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DEEP WATER CHANNEL.

We are in receipt of a circular letter from Mr. T. A. Thorgusen, of Berwick, La., advocating the construction of a deep water channel at Morgan City of sufficient capacity to accommodate sea going vessels to reach Morgan City, Berwick and Patterson. A channel of such dimensions would greatly benefit the entire Teche country by giving cheaper water rates to all sea ports. The movement is a good one and worthy of our best efforts, a convention of all the towns interested should be held and Congress memorialized through our representatives and the great advantage to our people obtained. We [illegible] Mr. Thorgusen will continue to agitate the matter until the great object is accomplished.

CROP NOTES.

Three days of glorious sunshine and balmy air has again reminded us we are in dear old Louisiana. The past month has been one in which weather condition have broken all records for severity and duration. Happily the clouds have rolled away and every body with renewed vigor is at work and by next week cane and corn planting will be in vogue all over our Parish. Seed cane and stubbles from reports generally received, are in good order and if present weather conditions continue, the area of cane planted will greatly exceed that of 1904. Gardeners are very busy also getting in the various crops, although some what late, if the spring develops rapidly there will not be much difference in results with other years.

BANK CHANGES.

We notice some important changes in the State National Bank. Mr. J. P. Suberbielle, the Cashier, will retire on March 1st and be succeeded by Mr. H. E. Suberbielle, who has been assistant Cashier for some time. Mr. Henry Smith, vice-president, will also retire on same date and Mr. LeDoux E. Smith, Ex-State Treasurer, will take his place and will give his entire time to the promotion of the interests of the Bank. Mr. J. Paul Suberbielle's constant and incessant application to the multifarius duties of the Bank and other interests with which he is connected, has caused a temporary break in his health as also affecting his eye sight, consequent upon the nervions strain to which he has been subjected, a total abstention from business for some time was demanded by his physician. Mr. Henry Suberbielle is too well known in the community to need any commendation at our hands, he is a worthy successor to his brother. We predict a career of unprecedented success for the bank under the new management, equal to the high character of its past history. Mr. Albert Estorge continues to be the President.

Exposure to Wet,

dampness and cold, invariably results in a sudden chill, which if not attended to immediately will cause a cold. By mixing a teaspoonful of Perry Davis' Painkiller in half a glass of warm water or mill, the whole system will be heated and the danger of cold avoided. Avoid substitutes, there is out one Painkiller, Perry Davis'. Price 25c. and 50c.

THE ONE MAN IDEA IN BIG WORK.

We are traveling so rapidly from the old standards that it makes the head swim to see how far we have gone. Here is Minnesota about to abolish the grand jury, a sacred institution that has been the prop and pride of Anglo-Saxon civilization since history began. The people voted for the change by a majority of 121,000, and the State Legislature will carry it into effect. Already other States are considering the wisdom of following Minnesota's example. Cutting loose from antiquity is the way it is expressed.

What does it mean? Simply the conviction that it will be better to intrust the work to one man who will give to it the direction and attention which a jury, by the divisions and confusions of numbers, too often misses. It is the belief that the one man working in one thing is better than many men dabbling at it. There is, also, the tendency of the grand jury to play politics, to let out its secrets, and to dine too well when it ought to be investigating. It is an illustration of the modern idea that many do not make as much progress as one man.

Only the other day centralization was a burning issue in national politics. Now it is the national policy. Stockholders once held regular meetings and ordered the officers to follow certain lines. Now the stockholders send their proxies to the officers for the formal ratification of their plans at a meeting held merely to observe the letter of the law; the autocrats at the head of even the greatest corporations exercise a supremacy beyond that of the average king.

A popular poet wrote an immortal

velopment of modern business, which gives the individual a power never before known in the world's history. It is this growth of confidence and authority which makes the exceptional man of the day a sensational figure in affairs—which pays him a salary of tens or hundreds of thousands of dollars and places in his hands the destines of an empire.

