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W. G. WEEKS,
Fire Insurance Agent.

TIME TABLE SOUTHERN PACIFIC

MAIN LINE	WEST
No. 4-6:02 A. M.	No. 2-8:25 P. M.
No. 6-11:42 P. M.	No. 3-11:29 P. M.
No. 7-12:34 A. M.	No. 4-1:57 A. M.
No. 10-2:02 P. M.	No. 9-4:28 P. M.

LOCAL NEWS.

The Assessors Office has again had a change, notwithstanding the peoples choice in the primaries of Mr. John Broussard, whom the Governor commissioned. He has resigned the office after accomplishing most of the work of the year and submitting his rolls to the Police Jury. What Mr. Broussard's reasons are for retiring we know not, but we are certain there must have been considerable pressure somewhere to cause him to give up an office, to which he was appointed for four years. The Governor has commissioned Mr. Vic J. Poisson as Commissioner Mr. Broussard's successor. Just who will be his deputies and to what extent changes will be made remains to be seen. Mr. Poisson is one of our most enterprising citizens and is well known throughout the Parish and we feel assured his appointment will give general satisfaction.

THE RENTER PAYS
for landlords homes. Our borrowers get the HOMES their rent pays for it.—IBERIA BUILDING ASSOCIATION.

Messrs. Sealy & Haase, the new firm in charge of the New Iberia Steam Laundry have signaled their enterprise by placing new machinery in their already complete plant. Among the new machines is one, a Mangal Ironer which is adapted to all kind of heavy ironing, something that was very much needed.

The up to date methods and excellent touch business outside of town. All along the Southern Pacific orders for work come in. A notable order just received is that of the Garden Hotel of Lafayette, Mr. L. E. Salles proprietor, who has given this firm all the work of the hotel.

Noah's Ark has "in their strenuous business getting" finally captured the New York Clearing House. If you doubt it just look in their show window when you pass by.

We received a pleasant call from our young friend, Mr. Evar LeBlanc, son of Edward LeBlanc of this Parish, who has recently been appointed to the responsible position of Assistant Cashier of the Bank of Baldwin, at Baldwin, La. Mr. LeBlanc is well known here as a young gentleman of probity and intelligence. He is a graduate of the Fasnacht Institute of this place, which grounded him in the principles of morality, truth and business affairs, and his appointment is a compliment, not only to himself but his "Alma Mater." Our good wishes go with him.

IT WILL SURPRISE YOU
how easily you can secure a home. Call and see for yourself.—IBERIA BUILDING ASSOCIATION.

Have your rubber buggy tires put on at A. M. Bernard's Wagon Works.

Last Thursday evening the Ladies organization "As You Like It Club" was pleasantly entertained by Mrs. Chas. L. Provost at her hospitable home. Euchre was played in six-handed games, amid the usual fun, wit and congenial associations. The first prize was won by Mrs. Chas. Hine, the second by Mrs. W. J. Burke, and the third by Mrs. Chas. Lee. The guests of the Club were Mrs. Montgomery of Shreveport and Mrs. Delahoussaye of Franklin.

THAT OLD MORTGAGE
has been renewed each year without reduction. Try paying it off by a loan from the IBERIA BUILDING ASSOCIATION.

We inadvertently omitted mentioning the receipt of a complimentary copy of a complete roster of the sugar planters of Louisiana, printed in pamphlet form giving addresses, etc., by that wide awake sugar journal, The Sugar Planters Journal, published in New Orleans by brother Gilmore.

Abita Springs Water by the bottle or at the Fountain.—Lee's Drug Store.

\$10,000.00 to loan on mortgage security.—WEEKS & WEEKS.

Mr. Henry M. Davies of St. Mary Parish, who purchased some time since a little farm just below corporate limits of New Iberia, has arrived with his family. Mr. Davies will engage in truck farming and will we hope, be satisfied with his new home.

Poverty results from improvidence. Improvidence is paying rent when a home can be bought with that money.—IBERIA BUILDING ASSOCIATION.

FOURTH OF JULY.

