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Cases of yellow fever in New Orleans at 6 P. M. Friday.

New cases	54
Total cases to date	432
Deaths	3
Total deaths to date	84
New Subjct	12
Total Subjct to date	66

THE QUARANTINE SITUATION.

Our Health Officers and Boards now seem to be in accord and are doing some first-class work co-operating with each other. The yellow fever situation is well in hand with a rigid quarantine and large force of guards, which are strengthened, many of our business men standing guard at night, thus showing their loyalty to their town and disposition to do their full duty. There are from forty to fifty guards on duty every night at every point of the town's approaches, so that a complete cordon is thrown around the City through which none can pass without satisfying the guards or by health certificates. All this good organization and administration come from the excellent management of Drs. J. Wofford Sanders, City Health Officer and W. J. Emmer, Parish Health Officer on whom the people are relying for protection, so far as mortal man can protect. We feel confident that New Iberia and Iberia Parish will escape entirely from the scourge of yellow fever.

DR. REED'S REPORT AND THE NEW ORLEANS TRADE.

We direct attention of our readers to the article on the first page of this Journal relating the experiments of Dr. Reed with mosquitoes in the City of Havana. A careful perusal by an unprejudiced mind will convince anyone of the absolute correctness of the theory of inoculation by mosquitoes, his arguments and practical experiments are unanswerable and should set aside all doubts and fears of those timid ones who refuse to receive the truth of this plain fact, that mosquitoes only carry the fever and not inanimate things. This being so, why should any of our merchants hesitate in purchasing and receiving goods from New Orleans. That is the great metropolis of the South and we are as much interested in its advancement and prosperity as though we lived there. Our friends and relatives are there doing business and we should not by our unfounded fears, contribute to their harm or disaster. The merchants of New Iberia should stand together in this matter and thus help to maintain and build up our own section, instead of giving away to senseless fear of an imagined calamity. Brace up. Stand firm. Show your friendship for your State by sending New Orleans merchants your orders and with them letters of encouragement and confidence.

PARISH BOARD OF HEALTH.

The Parish Board of Health met last Thursday, with president Dr. W. J. Emmer, presiding and Messrs. A. Goula and H. Bonita present. Salaries for guards were voted as follows: Guards on stand were allowed \$50.00 per month and train inspectors \$50.00 per month, day and night service. The following points are allowed guards: Jossierette, 4 guards; Lorraineville, 3 guards; Bayou Carlis, 2 guards; Delcambre, 2 guards; Burke, 1 guard; Sagara, 1 guard; Abbeville Junction, 1 guard; between New Iberia and Jossierette, 1 guard. An appropriation by the Police Jury of \$1500, was made to pay the above guards and inspectors.

THE CROPS.

The past week has been a most satisfactory one, no rain has fallen and the difference in the absence of the floods and indicated by the dry hot weather have improved a great deal. Cane is superb. Young corn has a fine color and is growing beautifully. Cotton is rapidly recovering from the long-expected spell, and begins to make a decidedly better appearance, blossoms and leaves being again numerous. Should the season from now on be favorable there will be considerable cotton harvested. The rice crop is excellent and is heading out in fine style. We hear of well developed heads of rice in length. Harvesting has begun, and in a week or ten days it will be general. A surplus of rice has already been shipped Mr. Louis Douglas. On the whole the outlook is quite favorable.

SHREWD DETECTIVE WORK BY SHERIFF HENDERSON.



Again has the peculiar detective talent of our Sheriff, Geo. Henderson been called into play, and again in a most singularly successful manner.

