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ALLEN DAIGRE INSTANTLY KILLED.

One of the most deplorable and tragic accidents to occur in New Iberia for many years was that of last Thursday evening when the life of young Allen Daigre, the youngest son of our esteemed fellow-citizen Mr. Aristide Daigre was stricken out, through an automobile accident. The other occupant of the car, Mr. Samuel Brooks, a newcomer, managed to save his life, receiving only a few bruises though he was knocked into unconsciousness for a few minutes. The sad catastrophe occurred when the two parties were on Ann Street which is paralleled by a nasty canal some twelve to fifteen feet deep in many places. It seems the parties had driven the machine on this particular street and when reaching Charles Street where the sewerage is being laid concluded to make a turn, backing to the home of Mr. Dorval Tullier and in some unaccountable manner Mr. Daigre who was at the driving wheel became confused and placed one of his feet on the accelerator instead of the break and the car took a plunge and turned completely over into the dangerous precipice. Both of the men were pinioned under the machine down in the gully. From what we were informed, Mr. Tullier and Mr. John Bogard were the first to realize what had taken place and they gave the alarm thinking it was Dr. Fulton, who also resides in that neighborhood that had fallen into the canal with his large car. Phone messages were sent out from the home of Mrs. Cammack asking for assistance to extricate the occupants from the machine and many who responded felt certain it was Dr. Fulton. When Mr. Brooks was pulled from underneath the heavy Premier car he made it known that it was Mr. Daigre and not Dr. Fulton who was with him. By the time sufficient help arrived to lift the heavy weight off of the unfortunate young man life was almost extinct. Within a few minutes after he was taken out and placed in the yard of Mrs. Cammack, when he died without uttering a syllable. The accident happened about 6:30 o'clock and by seven there must have been two hundred people assembled there to render assistance. The big Premier machine had just arrived from New Orleans the same morning, being driven from that city to New Iberia for Mr. Brooks by Meyer Metayer, Jr. and Raoul Jaque-mou. In the afternoon Mr. Brooks started out to make a trial run and when reaching the lower portion of Main Street Mr. Daigre got in to give him assistance and they ran the car on down the road until reaching Ann Street which they entered and the accident occurred.

The sad misfortune cast a gloom over the entire community. Mr. Daigre was held in high esteem, and leaves to mourn his demise besides his grief-stricken father and mother, one sister, Mrs. C. O. Babin of New Orleans and Mr. Joe Daigre now at Camp Pike, Ark. He was a member of the Elks Lodge, the Woodmen of the World and the Traveler's Protective Association. The funeral will be conducted from St. Peter's Catholic church this afternoon at four o'clock.

CLIP THIS AND PIN ON WIFE'S DRESSER

Cincinnati man tells how to shrive up corns or calluses so they lift off with fingers.

Oh! I'll tell you this kind of rough talk will be heard less here in town if people troubled with corns will follow the simple advice of this Cincinnati authority, who claims that a few drops of a drug called *Freemore* when applied to a tender, swelling corn or hardened callus stops corn-weep at once, and soon the corn or callus dries up and lifts right off without pain. He says *Freemore* dries immediately and never inflames or even irritates the surrounding skin. A small bottle of *Freemore* will cost very little at any drug store, but will positively remove every hard or soft corn or callus from one's feet. Millions of American women will welcome this announcement since the transportation of the high heels. If your druggist doesn't have *Freemore* tell him to order a small bottle for you. (Advertisement.)

IS DEMOCRACY WORTH WHILE.

The half million volunteer members of the Food Pledge Enrollment organization who will during the week of October 28 to November 4 visit every household in America and endeavor to have every family of the nation register for food conservation are as truly a supply division as that half million which will stand back of the American army in Europe and see that the soldiers' rations reach them on the line and in the trenches. America must send to Europe the food on which our allies subsist while they fight with us the war for democracy, or the war will be lost. We have plenty; they hover on the brink of starvation. Food will win the war; the lack of it will lose the war.

