it with more grace than the Wrought Iron Range models—a fact clearly indicating that this beautiful work is plentiful in their wardrobe when contesting for prizes or commendations of the public.  
HOME COMFORT VICTORIES.  
Three Gold Medals and One Silver Medal—The World's Industrial Cotton Centennial Exposition, New Orleans, 1884 and 1885.  
Highest Awards—Nebraska State Board of Agriculture, 1887.  
Diploma—Alabama State Agricultural Society, Montgomery, 1888.  
Award—Chattahoochee Valley Exposition, Columbus, Ga., 1889.  
Highest Awards—Twenty-fifth Annual Fair, St. Louis Agricultural and Mechanical Association, 1889.  
Gold Medal and Six Diplomas Awarded—World's Columbian Exposition, Chicago, 1893.  
Highest Awards—Western Fair Association, London, Canada, 1895.  
Six Gold Medals and Diplomas—Columbia Millinery Exposition, San Francisco, 1897.  
Silver Medal—Industrial Exhibition, Toronto, Canada, 1897.  
Testimonials from the following well known people of this and adjoining parishes have been cheerfully given as recommendations to the gentlemen representing this company:  
Messrs. A. E. Donahue, A. J. Plante, Thos. J. Flanner, A. Carnahan, R. B. Hollingsworth, Natchitoches, A. F. Jackson, Mansfield, S. E. Russ, Allen, J. M. T. Elliot, Joe Bernstein, Fred Wilson, Keet Lockett, Coushatta.

PERSONAL (continued).  
Constable's Sale.  
State of Louisiana, Parish of Natchitoches.—First Justice's Court, No. 361.  
John T. Hartley's Sons & Co., v. J. S. Dixon.  
By virtue of a writ of Fi. Fa. issued by the Hon. C. H. Levy J. P. Ward 1, in the above entitled case and to me directed, I have seized and will offer for sale at the last and highest bidder at the principal front door of the courthouse in the City and Parish of Natchitoches on SATURDAY, 14TH DAY OF MAY, 1898, at 12 o'clock m., the following described property, to-wit:  
One 15-horse power Allis steam engine. Terms of Sale—Cash subject to appraisal.  
L. E. COLTON, Constable Ward 1.  
april 28  
Syndic Sale.  
Insolvency of J. T. Sompayrac.  
By virtue of an order of the Hon. the 10th District Court and for the parish of Natchitoches, to me addressed and in accordance with the decision of a majority in number and amount of the creditors of the insolvent J. T. Sompayrac as appears by the process verbal of their deliberations on file in the Clerk's office of said parish, I will sell to the last and highest bidder at public auction at the principal door of the Courthouse in the city of Natchitoches on  
MONDAY MAY 9th, 1898,  
the following described property, to-wit:  
The following described property, to-wit:  
The following described tract of land or plantation, viz: Lot 1 of section 24 and section 25 and 1-2 of section 26 of section 21, 2nd. Another tract adjoining above containing 15 acres, being the western portion of west 1-2 of section 26 of section 28, section of the 1st range of township 6 N., range 6 E., 18th Meridian, and the following immovables by destination, thereto attached viz: Six mules, 3 head of horses, 2 yoke of oxen, 2 wagons and one lot of farming implements, said land being situated on Bayou Bourgeois parish of Natchitoches in township 10, range 6.  
Also the crops remaining on the place and all the rights and credits uncollected as described on the schedule of said insolvent.  
Terms and conditions of sale to-wit: For the land and immovables by destination to be sold together, cash in an amount sufficient to meet the payment of the two mortgage notes now due, one for \$108 with 8 per cent interest from Dec. 1st, 1897, and one for \$312 with 8 per cent interest from Jan. 6th, 1898, and for the balance on a credit until Dec. 1st, 1898, to meet a mortgage note for \$99 with 8 per cent interest from said date and for balance on a credit for one year, to-wit: until Jan. 6th, 1899, and one third Jan. 6th, 1901, purchaser to give their promissory notes with mortgage and vendors privilege to meet said credit installments.  
For the movables, rights and credits cash and all to be sold subject to appraisal.  
J. T. CLARK, Syndic.  
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Sheriff's Sale.  
State of Louisiana vs. Delinquent Tax Payer Geo Scott.  
By virtue of authority vested in me by the laws of Louisiana, I will sell at public auction at Chopin La., on  
SATURDAY May 7th 1898,  
at 12 o'clock p. m. and will seized for non payment of delinquent taxes year 1897.  
Terms of Sale—Cash without appraisal.  
J. W. FREEMAN, Sheriff.  
and 11  
Constable's Sale.  
Med. Scarborough vs. H. D. Tarrar.  
Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a writ of fi. fa. issued by Jus. Keegan Justice of the Peace of Ward 6 of the parish of Natchitoches, in favor of Med. Scarborough and against H. D. Tarrar and to me directed I will at 12 o'clock m., on  
MAY the 21st 1898,  
at the office of the 7th Justice Court in the town of Provencal, offer for sale at public auction the following property to-wit:  
Northwest 1/4 of section 33, township 8, range 9, containing 130 acres thereon and all improvements, 2 bowlers and engine and running gear for the same, one gin stand and 3 bibles, seized as the property of H. D. Tarrar.  
Terms of Sale—Cash with benefit of appraisal.  
J. D. SALTER, Constable Ward 7.  
and 14  
FOR RENT.  
200 acres of best Cane River land, in quantities to suit tenant. Apply to  
5610  
THOS. F. PORTER.  
TO LOAN  
On good security \$2,500 in sums not less than \$500. Apply to C. V. Foster or L'hanor Brezale.  
For Rent.  
A large stable, carries horse and six. For particulars apply to me 456

