

PERSONAL AND OTHERWISE

DeVoe's Forecast - January 5th a storm will advance from the Pacific Coast...

Mr Charles Greene was a Yuletide visitor in Colfax.

Mr. B. C. Caldwell spent a couple of days in town this week.

New neckwear at SEMMELMAN'S.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Cloutier and family of Bermuda motored to town on Tuesday.

The Jefferson Highway Realty Co., has choice building lots from \$50.00 up.

Mr. W. P. Wemp was a business visitor to New Orleans during the week.

Crepes de chine in white, black and colors at SEMMELMAN'S.

Mr. N. T. Smith and son Preston spent a couple of days in New Orleans during the week.

Mr. A. A. Fredericks spent a part of the holidays in Winnfield.

Miss Joyce Weaver spent a couple of days at Boyce during the week.

Living or dead, you must have a lot. If alive, see Hedges. Buy a lot now while they are cheap.

Mr. Earl Freeman paid an important visit to Monroe on New Year's Day.

Miss Jeanette Wemp left Sunday night for Abbeville where she will teach the rest of the year.

Tailor made suits, bargain prices at SEMMELMAN'S.

Mrs. James Cumming and little son of Gadsden Alabama, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Williamson.

Fortune Chedokeyack has re-George F. A. Johnson after enjoying Horace Wadsworth.

Mr. Wm. French and son Edwin of Alexandria visited Mr. and Mrs. P. S. Prudhomme during the week.

Boy Scout shirts at SEMMELMAN'S.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Poleman entertained at a dance on Wednesday of last week in honor of Miss Emily Poleman of Shreveport.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. McNeely and sons of Colfax spent the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Williams in East Natchitoches.

25c bow ties at SEMMELMAN'S.

All the great fortunes in the country were made by buying real estate when it was cheap. Why don't you start yours today? See Hedges.

Messrs. T. Gallaspy, T. Sompayrac, J. Prudhomme, Dr. Breazeale, Misses Keator and Cloutier, were among the Campiti visitors Tuesday.

Novelty rugs \$1.95 at SEMMELMAN'S.

Misses Grace and Kathryn Haynes of Boyce were the holiday guests of Miss Helen and Dorothy Freeman.

Advance Spring Models in dresses, \$13.50 at SEMMELMAN'S.

Mr. Gerald Porter of Lake Charles returned to his home on Saturday after spending the holidays at home.

Mrs. Kate Trichel and daughter Miss Kate Lea enjoyed the Christmas holidays in Shreveport with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Trichel and family.

Long crepe Kimonas 98c at SEMMELMAN'S.

Messrs. Kyle Dunbar of Baton Rouge and King Irion of New Orleans were guests of Miss Marjory Henry at her home in East Natchitoches during the holidays.

The basis of wealth is land. It is the final security on every loan. Why not establish your credit by buying a lot? See Hedges.

Dr. T. W. Prudhomme of Shreveport and Mr. P. V. Prudhomme spent the Yuletide at home with their parents Mr. and Mrs. P. S. Prudhomme.

Miss Levinia Furnish of Wakefield returned from St. Francisville Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Lay, with whom she will make her home in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Himel and Messrs. Carl and Earl Henry motored to Alexandria to enjoy a family reunion at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Baynard, where Miss Coralie Henry joined them.

Special values in boys blue serge suits at SEMMELMAN'S.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles DeBlieux Mr. and Mrs. S. Hart, and Miss Jeanette Wemp motored over to Winnfield for a dance Friday, returning Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Porter Jr. of Baton Rouge and Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Harmanson and son of Bunkie were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Phillips during the week.

White toboggans, 65c at SEMMELMAN'S.

Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Peters of Anacoco, Misses O. and I. Peters and Mr. M. L. Peters came home to enjoy a family reunion with their mother and sister Mrs. Maud Crossett.

