

LOCAL NEWS.

As the Tide Flows.

POLICE JURY PROCEEDINGS.

We desire to impress most forcibly upon our friends and contributors, that their copy for publication must be handed in not later than Wednesday morning...

Hammocks, go-carts and Rattan rockers at Nosh's Ark, Clero building.

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See our new stock of furniture. Sure to 'catch the eye.' Every body says so.—Nosh's Ark.

Yesterday our chief of police noticed two strange lads at the depot who from their actions he deemed to be runaways.

On Monday last the alarm of fire roused our citizens from their slumbers, the cause being the fire in the two-story house corner of Iberia and Washington street occupied by Capt. Henry Gaudry and family which was entirely consumed, owing to the delay in giving prompt notice.

Really on hand and in stock in New Iberia, is a great variety of price and coloring, and paper, brought for cash right from the factory. Prices right.—McMahon.

The new residences that are being erected in town are progressing well. The Kramer buildings nearly ready for occupation, the Kling building has been delayed waiting for material.

See the elegant line of mattress Nosh's Ark has in stock at prices to suit.

Our office force has been increased by the arrival of Miss Mabel Martin, of Jennings, La., who has been employed by the Jennings Times, where she operated the Unitytype of this establishment.

Religious services at popular prices at Nosh's Ark, Clero building.

The past week has had several showers which has been of great benefit to the crops. While not so copious as desired, still that which came was very welcome and encouraged our farmers very much.

Agricultural implements of all kinds at Bruth's Hardware Emporium.

The Cemetery Association have changed the date of their proposed operation from June 11th to July 4th. Cool nights are not pleasant upon the water. Summer will arrive in time to celebrate the nation's birthday.

On June 14th the Iberia Park Association opens its gates for the grand game of that day. The high order of these trials of speed and endurance with which patrons have been treated make this driving race one of the most popular in the city.

Miss Ethel LaCombe, of Washington La., is expected here shortly to spend a few weeks with the Eckart family.

Mr. William Bird of Atlanta, Wm. Pariah, is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Andrew Thorpe of Washington Street.

Mrs. F. I. Martin, of Jennings, La., and her daughter Miss Mabel, spent a few days in our city this week the guest of Mrs. A. C. Pleckett.

Messrs. Fred Mestayer and Robert LeBlanche have gone to Los Angeles, on a short visit to see the country.

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Mrs. F. V. Peale and Miss Rose DeBlanc of this city, are taking a summer course at the State Normal Institute, at Natchitoches, La.

Miss Lou Schwing is visiting at the home of Mrs. F. C. Schwing.

Mrs. C. P. Ellis has as a guest, her sister, Mrs. Britton of New Orleans.

Mrs. Dunn of Boyce is visiting Mr. and Mrs. F. N. Brian.

Mrs. C. C. Kramer is a guest of Mrs. Smedes, at her plantation home.

Miss Nina Bernard is visiting Mrs. J. W. K. Shaw.

The Wednesday Afternoon Euchre Club was entertained this week by Mrs. Ernest Carleton on Center street.

The prizes were unusually pretty and were won by Miss Marie Patout and Miss Lou Schwing; booby by Mrs. L. C. Fogot, Miss Katie Billings will entertain on next Wednesday.

Ladies and Children Invited. All Ladies and children who cannot stand the shooting strain of laxative syrups, cathartics, etc., are invited to try the famous Little Early Blears. They are different from all other pills. They do not purge the system. Even a double dose will not grip, weaken or sicken; many people call them the Easy Pill.

For Health and Healing. DR. DAVID'S Compound Syrup Wild Cherry and Tar

Confirmation Service, June 7th, 1903, Church of the Epiphany.

NEW IBERIA, La., June 4, '03. The Police Jury convened this day in regular session, with President Britton in the chair and all members present.

The Treasurer submitted his regular monthly report showing a debit of \$98.54. Report was adopted.