We have plenty if we choose to send it. But we can not send it unless we take concerted action to gather it and make it available. And we can send only certain kinds of food—those that concentrate the most nutritive value into the least shipping space. Wheat, beef, pork, dairy products, sugar; these we must send. Seventy per cent of our people, Herbert Hoover says, live on so economical a margin that it is impossible for them to save any food in the ordinary acceptance of the term. The other thirty per cent of us are food wasters to a greater or less degree and they must eliminate that waste or be responsible for increasing the difficulty of the fight for freedom in the world. But all of us can help to amass the store of food that must be sent to our allies if their armies and ours are to win. We can do this by eating less of the foods that we must send to Europe and more of those that we have in abundance. We must substitute other cereals for wheat; poultry and fish for meat; vegetable oils so far as possible for butter and lard; syrups for sugar, and eat freely potatoes, fruits and fresh vegetables.

That is the gospel which the Food Administration is reaching to, a democratic nation. It is endeavoring to persuade Americans to do by democratic methods what never before in history has been done except by autocratic methods. Food control by ukase, by command from above, is a comparatively simple matter. Food control from below, by the voluntary decision of the individuals of the nation, is a far more difficult accomplishment. When the United States succeeds in doing this, we shall have proved that the ideal on which our Government is based is sound. If we should fail we would prove that for such a crisis as the world now faces only the methods of autocracy are effective. Democracy would be exposed as a failure in the supreme test. Can we prove that democracy is safe for the world?

The half million Food Pledge Campaigners who have volunteered to gain the allegiance of the twenty-two million families of the nation to this standard of American ideals are workers for a world cause, and every American man and woman who perceives what lies behind the simple pledge "to carry out the directions and advice of the Food Administration in my own home, in so far as my circumstances permit," will be ready and eager to sign when the Food Pledge solicitor offers the pledge card.

Deafness Cannot Be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by restoring the hearing to the normal condition. Deafness is caused by an abnormal condition of the hearing nerve, and when it is entirely cured, deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation is taken out and the tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever. This case out of ten are cured by *Cherney's*, which is selling in all the principal cities of the United States. We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness cured by *Cherney's* that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for brochure, free. F. J. CHERNEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists. This is the Family Pill for constipation.

Notice to Applicants for Teachers' Certificates.

The next regular examination of applicants for teachers' certificates will be held November 5, 6, 7, (white), and November 8, 9, 10, (negro.) The examination of white applicants will be conducted in the New Iberia High School, and will begin promptly at nine o'clock A. M. each day. The examination of colored applicants will be held in the New Iberia Colored School, and will begin promptly at nine o'clock A. M. each day. L. A. WALET, Supt.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE POLICE JURY OF THE PARISH OF IBERIA.

New Iberia, Oct. 25, 1917. The Police Jury of the Parish of Iberia, in pursuance to a call by its President, A. A. Theriot, met this day in special session with the following members present, to-wit:

Messrs. Gary, Gonsoulin, Derouen, Dietlein, Erath, Miguez and Moresi.

Absent: Messrs. Romero, Descur, Theriot and McGowan.

Owing to the absence of Mr. Theriot, Mr. Dietlein presided.

Following is the call:

New Iberia, La., Oct. 22, 1917. Dear Sir—You are respectfully requested to be present at a special meeting of the Police Jury of the Parish of Iberia, to be held by order of the President, October 25th, 1917 at two o'clock P. M. for the purpose of

First—Accepting or rejecting an Ordinance of the Police Jury appointing three Road District Commissioners for Road District No. 4 of the Parish of Iberia.

Second—Opening of the bids for Bond Issue of \$60,000.00 for the Road District No. 4 of the Parish of Iberia.

Your attendance is absolutely necessary.

Yours very truly, (Signed) PAUL BASSIN, Secretary.

The above call mailed to every member of the Police Jury of the Parish of Iberia, Oct. 22d, 1917.

Relative to the first matter included in the call, Mr. Adrien Gonsoulin presented a list of the taxpayers of the Road District No. 4 of the Parish of Iberia, requesting that Messrs. Guy A. Shaw, Jules Pellet and Edgar Oubre be appointed Road Supervisors for the Road District No. 4.