Our readers are familiar with the details of the attempted robbery and murderous assault upon Mrs. Emile Gajan at her country home shortly after midnight last Thursday. Mr. Henderson was phoned for at once and he responded with his usual alacrity. Arriving on the ground, there was nothing whatever in sight or the least clue upon which he could build a theory as to the criminals. But this, instead of discouraging, only incited the Sheriff to greater efforts and called forth all the Hawkshaw, Sherlock Holmes' nature in his make up, and with sleuth-like cunning he immediately got to work taking cognizance of the most insignificant actions and words, which put together and followed up as they directed, resulted in landing in jail of the culprits, who have confessed their crime. The first thing to do was to find out what negroes of the neighborhood had been out at the hour the crime was committed, or who had seen any at that time, visits to the numerous houses in the neighborhood and putting the inmates through a course of keen questioning, resulted in a clue, this came from a negro on the Gajan place who stated he had seen two negroes talking in front of the Gajan residence on the public road about eight o'clock that he did not know them, as it was so dark, while talking another negro rode up on a spotted, or calico horse, the rider he did not know, but he did know the horse belonged to a man who worked on Mr. Willie Newman's place.

The Sheriff immediately proceeded to Mr. Newman's house, who said the horse belonged to one Boy Green living on his place, and was then at work in the field. Arriving at the place where Green was working, the Sheriff asked Green if he owned the horse that was then standing near, which corresponded with the description of the "calico" horse. Green admitted the horse to be his and replying to the question said he had rode the horse into town that night and also stated that he had seen no one on the road while going. Sheriff Henderson at once placed the man under arrest and as the man was in wet field clothes, he asked permission to change, the Sheriff going with him to his house. While changing the Sheriff charged him with perjury in saying he met no one while riding to town. Green admitted that he did meet two men, viz Walter Shepard and Joseph Johnson, this was revelation indeed and after sending Green to New Iberia with instruction to keep him separate from all others, Mr. Henderson went after the negroes mentioned by Green. Walter Shepard was found and declared he had not been out of the house the night of the robbery.

NEW IBERIA'S HEALTH BOARDS.

"New Iberia can always be depended upon to furnish the season. She has three boards of health and all uncharismatic."—Shreveport Journal.

Our "sanitation" was short lived, for the good name of our people came in the news and we are now working in harmony and unity, so that not

previous, which statement was vociferously endorsed by his mother but the Sheriff's eagle eye saw the guilty one and placing him under arrest and sending him to jail by special deputy with the same instructions as previously given, he proceeded to the home of Joseph Johnson, who was discovered in the field, upon being asked his whereabouts the evening before he stated brazenly that he had not been from home, but with that instinct given to Mr. Henderson he could see the evidence of guilt in the man before him and at once arrested and brought him to the jail here and placed in a separate cell. Thus by ten o'clock of the next day or within ten hours after the attempted crime the brutal culprits were in jail. Such results could only be obtained through the eminent abilities as a detective of our worthy Sheriff. By some of the methods peculiar to Mr. Henderson, a party was brought in contact with the guilty one who succeeded in making him talk of the crime and who advised him to make a clean breast of it to the Sheriff. This he has done in the presence of good and competent witnesses and before Deputy Clerk of Court, Chas. L. Provost, which deposition we print herewith.

Again has Mr. Henderson shown his peculiar aptitude for the office to which the people elected him and again has he deserved the thanks for the efficiency and promptness in discharging his duty. Of all the Sheriff's of Iberia Parish, George Henderson stands at the head of the list, indeed this may also be said in regard to the whole State, as we doubt if he has a peer in Louisiana. It is with pride that we present to our readers his picture, whose strong features denote courage, ability, a man who inspires confidence and esteem by all who are so fortunate as to enjoy his acquaintance. The criminals will be given a speedy trial and receive the punishment they so richly deserve and which the people know will be quickly imposed by their officers in whom they have the greatest confidence. We have here appended the deposition of Walter Shepard:

State of Louisiana, Parish of Iberia.

I, Walter Shepard, being duly sworn, say:

Q. What night did you and Joseph Johnson meet Robert Green?

A. Wednesday night.

Q. Where did you meet him?

A. In front of Mr. Naco Bayard's place.

Q. What time of night was that?

A. About 8 o'clock.

Q. When you and Joseph left Green where did you go?

A. We came on back toward town and stopped by my house by a hackberry tree, and about 11 o'clock we went back down the road.