Mrs. Helen Walmsley returned from Shreveport Friday night with her daughter Miss Louise who has been in that city under treatment for several weeks, very much benefited thereby.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Durand of Lake Charles reached home on Saturday night and left the morning after Christmas for St. Martinsville to attend the marriage of their sister:

Mr. and Mrs. John Tucker of Shreveport spent the holidays at the old homestead with their sisters and brothers, Misses Callie and Lily and Messrs. B. and J. B. Tucker.

Miss May Kaffie went to Alexandria during the week to serve as one of the attendants at the marriage of her cousin Miss Selma Jackson to Mr. Mayer Weiss.

Mr. and Mrs. Kranson, Mr. and Mrs. S. Friedman, Mr. and Mrs. A. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. I. Rachal, Misses H. Friedman, Miller, Rachal and Goldman of Bayou Natchez were among the Bayou Natchez visitors to town.

Miss Fannie Nelken of New Orleans and Mr. and Mrs. Pressburg and daughter of Alexandria were welcome guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Nelken during the holidays.

Messrs. George Janvier and B. Denerge of New Orleans came up Tuesday morning to join a party that enjoys an annual hunt with Messrs. D. W. Breazeale, F. A. Cloutier, Tom Prudhomme as hosts.

Miss Emily Poleman who came from Baltimore where she is attending school to spend the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Soady of Shreveport spent a couple of days in Natchitoches with Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Poleman.

Capt. and Mrs. C. C. Nash entertained Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Stuart and son of Winnfield, Misses Elvie Nash of New Orleans, Annette Nash of Houston and Ida Nash of Alexandria during the holidays.

FOR RENT-Ten room residence 104 Trudeau St., with modern conveniences Apply to Dr. Z. T. Gallion or Phone 30.

Mrs. Emily Prudhomme, Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Seay, Mr. and Mrs. Stafford of Shreveport, Mr. Jim Hyams of Alexandria came to be present at the 102nd anniversary of Mrs. Emily Hyams, on the 27th inst.

A surprise that made Mr. Henry Cook, Manager of the Crystal Ice Co., a very proud and happy man on Christmas day, was the presentation of a handsome gold watch, a Waltham 17 jewel, by the employees of the company who hold their manager in high esteem by reason of his thoughtful consideration and courteous treatment of them.

Mrs. Don Caffery of Lake Charles, Mrs. L. Couvillion, Misses Stella and May Roy of Marksville, Mr. James Parkerson and Mrs. Berwick of Lafayette, Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Sanford of New Orleans, Miss R. E. Williams of Shreveport, Messrs. Bunyon Nash of Cheneyville were among the out of town guests who were here for the Caffery-Roy wedding.

Misses May and Hilda Breazeale, Elma and Erline Johnson, Bettie and Barbara Porter, Lucy Gallion, Elvina Suddath, Dora Dey Ivy Tauzin, Clara and Fannie Tarver Mrs. Denson, Retta Kaffie, Regina Ewing, Fay and Lizzie Duncleman, Myrtle Sompayrac, Magzie and Emma Voiers, Lillian Nelken, Sadie Barlow, Edith Porter, Lelia Ducourneau, Margaret L'herisson, Crockette Jones, Nita Guardia, Elvina Bloodworth, Elizabeth and Hattie Dezenendorf, Sarah and Alice Williamson, Messrs. R. E. Chaplin, Roe and Albert Brown, Earl DeBlieux, Cecil McClung, Marion Hargrove, Irion and Bernard Nelken, Edwin Enloe, A. Ducourneau and Willie Lucas were among the teachers who were at home for the holidays.

The holiday spirit prevailed to the utmost, thruout the old town, the past week.

The New Year has much in store for Natchitoches: plans are many and great with their fulfillment practically assured.

A "Get-together" meeting of the members will be held at the Baptist Church this evening (Thursday) at 7:30 p. m., to meet the Pastor and every one is cordially invited to be in attendance.

The Normal students returned Tuesday night, all ready to resume work, Wednesday morning after a most enjoyable holiday of twelve days. St. Mary's Academy beginning its regular routine, one day earlier.