In the one man class there is either great success or quick failure. There is no compromise and there is no mercy. The man does or he doesn't—the world is in too much of a hurry to wait for him to try again when it has another to put in his place. And there is always another ready.—Saturday Evening Post.

WHAT'S WRONG WITH THE SCHOOL?

We have about 27,000,000 children and youths of school age. There is an average daily attendance at the public and private schools of about 12,000,000 and an enrollment at the colleges and academies of less than 300,000. Again, with 11,000,000 youths of academy and college, age, we have in attendance upon the institutions of higher education less than 175,000 are in colleges and universities.

Of course, the attendance would probably be much larger if the instruction at our higher institutions, both as to matter and as to method, were not of such a nature that it is an open question, to say the least of it, whether the young men and women students do not give a great deal of valuable time in exchange for very little that is of use. Yet the central truth remains—we are not doing anything like what we should do to make the oncoming generations successful at doing the things which we, in our ignorance, have done so bunglingly or have left altogether undone.

Less than half the children of school age at school! Less than three per cent. of our youths at college! What is the matter with the parents? What is the matter with the schools and colleges?—*Saturday Post.*

LETTER TO MARCEL DEROUEN.

Dear Sir: Some think we take a good deal of risk in inviting complaints of Devoe lead-and sine—we authorize our agent to sell it under this guarantee:

"If you have any fault to find with this paint, either now in putting it on, or hereafter in the wear, tell your dealer about it.

"We authorize him to do what is right at our expense."

The following story tells how little the risk is:

J. H. Asher & Co., hardware dealers, Rhinebeck, N. Y. have sold Devoe form '76 to now; have sold thousands of gallons and have had just one complaint in all this time.

Three sides of a house were perfect; the fourth was as bad as the three were good.

Explanation—It rained the night before the fourth side was painted: and the painters didn't wait for the wood to dry.

What is done in such a case? Whatever the dealer, who sold the paint, considers it fair to do. We leave it to him. He may not do exactly what we should do if we were there; but we are not there. The best we can do is to leave it to him.

Yours truly,
F. W. DEVOE & CO.

It is a matter of very great regret that the Senate and President have agreed to disagree concering the necessity of amending the arbitration treaties, and it emphasizes the cumbrous, non adaptive machinery of our government in its relations to foreign powers. Senators and Presidents have disagreed before. The first treaty ever sent to the Senate was amended and it is not recalled that that body has since failed to exereise its amendatory function. The Senate is jealous of its dignity and of its reputation as a deliberative body. No one will deny it the distinction of being deliberative. Several of its members hold the record of having spoken continuously, with brief intervals for nourishment and sleep, for twenty-four hours.—*L. C. Press.*

THE GREAT FAMILY MEDICINE

Thedford's Black-Draught comes nearer regulating the entire system and keeping the body in health than any other medicine made. It is always ready in any emergency to treat ailments that are frequent in any family, such as indigestion, biliousness, colds, diarrhœa, and stomach aches.

Thedford's Black-Draught is the standard, never-failing remedy for stomach, bowel, liver and kidney troubles. It is a cure for the domestic ills which so frequently summon the doctor. It is as good for children as it is for grown persons. A dose of this medicine every day will soon cure the most obstinate case of dyspepsia or constipation, and when taken as directed brings quick relief.

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Ask your dealer for a package of Thedford's Black-Draught and if he does not keep it send 25c. to The Chattanooga Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn. and a package will be mailed to you.

THEDFORDS BLACK DRAUGHT

Arizona seems to prefer staying out in the cold, rather than getting on the "water wagon" with Okla-

BACK TO THE FARMS.

An important change is quietly but irresistibly coming about in the industrial situation in this country.

For years the tendency of ambitious young men has been from the farms to the cities, lured by the higher wages and greater apportunities. The steady migration has resulted in a decided effect both upon city wages and upon the value of farm products. Wages are at a standstill; farm products are steadiiy rising in value.

