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DeVoe's Forecast. March 4th to 5th rain or snow. 6th to 7th cold and squally. 8th moderating. 9th to 10th pleasant.

Mr. I. Lucas of Provencal spent Tuesday in town.

Eat ice cream frozen in Iceland.

Mr. Edwin McClung had a very interesting visit to Alexandria Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. Elwin Mobley of Alexandria was the week end guest of Mr. Will Phillips.

\$3.50 September Morn Pumps \$2.95 at Semmelman's.

Mr. F. P. Raggio came up from DeRidder to join his wife for a few days at home.

Miss Ethel Desmukes of Biloxi, Miss. was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Desmukes last week.

Mr. Charles Green was a business visitor to Shreveport and Mooringsport last week.

Try red hot tamales from Mexico.

Col. Markham of Cattlesburg, Kentucky has been the prominent guest of Mr. and Mrs. O. Hicks for the past week.

Crepe de Chine corset covers at Semmelman's.

Let the little folks appear in fancy costumes mask and on the streets Tuesday and make it a typical Mardi-Gras celebration.

Mrs. Bryan and daughter of Birmingham, Ala., were the guests of Mr. J. L. Bryan and Mrs. Chaffe for a few days last week.

Mr. V. L. Roy returned from Detroit on Monday where he went with other State educators to a meeting of the National Educational Association.

Get a taste of real Hamburgers and Wieners.

Mrs. Sam Caspari and daughter Miss Nita went to Dallas Monday night to enjoy the Grand Opera Co. and Russian dancers who performed in that city, Tuesday.

Girls silk stockings, sizes 8 to 9 at Semmelman's

Mr. and Mrs. Adolphe Kaffie and daughter Miss May reached home Saturday night after an absence of several weeks that was spent in Baltimore and New Orleans.

The graduating exercises of the midwinter class will take place in Auditorium at the Normal tonight for which an interesting program has been arranged.

Sample the sandwiches of all nations.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Tobin of East Natchitoches had the sad misfortune of losing their little five months old daughter on last Friday after a short illness.

Mmes. D. Breazeale and F. Hyams went on Tuesday to Bermuda to attend a party given by Mrs. Lawton.

Genuine dustless dusters from Holland.

Mrs. Loutie Chaplin and daughter Inez and Miss Lucille Landry spent Sunday at Bermuda.

Beautiful new line of Spring skirts, dresses and muslin underwear at Semmelman's.

Miss Coralie Henry came down from Shreveport where she is teaching to attend the masquerade ball Friday night and remained over with her sister Mrs. Himel until Sunday.

Mrs. V. L. Roy went to Marksville with the Normal basket ball team on Friday, returning on Saturday to Alexandria where the two games were won, the Marksville carried off the honors the day before.

Pearl Gray hats for men, \$1.95 and \$2.50 at Semmelman's.

Cinderella, Faith, Hope, Charity, the Angels, and Justice will be abroad on Carnival day.

After several days of genuine Spring weather, a change occurred Monday evening when after a light shower accompanied by heavy thunder, the wind veered to the north-west and blew the mercury down into the thirties.

Mrs. Leopold Levy left on Wednesday morning for New Orleans where she will be met by her son Dr. Moise Levy who is now located in Galveston, and will spend a few days with him in the Crescent City.

Rev. Mother Florance of San Antonio who is at the head of the order of the Divine Providence in the South, spent the week end at St. Mary's Academy when she was cordially greeted by old pupils and friends.

Watch for the descent of the flying machine during the Carnival parade—it will be near the Court House.

Mr. Howard Winberg and Miss Seese came up from Alexandria and Mr. Marion Hargrove and Miss Huey from Boyce to attend the masquerade ball on Friday night.

Messrs. R. J. Phillips and Sam Levy spent the week end in New Orleans where they had the opportunity of enjoying the Grand Opera and wonderful Russian dancers, after attending to business.

Mr. Charles DeBlieux came down from Shreveport on Friday night after Mrs. Momp reached there on the noon train with Master William W. DeBlieux, to attend to business at home and expects to return to that city to day or tomorrow to bring his wife back, who has convalesced wonderfully after her serious operation.

Mrs. W. S. Trichel who has been in attendance upon her mother Mrs. Chaplin and grandmother Mrs. Lafitte, when they were first stricken with their illness, and Mrs. A. Johnson who was with them both when they died, have returned to their respective homes at Coushatta and Tree City.