Q. How far down the road did you go?

A. We went to Mr. Emile Gajan's place.

Q. What did you do when you and Joe went there?

A. We got on Mr. Gajan's gallery and pulled at the door, and we walked in the house and looked in the room where the lady was lying down in the left hand room coming to town. When we got in the house we looked around in the hall and the lady screamed, and we ran out of the house through the back hall door. I ran to the bayou and met him and we then went to the road and then parted; I went to my house and he left me and went across the bayou.

Q. Did you or Joseph put your hands on Mrs. Gajan?

A. I can't say, I was in the hall near the door and Joseph was in the room near the bed and when she screamed, that is when we ran out.

I make this confession of my own free will, and this is the same statement I made to Sheriff Henderson on Sunday morning, the 30th day of this month.

WALTER SHEPARD.

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THE PLAQUEMINE LOCKS.

We received a visit this week from Mr. Gus Jones, of Plaquemine, who is the pilot of the Government launch "Stadia," used by J. L. Conklin, Chief U. S. Engineer in charge of the construction of the Plaquemine Locks. Mr. Jones is a very intelligent gentleman and has been on this work for a long time, and gave us the status of the work. The immense Gates have just been hung and are being painted. The filling in around the walls has commenced and the dredging is still being progressed day and night. The Penn Bridge Company of Beaver Falls is doing the iron work—using both day and night forces.

Much excavating will yet have to be done which will be the principal cause of delay. Mr. Jones thinks at least two years will yet be required to accomplish the work and open the Locks for business.

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The decision of the U. S. War Department to retain the troops at New Orleans during the present outbreak of fever is direct and convincing testimony of the efficacy of the mosquito treatment as applied to the one time dreaded scourge. The experiments of Surgeons Reed, Guiteras, Carroll, Gorgas, Carter, Finlay of the U. S. Marine Hospital and several eminent scientists of Central America have demonstrated beyond the question of a doubt that to the agency of the Stegomyia or striped daylight mosquito, breeding in cisterns and clear stagnant water, is due the yellow fever. The education of the people of the South to this fact will speedily remove the threat of quarantines as at present carried on and restore the general confidence in the ability of simple methods to stamp out fever when it is brought into any of the Southern states. The story of Major Reed's experiments in Cuba reads like a novel, yet these experiments have convinced medical authorities the world over as to the wonderful truth and complete revolution of the theory and prevention of yellow fever. Meanwhile the authorities, aided by the citizens are exterminating the mosquito at New Orleans in a wonderfully rapid manner. The report of Dr. Reed is published on our first page.

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SUCCESSION OF ACHILLE LAMBEY, DEC'D.

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Notice is therefore hereby given to all whom it may or doth concern, to show cause, if any they have, within ten days from service hereof, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted. Witness the Hon. James Simon, Judge of the 19th Judicial District Court, this 20th day of July A. D. 1900.

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A WORD TO HOUSE INSPECTORS.

While there is nothing more impractical than getting frightened, it is the plain duty of all good citizens to conform completely to instructions given regarding sanitation, etc. In every neighborhood there is always a few "foolish virgins" who neglect to provide themselves with the requisite oil, etc., until the "door is shut." The public officers should attend to such pre-occupied people, and charge them well for the work. The inertia of a few, can endanger the health of the whole community, also the standard of cleanliness varies in nationalities and previous conditions. There are some houses in very good neighborhoods, where from front door to back yard, from floor to ceiling there is not a thoroughly clean spot. A piece of soap on the end of the nozzle of a fire hose and used freely might begin the good work. Our inspectors are too polite to be thorough. In many instances they slip to the front door, have a chat with the lady of the house, saying it is not necessary to go further, everything looks up to the standard. The back yard is the place to judge of the sanitary condition under the kitchen windows, etc. While the front may be in the style of Queen Ann, the back is frequently crazy Jane. There are any number of our kitchen occupants "who clean their fish and poultry" leaning out of the kitchen window, leaving the result fall where it will, and remain festering in the sun, and such delinquents are not always black. If the present unpleasantness will be the means of teaching the community the sanitary habit in the back of the house and yard, in the kitchen, under the kitchen, as well as in the rest of the establishment, it will not be in vain. Make the inspectors understand that there is a sacred war for exterminating dirt and thereby protect all the people from the present gruesome intruder in our fair land.

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