There is a labor congestion in the cities and growing inability on the part of the farms to meet the ever-increasing demands for their products.

The American Agriculturist has prepared a comparative table of farm values, acreage, production and selling prices of the staple crops for a series of years. The three years taken for special comparison are 1901, 1904 and 1896; 1901 is taken as an average year, 1896 as low year, and 1904 as the most prosperous year the American agriculture has ever known.

The total value at the farm of the staple crops was $1,820,000,000 in 1896, $2,532,000,000 in 1904. and $3,278,000,000 in 1904. Thus the total value of the last season's crops is almost double that of the 1896 yield, an increase in value out of all proportion to the increase in production.

Apples are the only corp which are less in quantity than in 1896, but hay, rye, wheat, corn and flaxseed were produced in almost the same amount. The only larger increase in production is in cotton where the crop is almost half larger than in 1896. Potatoes and oats show some increase, but not much. In no case except cotton, potatoes and barley has the increase in production at all approximated the increase in population. The increase in farm value makes this more marked. Corn is selling for twice what it did in 1896, wheat for one-third more, hay for a third more.

The remarkable conclusion of this crop combination is that in ten years there has been hardly any appreciable increase in the quantity of staple crops produced except in cotton. Even in such products of less total value as onions, hops and cranberries the quantity produced in the past year is almost exactly the same as the production of ten years ago.

The meaning of all this is that laws above human control are bound to turn the tide of migration back from the cities to the farms.—*Atlanta Journal.*

Will You Sleep Well

To-night? Not if you have a cough that begins to torment you as soon as you lie down. You can conquer the cough with Allen's Lung Balsam, which will relieve the pain in the chest, the irritation in the the throat and the hard breathing. Since it contains no opium, this remedy may be given freely to children, and to the most delicate adults.

The demand of the cotton farmers that the State penal institutions be prohibited from raising cotton is fully as just and reasonable as the demand of the labor unions, already complied with, that convicts be not employed where the laborers would have to compete with them, as in manufactures. Here is an excellent example of the value of organization. The farmers as a voting power are stronger than all the union laborers combined, yet by reason of lack of organization they see convict labor driven from other fields into theirs.—*Courier.*

CASTORIA.
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought

An exchange tells us that "Twenty years hence the boys of to-day will be the men. They will be doctors and drunkards, lawyers and liars, senators and sneak thieves, editors and idiots, ministers and murderers, gentlemen and burglars democrats and republicans populists and puddin-heads. It is impossible to tell with any degree of certainty whether a boy will land in congress or on the rock-pile, in the pulpit or in the penitentiary.

To Cure A Cold In One Day

Take LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

Hon. John W. Gates has made $12,000,000 booming wheat and is now alleged to have aspirations to be king of the cotton market. Perhaps if we had backed John W. upon his proposed rice combine a year ago, out farmers would have been wearing diamonds now, or at least would have had the gratification of seeing John W. wear them. —*Ex.*

The sick man had called his lawyer. "I wish to explain again to you," said he weakly, "about will my property—"

The attorney held up his hand reassuringly.

"There, there!" said he. "Leave that all to me."

The sick man sighed resignedly.

"I suppose I might as well," said he, turning upon his pillow. "You'll get it, anyway."—*Judge.*

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New Iberia organized a Mother's Club, the object of which is to aid the school authorities in beautify and making more comfortable school buildings and grounds, and to help teachers and school officers to make the school more attractive, more comfortable and more efficient. It is bound to be an effective organization, for it is composed of those who understand best the needs of children.—*Rayne Tribune.*

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Syrup for the blood; Cerate for skin eruptions.

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ADJOURNED MEETING OF THE CITY COUNCIL.

NEW IBERIA, Feb. 21st 1905.

Pursuant to adjournment, the Mayor and Board of Trustees of the City of New Iberia, met this day with Mayor Dupuy in the chair, and the following members present: Messrs Blumenthal, Levy, Murray and Decourt, absent Messrs Dupre and Lemaire.