The Tax Collector handed in his statement for month amounting to \$1,441.99. It was moved, seconded and carried, that Messrs. Suberbielle and Orte be authorized to have Parish closets re-opened and put in order.

It was moved by Mr. Decont that a warrant for 1900 be issued, payable January 1st, 1904, towards a fund of \$400 to be raised by the citizens of New Iberia for the purpose of placing iron benches in the Court-House square.

Moved, seconded and carried that the action of President Britton in the matter of signing contract for the construction of the Electric Railway between New Iberia and Jeanerette, be and is hereby fully endorsed.

It was resolved that Gen. Miles is hereby granted the privilege of leaving public road, when constructing a new road, whenever he may deem necessary.

It was moved, seconded and carried that Messrs. R. Brown and Ed. Delcambre be appointed a committee to examine the books of the Sheriff and Parish Treasurer.

On motion of Mr. Orte, seconded by Mr. Decont and carried, the following free holders, to-wit: R. S. McChesney, Emmer, A. J. Fogot, A. O. Broussard, L. J. Gonoulin, Lionel Broussard and Nic Muller were appointed to appropriate a road on east side of Bayou Teche.

It was moved, seconded and carried, that the Parish, from this date, approve any more bills for the Bayou Carlin Drainage District.

Mr. Suberbielle, moved, seconded and carried, that a warrant for \$200 be issued in favor of School Board towards for Summer Normal.

The Olivier Bridge Committee, Messrs. Decont, Decont and Orte, reported being organized. The Olivier bridge is being repaired and the Parish, as being finished and complete. Report adopted.

The secretary's motion was carried to issue warrant to Lewis Angers for balance due him on contract for awarding of the Wyche and Olivier bridges.

The said committee to deliver the warrant to Mr. Angers after the acceptance of the bridge, is complete and finished.

The following resolution was adopted: Whereas, the Franklin & Abbeville Railway Company contemplates building a railroad from the end of its tracks to the Mississippi branch of the Southern Railway, and the lines of Iberia Parish;

Whereas, said Railway will be of great public benefit generally; Therefore be it resolved that the Police Jury of the Parish of Iberia, in regular session convened, that said Franklin & Abbeville Railway Company, its heirs and assigns, be and it is hereby granted the right to cross any and all public roads of the Parish of Iberia, between the present terminus of its tracks to the Parish line, upon condition that said Railway, its assignors, street and keep in repair the approaches to said Railroad.

Be it further resolved, etc., that the President of the Police Jury do and he is hereby authorized to enter into written agreement carrying this resolution into effect.

Mr. Suberbielle was appointed a committee to receive the Darby road.

ON LAND OR SEA no finer Outing Suits than those bearing this famous trade-mark. Such cool fabrics, perfect fit, tasteful styles, and exquisite workmanship are found only in the BENJAMIN tailoring. Mrs. H. Scharff & Sons New Iberia, La.

SPOILED A GOOD LUCK STORY. E. W. McCorn of Jackson, Miss., now in the city at the St. Charles hotel, received a letter from Mrs. McCorn yesterday, enclosing a five-foot clover that had been picked from Biltmore, the farm of George Vanderbilt. She said: 'While with a party feeding one of Mr. Vanderbilt's \$10,000 cows, I found this rare specimen of clover, which I send you for luck.'

Mr. McCorn had a headache just previous to his receiving the letter. In a few moments he was well. In the afternoon he accidentally ran across a man who had owed him \$100 for ten years. This was paid. At 4 o'clock he received a telegram from Shreveport that a lawsuit he had thought was inevitable had been settled to his liking. At 5 o'clock the clerk at the hotel informed him that he would have been occupying for three days because it had been rented previously to a gentleman from Kentucky. He made a kick to Col. Bakely and in a few minutes afterwards, was occupying the best suite in the house. At 6:05 Col. Harding sheriff of Hinds county, Miss. happened along and invited him to a dinner and a carriage drive. By midnight he had refused twenty six drinks.