The day was ushered in by a national salute at sunrise, which startled the sleepers of our City, made known to them that the opening of the 129th Anniversary of American Independence had arrived. Our streets were nicely decorated with the national colors, hunting of every description, stores, hotels, barber shops, private dwellings all "put out their banners on the outer wall" and prepared to celebrate. About 12 o'clock the procession or firemen's parade began its march. Hon. Leon Lemaire, as Grand Marshal and C. E. Reynolds, as Chief of the Fire Department and made a most creditable showing, the grand guide or conductor, being one of our popular citizens on a pony, who was so well disguised that everybody at once recognized him to the delight of all kinds. The Pelican State Band discoursed most excellent music. West End No. 6 made a very pretty display, the machine being tastefully decorated and two beautiful little tots, a boy and a girl holding the ribbons connected with the horse, supposed to be the lines, but good strong arms were at the horse's head to prevent accidents. Number Two Hose Co., also made a good display. All repaired to the Park, whose great crowds had poured in from the trains from the east and west, and it looked as though the day would be a memorable one. The program at the Iberia Park was carried out, the races being quite exciting and well contested, until about four o'clock when "Jupiter Pluvius" being jealous of the manner in which Iberians were enjoying themselves, at once brought down a torrent of water, which deluged the grounds and people, notwithstanding the race between "Showdown" and "Morgana" was run in the mud and water, resulting in victory to Morgana.

General Dudley Avery of Avery's Island was in town Thursday, wearing his usual good looks and the personification of good health.

Miss Alice and Lee Eckart, after a few days pleasantly spent at Opelousas, have returned to their home.

Mr. Herbert Hacker, son of Hon. L. O. Hacker, who has been on a visit here returned to his home in Beaumont, Tex., last Wednesday.

Miss Lucy and Stella Estorge left Wednesday for Opelousas for a short stay among relatives.

Miss Grace Hoffman of Loreauville is visiting her friend Miss Blanche Gerard on Duportier Ave., East side.

Miss Katherine De V. Craig left last Friday for a visit to Wittheville, Va. Will be absent a month or so.

Miss Camille Soulier is in Opelousas for a visit of a few days.

Miss Constance Dauterive of Loreauville is having a pleasant visit with her uncle's family Mr. F. J. Dauterive.

Miss Fay Barney is convalescing from the attack of fever, which had confined her to her bed for the last three weeks.

Mr. W. Y. Kemper was in town Wednesday.

Mr. Adrien Gomonlin of "Maria" Central Factory at Loreauville, spent Thursday in town.

Rev. A. W. Turner and son Marvin, left for Baton Rouge Wednesday morning to be absent a couple of weeks, will attend the M. E. Conference at Clinton thence to the eastern part of the state to engage in Bible work. Services at the church here have been arranged for.

Mr. A. W. Wooley of Kentucky, representing the Review of Reviews, stopped off on his way to California to inspect a sugar plantation with a view of gathering materials for an article. Capt. J. T. White took him in charge.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Gebert, of New Iberia, La., will arrive tomorrow night to spend the summer here as is their custom. No surer sign than summer has come, and no more welcome one do Lake City people want than the appearance of Mr. and Mrs. Gebert.—Lake City (Col.) Times.

The members of the W. A. E. C. attended a delightful progressive euchre given by Mrs. R. S. McMahon at her beautiful country home on the Teche. She was assisted in receiving by her sister Miss Anna Dansereau of Thibodeaux. Handsome prizes were awarded to the successful contestants, Miss Sidonie Simon who won the first, Mrs. A. Landry the second and Miss Jennie Diamond the booby. Refreshments of a dainty nature were served after which the ladies repaired to their homes. The following guests were present on this delightful social event: Mrs. Hugh Montgomery of Shreveport, La., Miss Sidonie Simon of Opelousas, Mrs. Chas. Gilbert of Hattiesburg, Miss Anna Dansereau of Thibodeaux and Miss Jennie Diamond of New Orleans. Mrs. J. S. Russell will entertain the club on next Wednesday.

See This—"Greenwald" pianos were recently sold to Convents at New Iberia, Grand Coteau and Jennings. Why because they are good.—Address, J. B. Hull, New Iberia.

CHURCH NOTICE.
In the absence of Rev. A. W. Turner, Rev. A. A. Bernard of Vanderbilt University, will preach to-morrow, at 11 a. m., at the Methodist Church. Epworth League services 8:15 p. m., Sunday School at 9:45 a. m. The public is cordially invited.