Attractive calendars have been received by the editor from Sam Dipola, The Standard Bakery, Levy Drug Co., Exchange Bank, Peoples Bank, E. C. Palmer & Co., Chatanocga Medicine Co., etc.

Family reunions were en regle during the holidays, absent members coming from every section of this and many from far away States to be together during the Yuletide and a number of happy dinner and supper parties were enjoyed.

The Christmas dance given Tuesday night at Williams hall by the young men was enjoyed by a large number of couples and spectators who danced till the wee sma' hours to the music of the Mansfield band.

Preparadness-Get a Semmelman overcoat to meet the bitter cold days of January and February.

The Emerson Comedians who have been holding the boards at the Amuz Theatre since last Friday night, have been entertaining large audiences, on many nights without not even standing room and present a good clean, change of program every night. They will continue throughout the rest of the week.

As usual the old year was ushered out and the new one in to the accompaniment of bells, anvils, whistles, fireworks and pandemonium reigned thruout the night. But everybody was in the jolly good humor that goes with the season and as there were no accidents or harmful practical jokes played, all went merry as a marriage bell.

Lecture of Dr. O'Shea. Dr. M. V. O'Shea of the Department of Education of the University of Wisconsin will lecture at the Normal, Tuesday evening, January 30th.

Dr. O'Shea is a speaker of National reputation on educational subjects. He is recognized as the greatest authority in this country on child study and kindred themes. The subject of his lecture will be announced later.

Holly, simlax and other winter greens were used for decoration when Mrs. A. E. Bath entertained The Round Table Club most delightfully on Tuesday afternoon. The score cards of Christmas bells and candles carrying out the spirit of the season, most charmingly. Mrs. Charles DeBlieux was the lucky winner of the first prize and Mrs. Poleman the second. Misses Ada Carver and Lucia Smith assisted the hostess in serving a delicious turkey course with all the accompaniments, at the conclusion of the game to the members and Mmes. Himel, Keyser, Sam Aaron, Greneaux Pressburg and Miss DeBlieux.

Bride's roses and carnations in the reception hall and Russel roses were used in the parlor and dining room on Friday afternoon when Miss Gussie Nelken entertained The Book Club and a number of other guests. The first contest was-needle threading in couples, when all the ladies proved equally expert in handling this instrument most affected by their

sex, but in cutting for the prizes Mrs. Roy and Miss Edith Porter were the lucky ones. The coining of adjectives to describe "My grandmother's Cat" after all those given by Webster, Worcester, Century and Standard were exhausted, drew forth gales of laughter and proved Mrs. Phillips the most original club member in the end and Mrs. Harmanson of Bunkie, her equal as a guest, so they were awarded the pretty prizes. A delicious course luncheon of Jap crab meat in ramkins, stuffed eggs, tomato aspic and sautines was followed by a delicious sweet course, and some time was spent in social intercourse before this delighted party ended.

Henry-Barlow. The marriage of Mr. Carl Henry and Miss Mabel Barlow was very quietly solemnized by Father Picayou on Thursday night in the presence of only the witnesses to the great surprise of the family and friends who did not dream that these young people were even contemplating matrimony.

The happy groom who is just at the end of his teens, is the eldest son of the late J. C. Henry and Emilie Ganie while the fair bride, who is young in her teens is the third daughter of Mrs. Lily and the late John Barlow.

Best wishes for a successful future is extended the young couple.

CARD OF THANKS. In giving the report of contributions from the generous people of Natchitoches for the Christmas offerings to those whom we always remember on this occasion, The Mutual Aid omitted mention of several of our contributors, the Editor of the Enterprise whose columns are ever open for any appeal for help, thru the Mutual Aid, so the organization take this opportunity of expressing appreciation and thanks with good wishes for the New year.

MRS. A. E. EWING, Sec'y.