Mr. Arnold Brown of Shreveport, Will Hollingsworth of Gahagan, Albert Stephens, Leon O'Quin and Dr. Terry of Coushatta, Dr. and Mrs. Breazeale, Miss Kate Keator of Campiti, Misses Julia and Noelle Prudhomme, Rose and Meta Keator, Cecile Prudhomme, Dr. Cockfield of Bermuda were among the visitors who came in to attend the Masquerade ball on Friday night

Owing to the burning of one of the films, the much heralded feature play of Carmen with Geraldine Farrar in the stellar role, will not be given next Monday night as advertised, but the patrons of the Amuzu will have the opportunity of seeing it some time in April. A splendid picture will be the feature (tomorrow) Friday night when John Barrymore will appear in "An American Citizen."

"Take me Back to Baby land There let me live"

While the refrain ends—"and die", the Book Club members and guests who enjoyed Mrs. Cunningham's delightful party Saturday evening, sang in unison, "Live and live and live", which they did in that delightful period, babyland through the entertainment.

Pink magnolias were used in one room, daffodils in another and the walls of the pretty home were hung with smilax and daguerrotypes, tin types and old fashioned pictures of every style of the guests present taken in their baby or early childhood and after a certain length of time it was found that Mrs. Phillips had recognized the greatest number, so she was awarded the pretty first prize while Mrs. Watson won the guest's.

Then earliest childhood reminiscences, were given that brought forth peals of laughter and when a vote was taken as to the best, Mrs. Julius Aaron carried off the honors and was presented with a pretty prize. A delicious two course luncheon was served by the charming hostess assisted by Misses Sadie Cunningham, Suzette Unter and Mmes. Wallace and Hyams.

The 184th anniversary of Washington's birthday will long be remembered by social circles in Natchitoches as Mrs. Henry Hughes took occasion of the event to entertain in a most unique manner.

When twelve ladies received invitations in clever rhyme, to be on hand at a quarter of one, they anticipated an enjoyable luncheon which it developed was but the prelude for a whole day of happy surprises.

The guests were received at the door by Misses Clothilde Prudhomme and Ada Carver who made charming Lady Washingtons with powdered hair, garbed in the dress of that period and then George himself appeared, splendidly impersonated by Mrs. Himel and in clever verse led the guests to the dining room, where the national colors and flags were in evidence every where. A sword that had gone thru the Revolutionary war was hung from the chandeliers by red, white and blue ribbons; the same colors formed the tablecloth while a great cherry tree held the place of honor and center piece under which a perfect George Washington was hanging at a branch in the proverbial manner, and fac-similes of his implement were used for place cards for delicious course luncheon in which the national colors were carried out, that included every delicacy and substantial of the season daintily served by George and the Lady Washingtons and after sipping the last of the cafe noir, Commander-in-Chief announced as he presented corsage bouquets of violets.

"As every guest has had her fill. We will march on to Bunker Hill" and the parlor had been transformed into a veritable Bunker hill, where under a mantle of snowy white, a mound of kitchen utensils had been piled, that had to be guessed in order and Mmes. McClung, Watson, Carr, Keyser, Bath and C. L. Breazeale having done so were awarded prizes, then the General incanted;

"We'll now go on to Lexington Where several "Red coats" must be hung" and marched the troop to the end of the hall, where to a hugh cherry tree, British soldiers had to be pinned, blindfolded, at the exact spot made traditional and Mrs. Phanor Breazeale carried off honors and was presented with a pretty prize and to Mrs. J. C. DeBlieux fell the booby.

The General still on the alert for the pleasure of the company called out "We'll await the summons of Paul Revere, And play bridge for a while in here" and as the rank and file approached, ball bearing rifles were presented for score cards, the popping of the rubber balls furnishing much merriment during the two hours devoted to progressive bridge when cut glass bowls of delicious home made confections were constantly replenished at each table and when time was called, it was found that Mrs. Millspaugh had made the highest score, and was awarded a beautiful prize, while Mrs. J. C. DeBlieux was equally fortunate as booby.

Then Gen. Washington sounded the charge "Only the Boston tea-party more, It awaits you at the front door" and when the company was comfortably seated on the gallery, a tea wagon was rolled out and they were refreshed with this delicious Boston nectar over which they lingered long, discussing the many delightful events of the day.

During the progress of the bridge game, a number of other guests arrived who were taken into the dining room where on the red, white and blue table was arranged a number of articles that were the answers to the perplexing questions on the type written cards, for which Mrs. Ewing won the prize and Mrs. Sheppard the booby, after which these ladies were regaled with delicious refreshment.