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REGULAR MEETING OF BOARD OF TRUSTEES.

New Iberia, July 3d, 1905.
The Mayor and Board of Trustees of the City of New Iberia met this day in regular session with Mayor G. C. Laughlin in the chair and the following members present to-wit: Messrs. R. D. Stansbury, John Fisher, F. E. Voorhies, R. F. Delahoussaye, O. Renoulet and L. Indest, Sr.
The City Clerk stated that he had not written the minutes for the reason that the Auditor had not finished checking the book and turned the same over to him.

It was moved by Mr. Fisher, seconded by Mr. Stansbury and carried, that the reading and approval of the minutes of the previous meetings be dispensed with until the next regular meeting.

It was moved by Mr. Fisher, seconded by Mr. Renoulet and carried, that the salary paid Mr. Alex. Changois as deputy police officer of the City of New Iberia of Twenty Dollars per month be discontinued from the 1st day of July, 1905.

The matter of the erection of a small building by Mr. L. Deleauvre on Weeks' street, presumably within the fire limits without a permit and contrary to said ordinance was stated to the Council, when it was moved by Mr. Indest, seconded by Mr. Renoulet and carried that this matter be referred to the Street and Bridge Committee.

A communication from the Secretary of Iberia Fire Co. No. 1 in regard to the payment of the City of New Iberia of fifty five dollars for house-keeping and feeding of a horse was read. When it was moved by Mr. Delahoussaye and carried, that the sum of Forty Five Dollars per month be turned over to the Secretary of Iberia Fire Co. No. 1 for the purpose above stated.

The statement from the City Engineer in regard to the cost incurred and to be incurred in the building of concrete sidewalks, curbs, etc., was presented and read, when it was moved by Mr. Renoulet, seconded by Mr. Delahoussaye and carried, that Messrs. Foulkes, Forbes Co. be required to give an additional bond in favor of the City of \$3,483 over and above the bond of Twelve Thousand Dollars already furnished.

The question arose as to whether the members of the Board of Health elected some time since by the previous Council had been commissioned or not. After some discussion, it was moved by Mr. Fisher, seconded by Mr. Delahoussaye and carried by the following yeas and nays: Yeas—Messrs. Indest, Renoulet, Delahoussaye, Fisher and Stansbury. Nays—None. That the Mayor appoint a committee of two to ascertain whether Dr. Sanders and Mr. M. W. Fisher have ever been commissioned as members of the City Board of Health of New Iberia. The Mayor appointed the following persons on said committee, to-wit: Messrs. Fisher and Delahoussaye.

The Mayor stated that he had appointed Messrs. Chas. Goetz and Gaston Dauterive as day police and Mr. J. Stafford, Feed Veazey, Chas. Goetz, Gaston Dauterive and A. J. Stafford. The Mayor appointed Messrs. Renoulet and Indest tellers and the Council proceeded to vote for four deputy police officers, which resulted as follows: H. F. Stafford, two votes; F. Goetz, four votes; Chas. Goetz, three votes; G. Dauterive, five votes; A. J. Stafford six votes.

Messrs. Veazey, Dauterive and A. J. Stafford having received a majority of the votes cast were declared elected deputy police officers of the City, and Mr. Chas. Goetz having received three votes and this being but half of the votes cast the Mayor voted in his favor and declared him elected a deputy police officer of the City of New Iberia.

The following bills were read and approved and warrants ordered issued in payment of the same on motion of Mr. Renoulet, seconded by Mr. Fisher and carried, with the exception of the bill of Mr. J. Dreyfus for eighty-five cents for bale of hay, which bill should go to the Fire Company and the bill of Leon Dreyfus for three acres of pipe amounting to ninety cents, because there was no proof as to who authorized the purchase of this material, and which bills are as follows, to-wit: E. Guillot, commissioner of election, \$3; D. Nolte, 140 lbs. shells, \$14; P. L. Renoulet Lumber Co., Ltd., lumber \$13.08; L. Dreyfus, one pipe, 50c; W. L. Grant, com. of election, \$3; H. M. Carter feeding prisoners during June, \$19.