First Baptist Church Notes. The New Year has come and with all of the resolutions that have been made, regular church attendance should have been a conspicuous place. It is earnestly hoped that all of the membership of this church will make a special effort to attend the Sunday services. Sunday school begins promptly at 9:45. At this service the school will be re-organized and a complete system of grading will be put into operation. Adult classes for men and women will also be organized. At the close of the morning sermon, the Lord's supper will be celebrated. The sermon subjects for the day will be "Qualities that Guarantee Success" and "The Right Kind of Fear." The public is cordially invited to all of these services.

DANA TERRY, Pastor

Report for Year 1916 Catholic Cemetery Association. Money paid as follows: By Members, Section I

Aaron, Mrs. Sam 3.00 Cunningham, Mrs. C. M. 3.00 DeVargas, Mrs. Richard 1.00 Fontenot, Mrs. Fannie 3.00 Guillot, Mrs. Fannie 3.00 Garcia, Frank 3.00 Garcia, Alex 3.00 Gallion, Mrs. Z. T. 3.00 Hughes, Mrs. Henry 3.00 Jones, Mrs. S. K. 3.00 Keyser, Mrs. J. C. 3.00 Larfance, Bob 1.00 Morrow, Mrs. Jennie 1.50 Miller, Ado 3.00 Prudhomme, Tom 3.00 Prudhomme, Henry 3.50 Payne, William 3.00 Rachal, Aristide 3.00 Schuman, Roy 3.00 Stephens, Dr. Joe 3.25 Watson, Mrs. Emily 5.00 Williams, Mrs. J. H. 1.50 Watson, Mrs. Arthur 1.50 Colored Helpers .75

Total amount, 1st Section..... \$63.15

By Members, Section II

Arron, Mrs. Jeff 2.50 Breazeale, Upshur 3.00 Breazeale, D. W. 10.00 Breazeale, Mrs. D. W. 3.00 Breazeale, Phanor 3.00 Breazeale, Mrs. C. L. 1.25 Breazeale, Mrs. Phanor 3.00 Cloutier, Edgar 3.00 Cloutier, Emie (Heirs) 3.00 Cloutier, Alex (Heirs) 3.00 DeMonaster, Mrs. Clara 1.00 Dujardin, Leston .50 Johnson, Mrs. Joe 3.00 Hertzog, A. J. 3.00 Kie, Miss Daisy 3.00 Kie, George 5.00 Lambre, U. and V. 3.00 Lambre, Mrs. Coralie 4.00 LeBlanc, Mrs. L. 3.00 Prudhomme, Mrs. Victorin 1.25 Prudhomme, Mrs. St. Anne 3.00 Prudhomme, Mrs. Emanuel 2.50 Prudhomme, Miss Cecelia 3.00 Prudhomme, Ailhaud 3.00 Tujague, Leon 3.00 Ricard, Mrs. 1.00 Rusca, Mrs. Jno. 1.50 Rusca, J. D. 2.00 Sompayrac, Jules 3.00 Simmons, Misses 3.00

Total amount, 2nd Section... \$87.25

By Members, Section III

Ante, Colin 1.00 Armetie (Colored) .75 Blanchard, (Heirs) 3.00 Breazeale, Wood 3.00 Caspari, Mrs. Gussie .50 Campbell, Colin 3.00 DeBlieux, Mrs. Alice 3.00 DeBlieux, Mrs. S. J. 3.00 Lemay, (Heirs) 3.00 Mazier, Bony 1.00 Morse, Sidney 3.00 Poete, Mrs. .50 Prudhomme, P. S. 2.00 Smart, Mrs. Marie 3.00 Smith, Mrs. Nemie 3.00 Stephens, Henry 1.00 Trichel, Miss Kate Lea 3.00 Tricnel, John 3.00 Tessier, Mrs. Beatrice 2.00