Simon Bros. Simon Bros.  
Better Values Than Ever Before.  
Bargains in Every Line.  
We are selling nice fancy sheer laws at 4c. a yard; they are worth 6c.  
Good quality sea Island cotton only 4c. a yard.  
Heavy Brown Drill, our price 4c. a yard, others get 5c.  
Hamilton Brown Ladies Oxford Ties were \$1.35, now \$1.  
Buy the celebrated "Picnic" Oxford Ties, they are acknowledged to be the best.  
Have you seen our Oxford Ties and Strap Sandals in choice-late violet which we are selling at \$2.00, others call \$2.50, but, others get \$1.75.  
English long cloth, best quality, our special price \$1.25 a bolt, others get \$1.75.  
Children's Sailor Hat, the regular 25c. kind, our special price 15c.  
American Shirting and Slipsack half mourning prints 4c. a yard.  
New York's latest cravat in Men's Hats, they are light and dandy. Others call 75c, ours, our price only 50c.  
Rest quality oxford 15c. a yard.  
Satin stripe white lawn only 5c. a yard, would be cheap at 8c.  
6-hook Summer Corsets special at 50c.  
Heavy colored cottoned for men's pants 10c. a yard worth 20c.  
Have all the new shapes and styles in E. & W. Collars and Cuffs.  
Ladies Oxford Ties our price 45c. They are worth 7c.  
See our line of men's summer underwear at 25, 37 1/2 and 50 cents.  
Have a full line of Strap Sandals in black and chocolate, for children have them from 50c. to \$2.00.  
Men's colored Nezigee Struts with detachable collar, from 50c. to \$1.50.  
Men's cassimer pants worth \$2.50 special price \$1.50.  
One hundred pairs men's cassimer pants worth \$3.50 special price \$1.75.  
Our line of Blue Serge coats and vests excel anything in the town. See them.

Simon Brothers.  
MARRIED.  
McCombs-Cokerham.  
A very pretty church wedding was celebrated at Trinity Church on last Wednesday night at 7:30 when Miss Edna Cokerham was united in marriage to Mr. E. McCombs of Canada. To the strains of the bridal chorus from Lobengrin the party entered, first the bride and groom, then the bridesmaids and maid of honor in the same order, then the bride on the arm of her father, and they were met at the altar by the groom and his best man. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Carson and the nuptial blessing given by Bishop Seamus, at the close of which Mendelssohn's march, the bride and groom led the procession out followed by the maid of honor and best man and then the bridesmaids and groomsmen. The church had been transformed for the nonce into a perfect bower of roses, the altar rails loaded with them, the windows covered with them, and handsome stands, filled with pot plants in bloom, forming a beautiful and brilliant background.  
The bride, who is the eldest daughter of Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Cokerham, is an intelligent and attractive young lady, was beautifully groomed in an ivory white duchesse satin, the bodice was cut Juliette and was filled with puffled tulle which also formed the sleeves, a dainty tulle veil enveloped her and fell to the edge of the long and graceful train and was held in place by the traditional orange blossom. She carried a bouquet of bride's roses and white ferns. The bridesmaids and maid of honor wore tulle and silk. The brides were cut decollete and were trimmed in handsome lace and outlined in apple green gauze, and sashes of the same fell to the edge of the demi train, white slippers and gloves completed these handsome costumes, and each carried tastefully arranged bouquets of roses and white satin streamers. Miss Elise Cokerham, sister of the bride, was maid of honor, then came Misses Caro Chaffe, Charlie Elliot and Eliza Hardy of New Orleans, and last Misses Charlie Russell and Mal Pierson. The groom looked handsome in his full dress suit and was well attended by his best man and was attended by the groomsmen, Dr. Henry Cochrane, of New Orleans, Dr. Henry Cokerham of Ala., Messrs. Wilson & Smith of New Orleans, and J. Foster of Shreveport.  
A reception was given the bridal party at the conclusion of the church ceremony at the home of the parents, and a little later all accompanied the newly married pair on a special to Cypress where they took the Cannon Ball for New Orleans from where they left at once for their fat off home in Hamilton, Ontario.  
Mr. and Mrs. McCombs have the congratulation and best wishes of the Enterprise for a happy and prosperous future.  
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