Where are you going my pretty maid, To Nosh's Ark, kind sir, she said. For what purpose mine, may I enquire. To buy furniture, I admit.

Napoleon Portraits. One of the most remarkable collections of portraits of Napoleon ever seen in New York has just closed at the National Arts Club. The collection was composed almost wholly of prints and belonged to Mr. John Leonard Dudley, Jr., Mr. Dudley has been most fortunate in gathering his Napoleon portraits, inasmuch as he has the great Corsican represented in every stage of his career from the time of his infancy down until his death. He is seen from every point of view as artists of many countries chose to represent him. Everybody has had an interest in Napoleon, and for a time to come will retain an interest, and most likely artists will continue to try to do justice to their ideals of the silent man; but the collection of the National Arts Club have had opportunity of viewing and studying is unexcelled by any in this country.

Chicago's New Congressman. They have been having some fun in Washington with two new congressmen from Chicago. Martin Gernerich visited the capital and was being shown around by Jim McAndrews. The two were sitting in the house when Jim arose and said: 'I'm going out to the lobby. There's an old painting there that I want to ship home—one of the little perquisites we have, Martin.' 'Say,' said Emerich, 'what's the matter with me getting mine and sending it to Chicago at the same time.' Congressman Mann had W. W. Wilson in tow. They were also sitting in the house when a page came and laid a number of blurslips in front of Wilson. 'Blur slips,' said Mann, and the new congressman did so. Then he asked what they were. 'Receipts for your pay for March 4 to December next,' said Mann. 'Great Spirit!' yelled Wilson. I didn't get the money.' It took the combined Illinois delegation to convince him that this was the usual thing.

Luxure Bromo Quinine Cures a Cold in One Day, Cures in 3 Days

Expensive Colonies. France spends annually for her colonies a little more than \$25,000,000 a year, while the aggregate of its business with them, export and import, is but \$65,000,000, and but \$400,000 a year emigrate to French colonies. But France has not been the least successful country in building a colonial empire, for Germany's geographically large possessions cost more than the aggregate of the exports and imports from

Lightning Strikes In, Not Down.

The cause of death by lightning is the sudden absorption of the electric current. A lion a thunder cloud which is fairly charged with positive electricity hangs over a certain place, the earth beneath becomes alternately charged with negative electric current, and a lion, animal or other object reaching or being directly beneath the parallel of the last mentioned influence. If, while the man, animal or other object is in this condition, a discharge takes place from the cloud above, the restoration of the equilibrium will be sudden and violent, or, in language that we can all understand, the negative current from the earth will rush up to join the positive cloud current, and in passing through the object which separates the two currents, it will be an animated thing, will do so with such force as to almost invariably produce instant death. A person is really "struck" by the ground current, and not by the forked fury from above.

An excursion train loaded with negroes went into a washout near Sumter, S. C. The conductor and four passengers were killed.

Don't worry about politics, get a hammock and a refrigerator at McMahon's and keep cool.

NOTICE. To the Tax Payers. The Police Jury will act as a Board of Reviewers and Equalizers on the 1st Monday in July and will pass upon assessments as follows:

Table with 3 columns: Assessment type, Amount, and Due date.

Homologation Notice. Succession of WILLIAM R. BURKE, DECEASED. State of Louisiana, Parish of Iberia 19th Judicial District Court.

Homologation Notice. IN MATTER OF RECEIVERSHIP OF THE NEW IBERIA COTTON MILL CO., LTD. State of Louisiana, Parish of Iberia, 19th Judicial District Court.

Homologation Notice. TELEPHONE BOUTTE ET ALS VS. ST. CYR BOUTTE. State of Louisiana, Parish of Iberia, 19th Judicial District Court.