Bids for the extension of the water mains along lower Main St. were received and opened, as follows:

Leon Dreyfus, Two thousand four hundred and sixty four 82-100 Dollars.

Foulkes & Forbes, Two thousand and ninety five Dollars.

Geo. Simon, Sixteen hundred and thirty seven Dollars and eighty five cents.

There being no other bids, and the bid of Geo. Simon being the lowest, Mr. Blumenthal moved that the same be accepted and contract awarded him, which was carried by the following yea and nay votes: Yes, Messrs Blumenthal, Levy, Murray and Decourt. Nay, none.

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned to the next regular meeting, on motion of Mr. Murray seconded by Mr. Decourt and carried.

JULES E. DUPUY, Mayor
J. L. HAASE, Secretary.

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REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

August Hector, Jr., to Alex Fondal, one tract of land near Olivier, 50x150; consideration, $100.

Emile Gajan and Honora Romero to Davis Johnson, one lot in Town of New Iberia, 50x150 in Park addition; consideration, $125.

Estate of J. H. Dumesneil and his wife to R. P. Duplantis et als, 68 acres at Isle aux Cannes; consideration, $4,950.

Doria Broussard to Dosite Broussard all his interest unto a certain tract of land in Fausse Pointe, containing about 70 arpents; consideration, $70.

Emile Gajan to Erdin Broussard about 2½ arpents more or less between Iberia and Jeanerette; consideration, $337.50.

Alcee Judie, husband to Carmelite Donet, wife Dation en parement lot in Jeanerette, 60x150.

Chas. R. Muggah et als to J. P. Muggah, properties situated in Iberia and St. Mary Parishes about 1300 acres more or less; consideration $2,200.

Mrs. Odille Theriot, widow of Francois Huval to Joseph Huval 20 arpents of land at Coteaux, Iberia Parish; consideration, $600.

Vourhies Deroeun to Victor Deleambre, 46 arpents at Petite Anse; consideration, $1400.

J. A. Babin to F. Ribbeck, lease of property in town of of New Iberia on Main street, $21 a month.

C. F. Berard to Angele Broussard, wife of Alfred Boutte, leased of 25 arpents of land in Fausse Pointe for one year at $75 a year.

Emile Gajan to Emar Romero, about 2½ arpents more or less between New Iberia and Jeanerette; consideration, $337.50.

Angele Broussard wife of Alfred Boutte to C. F. Berard, 25 arpents of land in Fausse Pointe, ; consideration, $500.

Yves Arandez at als to George R. DeLaureal and Paul A. Bloom, contracts to handle the combined railway joint and chair.

Peoples National Bank to Jules Muller, about 98 arpents of land in Iberia Parish; consideration $3545.

Louise Breitmayer, wife of J. F. Lassalle to Page Lewis and Frank Jones 74 arpents of land at Olivier; consideration, $900.

Aspasie Deroeun wife of Boniface Landry to Elodios Hebert, 2 arpents of land; consideration, $60.

Robert Deroeun to Andrew Thorpe, lot on the railroad; consideration, $1863.

Andrew Thorpe to Robert Brown, lot on the railroad; consideraton, $1900.

E. P. McCarty to Joseph Gajan about 55 arpents of land near New Iberia; consideration, $2150.

"THAT LITTLE SWEDE."

The attraction at the Vendome Sunday, Feb. 26th will be Hampton & Hopkins production of "That Little Swede" by John Crittenden Webb. Miss Erickson Greene who plays the part of Lena Anderson is a clever little woman and in addition to being a genuine actress Miss Greene is also a lady of combination not too frequent but always pleasing and one in knowing her, to decide whether the accomplished actress or the charming woman is the most to be admired. Miss Greene dererves much credit for surrounding herself with clever players, as the company gives an excellent performance, each individual in the cast working apparently with the one idea of assisting in making a harmonious and complete production.

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