It was moved by Mr. Renoulet, seconded by Mr. Fisher and adopted by the following yeas and nays, to-wit: Yeas—Messrs. Stansbury, Fisher, Delahoussaye, Renoulet and Indest. Nays—None. That the Mayor of New Iberia be and he is hereby authorized to borrow upon the most advantageous terms possible for the City the sum of Three Thousand dollars for the purpose of paying past due coupons due by the City on the Electric L. & W. V. Plant, and that he issue a note for the amount with interest payable as may be agreed upon, and that provision for the payment of this amount be placed in the budget of the City for the fiscal year 1905-1906.

The application of Jas. Giblin, Jr., to be

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It was moved by Mr. Renoulet, seconded by Mr. Indest and carried, that the sum of seven dollars per month be allowed and paid for the feed of a horse for the use of deputy police officers of New Iberia.

It was moved by Mr. Renoulet, seconded by Mr. Stansbury and carried, that this meeting adjourn until next Monday evening the 10th day of July at 7 o'clock P. M. when the Board will meet for the purpose of transacting any and all unfinished business. G. C. LAUGHLIN, Mayor. A. J. CAMMACK, Clerk.

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MERIDIAN'S PLAGUE.

In a strong and able charge to the Grand Jury, Judge Cochran, of Meridian, Miss., called the attention of the grand inquirers to the spirit of lawlessness existing in Lauderdale county, to gambling, blind tiggerism, graft and other offenses and urges a searching investigation and vigorous action by that body.

Said Judge Cochran: "There is much ugly talk in the city about graft and a Meridian O'Malley who has a corner in the whiskey business. I make no charge on this score, but am merely repeating to you the rumors that are growing very current. I want you to keep your eyes and ears open for developments in this direction, and I shall await the revelations for the paid detectives of this city before your body with very great deal of interest."

Thus it seems that O'Malleyism has become a synonym for graft and kindred crimes throughout the country, and Judges are warning their Grand Juries from the bench against this monstrous evil, and urging the most vigorous action in the effort to wipe out such corruption. In this city we know by this time what it is and what it all means, and there can be no doubt that the forces of law and order have O'Malley and his crooked gang on the jump, and are kicking them at every step.

It took Jerome and Folk months and even years to make any material headway against the grafters and corruptionists in New York and St. Louis, but Whitaker has not yet been in office a month and yet all crookdom is paralyzed with terror. With a knowledge of what to do and how to do it, Inspector Whitaker, immediately upon assuming power, began to bring the crooks to justice with a suddenness and a vigor that was surprising. A number of grafters are already in jail, others have been fired from the police establishment, the lottery operators, gamblers, procrusts and others have been summarily jerked up before the courts and punished, the good work goes on daily.

Whitaker has already broken the backbone of O'Malleyism in New Orleans, and a watchful eye and a vigorous and relentless purpose, backed up by the support of the better classes, will soon rid the city of the last vestige of this disgraceful and degrading evil. Judge Cochran shows that he understands the menace and the evil

of having an O'Mally in his jurisdiction and his forceful and vigorous way of dealing with the evil will no doubt have the desired effect of making it quite unhealthful for such practices to be carried on in his district.

The people of New Orleans will watch with interest the fight which he has inaugurated for the purification of Meridian.—N. O. States.

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SECOND ANNUAL STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF THE STATE NATIONAL BANK, OF New Iberia, Louisiana.
At the end of the Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1905.

RESOURCES:
Loans and discounts, \$ 296,882.29
Overdrafts, 636.64
U. S. Bonds, 25,000.00
Premiums on Bonds, 1,375.00
Banking House F. & F., 12,500.00
5 p. c. Redemption Fund, 1,250.00
Cash, Cash Items and due by Banks, 44,993.04
\$ 352,636.67

LIABILITIES:
Capital Stock, \$100,000.00
Surplus, 7,000.00
Undivided Profits Net, 3,468.98
Circulation, 25,000.00
Deposit, 143,541.69
Unpaid Dividends, 4,128.00
Bills Payable, 60,000.00
\$352,636.67

H. E. SUBERBIELE, Cashier.
The usual semi-annual 4 per cent. dividend will be payable after July 1st.

NOTICE.

During the next thirty days or during the absence of the President Mr. J. W. Eckart, in the markets of the East, the business will be in charge of the Secretary Mr. W. J. Eckart.
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