The all-day party included Mmes. Watson, Hill, McClung, J. C. DeBlieux, Raggio, Carr, Bath, Keyser, Porter, Millspaugh, Phanor and C. L. Breazeale while the evening guests were Mmes. Scarborough, Carver, Reed, Sheppard, Ewing, Payne, Busca, Meyer, Miss Carr.

Found.

At Campiti, a Masonic pin that owner can have by identifying and paying for this advertisement.

Carnival of Nations.

Mardi Gras next Tuesday March is to be made a gala day celebrated in Natchitoches this year with a grand parade that will be of unusual interest not only to the town, but to all the surrounding country.

The idea of the local celebration originated among the teachers of the Training School who have interested nearly all of the clubs in town so that they have entered floats to add to the number from Normal hill that will form the principal part of the parade.

The wonderful pageant of childhood will be the theme of the day, and the bit of friendly rivalry engendered, but adds to the interest of the motive that prompts it.

ROUTE OF PARADE.

Leave T. & P. railroad square at 3 o'clock, pass up Front street to Pavie, out Pavie to Third, down Third to Post Office, up St. Denis to Second and assemble in Court House square. Leaving the Court House, the parade will pass up Church street to Front and assemble in the neighborhood of the Rena Phillips Fountain. Reassembling it will encircle the Church square and pass down Front street to Amulet, thence out Normal avenue, through the Normal grounds and then to place of starting.

Wild peach and delicate peach blossoms furnished the pink and white color scheme in the Desmukes' pretty home in East Natchitoches, when its chateleine gave a reception and tea in honor of her guest Miss Ethel Desmukes of Biloxi, on Saturday evening from 4 until 8 p. m.

The reception hall and parlor were artistically decorated in white and green, wild peach being hung from the mantel and banked in the corners, while the dining room, where a dainty buffet luncheon was served by Miss Amelie Cloutier and Mrs. Emile Cloutier, was unusually beautiful with peach blossoms on table, buffet and china closet, the crystal bowls with pink and white mints, the centerpiece of the exquisite flowers in a great bowl, dainty lace and silver made a picture that was most artistic and beautiful.

Mrs. Desmukes received with the honoree who wore a handsome Parisian gown, and a number of ladies enjoyed Mrs. Desmukes' charming hospitality throughout the evening.

Succession of John Gant

John Gant having this day filed his provisional account in the above succession, notice is hereby given to all persons interested to show cause within ten days why same should not be homologated.

Done and signed this March 1st 1915. D. J. HYAMS, Clerk 11th. D. C.

Mrs. C. C. Chaplin.

It has been the sad duty of the Enterprise to record a number of deaths, but one of the saddest that has ever come within its province is that of Mrs. Chaplin's which followed close upon that of her distinguished husband scare ten days before closing the sad tragedy of the household.

Mrs. Chaplin never knew that her husband preceded her into the unknown land, having been battling with death even before that of her mother's, having been stricken shortly after the demise of her sister-in-law Miss Eliza Chaplin who was the first of the four that followed in such quick succession.

The deceased was born and reared in New Orleans and was a lady of unusual intelligence and accomplishments was twice married and leaves one daughter by her first husband, Mrs. W. S. Trichel of Coushatta, two grandchildren, one sister, three brothers, two step-sons and other relatives.

It has been many a year since such an immense crowd assembled at a ball as participants and lookers on, as was the case Friday night when The Comus entertained at a masquerade. The walls were lined with interested spectators who enjoyed watching the graceful dancing of the maskers to the music of a splendid 8-piece band and who were interested in identifying the Madame de Pompadour, Night, Folly, Butterfly, Old Fashioned Girls, Daily States, Dutch Girls, Cow Boy Girls, Grecian, Spring, Flower, Queen of Hearts, Balloon, Sailor, Clowns, Courtiers, George Washington, Aviator, Scotchman, Chinamen, etc. Delicious punch and cakes were served throughout the evening and it was very late before the guests departed after one of the most delightful balls in the history of the Comus, which was due principally to the clever management of the young peoples' friend, Mr. I. Marcus, chairman of the Governing Committee.

While Baby or Child's Welfare week is to be celebrated all over Louisiana next week as in other States, Natchitoches is very proud of the fact that she had a celebration along this line, the last week in December, when under the personal supervision of Dr. Cooley, a splendid week's program was given that attracted much interest and will doubtless result in much good.

Good for the old town whose soubriquet of Sleep Hollow may be applied alright to it traditionally, but when it comes to any progressive movement, Natchitoches will be found wide awake enough to always be in the lead.

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