NOTICE. By virtue of an order from the Hon. the 19th Judicial District Court of Louisiana, for Iberia Parish, dated April 27th, 1903, addressed to George Henderson, Sheriff of Iberia Parish, or to any of his lawful deputies, I, George Henderson, Sheriff of Iberia Parish, through my lawful deputy, Frank J. Mestayer, will offer for sale and will sell for cash, at the Court House in the City of New Iberia:

- List of properties for sale including: 2 lots, improved by Bakery and Barn, 8 Acab, La. Price \$1000. 3600 arpents, 3 miles from town, two dwellings outbuildings stables, etc.

NOTICE. New Iberia, La., May 4, 1903. On and after the eighth day of June, 1903, the brick-layers of New Iberia, La., will demand \$5.00 per day's work, consisting of nine hours, on all work in this city, and \$5.00 per day away from home, and 80c per hour overtime.

FOR SALE. A 1000 lb. Diebold Safe, burglar and fire proof. Two doors with combination lock. In use only one month. Apply to ORANGE GROVE STORE, Olivier, La.

FOR SALE. Brick and Sheet Iron For Sale. 1200 square feet of sheet steel, 900 feet of Angle Iron. One lot of second hand brick at \$5.00 per 1000.

Nothing has ever equalled it. Nothing can ever surpass it. Dr. King's New Discovery For Croup, Whooping Cough, Sore Throat, etc.

For sale on easy terms, a first-class plantation of 150 acres. Situated in Petite Anse, about 4 miles South of New Iberia. Good large residence on place, also two smaller houses in good condition.

FOR SALE. A Perfect Cure For All Throat and Cures: Sore Throat, Sore Glands, etc.

A Son of Captain Clark.

Major William Hancock Clark, eldest son of the eldest son of Captain William Clark, of the Lewis and Clark expedition, will have an important part in opening the exposition at Portland in 1905. He is a resident of Washington. Major Clark has devoted himself to a study of the exploration of Lewis and Clark, and the incidents which led to their overland trip to the Pacific coast, and has given to historians of recent days much information which had been carefully guarded in the family annals.

PUBLIC SALE. INTERDICTION OF MICHAEL TRAUTMAN. 19th Judicial District Court, Iberia Parish, Louisiana.

By virtue of a commission issued under order of the above Court under an order of the Honorable Judge of April 4, A. D. 1903, I, Herman Hasser, Curator ad hoc for the Interdicted Michael Trautman will offer for sale and sell at public sale to pay the debt of said interdicted, on the 13th DAY OF JULY, A. D. 1903, at the front door of the Court House in the New Iberia, La., between legal sale hours the following described property, to-wit:

Lots one and two of the plat of lands of Interdicted Michael Trautman, made by Jno. Kravign, on file in the proceedings of the family succession held before Edward T. Weeks on August 4th, 1900, in the interest of said Interdicted Michael Trautman. HERMAN HASSER, Curator of the Interdicted Michael Trautman, New Iberia, La., April 18th, 1903.

Whereas, Walter J. Burke Testamentary Executor of the last Will and Testament of William R. Burke, deceased, has filed in this Honorable 19th Judicial District Court, his account as Testamentary Executor thereof together with his petition praying that the same be homologated and approved.

Notice is therefore hereby given to all of whom it may or doth concern to show cause if any they have within ten days from first publication hereof, why they pray of petitioner should not be granted or the account filed, homologated and approved.

Witness the Hon. T. Don Foster, Judge of our said Court this 28th day of May, A. D. 1903. A. J. MAUMUS, D'y Clerk.

Notice. James A. Lee, Receiver of the New Iberia Cotton Mill Co., Ltd., has filed with the Hon. 19th Judicial District Court for Iberia Parish, his first yearly account of his position as Receiver aforesaid, together with his account verbal and petition, praying that the same be homologated and approved.

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Notice. GEORGE HENDERSON, Sheriff of Iberia Parish, through my lawful deputy, Frank J. Mestayer, will offer for sale and will sell for cash, at the Court House in the City of New Iberia:

1000 acres, Parish of St. Martin, partly cleared with improvement, balance hard wood and cypress timber. \$5.00 per acre.

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