Total amount, 3rd Section... \$38.75

By Members, Section IV

Burke, Miss Mamie 3.00 Carr, Mrs. Virginia 2.00

Table with 2 columns: Name and Amount. Includes Colton, Mrs. Sallie 50, Cook, Mrs. Dave 2.25, Ducourneau, Mrs. Lillie 1.00, DeBlieux, Jeff 2.00, Dranguet, Ben 1.00, Ducasse, Mrs. Jules 1.00, Dale, Mrs. Stella 3.00, Genuis, J. A. 3.00, Gimbert, L. 2.00, Grunewald, Mrs. Theo. 3.00, Harkins, Eddie 2.50, Millsbaugh, Mrs. G. W. 2.00, McKay, Mrs. Leda 1.50, Perot, Mrs. Chas. 2.50, Perot, Miss Odalie 1.00, Perot, Mrs. Joe 1.00, Pharis, Sam .50, Plauche, Mrs. Jack 10.00, Perini, Tony 1.50, Prudhomme, Alphonse 5.00, Prudhomme, Narcisse 3.00, Rachal, Mrs. Anaise .50, Sompayrac, Mrs. Daisy .50, Seegar, Vernon 3.00, Tauzin, Miss Clothilde 2.00

Total amount, 4th Section... \$58.00 Total Amount of cash collected from members of Section I 63.15 Section II 87.25 Section III 38.75 Section IV 38.00 Total Amount... \$247.15

From Mr. C. S. Royston 25 Mrs. Louie Chaplin 60.00 The City 33.00 Total Amount of cash rec'd \$340.40

Total amount of cash rec'd "House rent 23.50 \$363.90

Expenses of Catholic Cemetery 1916 For work 1916 To Lafrant Lacour & help 4.00 Jan. " " " " 32.50 Mar. " " " " 38.60 Apr. " " " " 39.60 May " " " " 21.50 June " " " " 36.50 July " " " " 29.50 Aug. " " " " 37.00 Sept. " " " " 21.50 Oct. " " " " 54.75

Total amount for work... \$306.45 Repairs on house 6.00 \$312.45

For tools To Jeff DeBlieux & Co. shovel and rake 1.10 To P. S. Prudhomme, for 1 hoe 1.85 To Peoples Hardware Co., Mattock and hie... 1.85 To H. & A. Kaffie, for seed fork 55.55

5 Masses for dead in this cemetery 5.00 Total expenses... 323.00 Total amount of cash... 363.90 Less expenditures... 323.00 In bank, Cash... \$40.90

CRIMINAL COURT NOTES. PLEAD GUILTY. Will Scott, burglary and larceny, sentence 1 year in pen.

Owen Dillard, concealed weapons, \$100.00 and cost, paid fine. T. B. Jackson, disturbing peace, \$5.00 and cost, paid fine.

Arthur Chapman, disturbing peace, \$5.00 and cost, paid fine. Allen Smith, manslaughter, \$1 and 5 years in penitentiary.

Lee Larkins, disturbing peace, \$5 and cost, paid fine. Charlie Murphy, disturbing peace, \$5 and cost, paid fine.

Cane Thomas, manslaughter 5 years in penitentiary. Paul Lewis, trespass \$2.50 and cost, paid fine.

Tut Wade, trespass, \$2.50 and cost, paid fine. John Bowman, larceny, 60 days on road.

Walter Norsworthy, disturbing peaceable assembly, \$1.00 and cost and 5 days, in default 10 days added. John Holland, disturbing peaceable assembly, \$1.00 and cost and 5 days in jail, in default 10 days added.

Newt Holland, disturbing peaceable assembly, \$1.00 and cost and 5 days, in default 10 days added. Fred Holland, disturbing peaceable assembly, \$1.00 and cost and 5 days, in default 5 days.

Robert Moss, disturbing peaceable assembly, \$1.00 and cost and 5 days, in default 10 days added. Felix Defois, disturbing peaceable assembly, \$1.00 and cost and 5 days, in default 10 days added.

Clarence and Jake Humphries, horse stealing, 4 years in penitentiary. John Burton, maiming stock, \$5.00 and cost, paid fine.

Green McMillen, maiming stock \$5.00 and cost, paid fine. Frank Harris, obscene language, \$5 and cost, paid fine.

Page Quinn, disturbing peace, \$1.00 and cost and 5 days, in default 10 days added. Loyd Rodrigues, concealed weapons, \$100.00 and cost, in default 10 months added, paid fine.

Robert Tarpley, disturbing peace \$1.00 and cost and 5 days, in default 10 days added. Joe Ivey, obscene language, \$1 and cost and 5 days, in default 10 days added.

W. P. Adams, obscene language, \$5.00 and cost, paid fine. Tom Hawthorne, disturbing peace, \$1.00 and cost and 5 days, in default 10 days.

Goliath Davenport, shooting



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Exchange Bank Natchitoches, La.

with intents to kill, 12 months in jail subject to road. Poissot Simmons, living in wait to kill, 18 months in penitentiary.

D. F. Treadway, malicious mischief, \$1.00 and cost and 5 days, in default 10 days. Bauman Nobles, malicious mischief, \$1.00 and cost and 5 days, in default 10 days.

TRIED AND FOUND GUILTY. George Howard, cattle stealing 2 years in penitentiary. Sylvester Washington, shooting with intent to kill, 3 years in parish jail, subject to road.

John Bauman, shooting with intent to kill, 3 years in parish jail subject to road. Andrew Johnson, horse stealing, 4 years in penitentiary.

John Hardy, hog stealing, 1 year in penitentiary. E. L. McQueen slander, \$100.00 and 3 months in jail, in default 3 months added.

Rosalee Morgan, cutting with intent to kill, 6 months in jail, subject to road duty. Edd Wysinger, reckless driving \$50.00 and cost and 30 days in jail in default; 30 days.

TRIED AND FOUND NOT GUILTY. Olive Glass, cattle stealing. Mose Cannon, cattle stealing. Foster Thiipen, shooting with intent to murder.

Laurence Crittenden, striking with intent to murder. Several important and some minor cases were continued.

Keep in touch with home happenings, as well as the official proceedings of a City, School Board and Police Jury by subscribing to The Enterprise.

SHERIFF SALE W. B. Megason, et als. vs F. C. Blackshier, et als. No. 11th D. C., Parish of Natchitoches La.

By virtue of an order and judgement of the Honorable 11th D. C., Parish of Natchitoches, La., being of date the 10th day of December 1916 and to me directed, I will offer for sale at the hour of 11 o'clock a. m., on Saturday January 27th 1917, to effect a partition thereof, the following described lands, to-wit:- The E 1-2 of SE 1-4 of Sec. 10, Tp. 10 N. Rg. 10 W.

Terms of sale to be Cash, without appraisal, for what it will bring. J. W. PAYNE, Sheriff, Parish of Natchitoches, La.

SATURDAY JANUARY 6, 1917. The following described property, situated in the Parish of Natchitoches, Louisiana, to-wit: A certain tract of land with buildings and improvements thereon, being situated in Section 34 and 35, Township 7, North of Range 4 West, more fully described as follows: Lot 3 of a certain survey made by Jos. C. Henry, Surveyor, containing .00 acres and being in Section 34, and also lot "A" of Section 35, containing three acres. Being property bought of Prothro. All of the above described and is shown on map as the same appears of record in the records of the Office of the Parish of Natchitoches, Louisiana, in Book 114, Page 255.

Terms of Sale-CASH, subject to appraisal to meet the matured part of the debt and on terms of credit to meet the unmatured part of the debt. J. W. PAYNE, Sheriff.

Nov. 30, 1916 t. d. s.

CARD OF THANKS. I wish to thank and express my appreciation for the generous support given me by my friends in the Hughes Great Trade Contest. MRS. MAUD CROSSEIT

DR. FRIEDMAN

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Yours for better sight. B. I. Friedman Doctor of Optics