Owing to an insufficient number of signatures on said list it was moved by Mr. Gonsoulin, seconded by Mr. Gary and carried that said list be returned to the taxpayers of the Road District No. 4 and that the necessary number of signatures be added to the present list and when completed returned to this body for consideration.

In connection with the second matter included in the call, owing to the fact that no bids were presented to the Police Jury for consideration, the secretary is hereby requested to enter in communication with Mr. Favrot, legal adviser in the matter of Road Districts, and request information about re-advertising for bids.

There being no further business, on motion of Mr. Miguez, seconded by Mr. Gary and carried the meeting adjourned.

FRITZ DIETLEIN, President Pro Tem. PAUL BASSIN, Secretary-Treasurer.

LIST OF MEN ORDERED TO REPORT TO THIS LOCAL BOARD FOR MILITARY DUTY.

And for Transportation to the Mobilization Camp at Camp Pike, Arkansas.

The following named men are hereby ordered to report at the office of this Local Board for military duty and for transportation to a mobilization camp. The time they must report is 9:30 A. M. on the 28th day of October, 1917:

- Clarence Joseph.
- Martin Gabriel.
- Thomas Smith.
- James Luckett.
- Manuel Kately.
- McKinley Frank.
- Talmadge Foreman.
- Walter Charles.
- Pierre Mitchell.
- Earl Lovett.
- John Freeman.
- Joseph Wilfred.

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Under date of Oct. 21, 1917, J. W. Clark, Lafayette, Ala., R. F. D. No. 4, writes: "I have been using Granger Liver Regulator for my family purposes and find it to be a fine family remedy which has saved numerous doctor's bills. I always keep it in my house and would not be without it. Sold by druggists, 25c a bottle. Get all bottles." Granger Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn. (Advertisement.)

"THE MOON IN PLANT LIFE."

The article mentioned by our reader was an extract which went through print uncredited to the author, and as we did not pen it, we do not care to leave our valued reader under a false impression.—Editor.

Cincinnati, Oct. 23, 1917. Editor Enterprise, New Iberia, La.:

Dear Sir—I am and long have been a subscriber and reader of that prized paper, in which I recently saw and carefully read, an article on "The Moon in Plant Life," in which you state in different ways, your strong belief that the moon exerts a profound influence upon all animate things, including man and all plant life, every moment of both day and night, and that it is important whether crops are planted and hogs are killed in the light or dark of the moon.

I think that theories and beliefs, whether in favor of or opposed to such beliefs, do not count, but that facts do count. Let me state one such fact:

When I was a boy about fifteen years old, I was sent to plant potatoes in a town lot we owned that had been plowed, harrowed and furrowed ready for that planting, and I was about to begin doing that, when a kindly neighbor, who lived just across the street and owned an exactly similar lot of same size as ours, came to me across that street and told me that I ought not to plant my potatoes that day because it was the wrong sign of the moon, and that therefore the potatoes would all grow to tops and few or no potatoes, and that he intended to plant his in that adjacent lot of his, in the right sign of the moon. I told him that I did not believe the moon would have any influence or effect on the crop, and he strongly said it would. I replied that that would be a good time to test this, as I would plant mine that day, and suggested that, as he was going to plant the same kind I was, he plant in his favorite time of the moon, cultivate them well, etc. and that on each day he hoed his or cut weeds, etc. in his lot, I would do the same thing in our lot, that we should do all other things to and about them, including the digging of them and would each carefully measure them and see which of us would get the most and best potatoes. He agreed, and we each did as we agreed.

There was no difference worth considering, in the amount and quality of our potatoes, nor in the size and appearance of our potato vines nor in any other respect.

Respectfully, FLORIEN GIAUQUE.

JEANERETTE MAYOR MOURNED IN IBERIA.

Hon. John M. Durocher, mayor of our sister town of Jeanerette, and for many years a notable figure in the local politics of Iberia parish, died at his residence Monday morning following a brief illness, at the age of 56 years. A native of Jeanerette, his efforts were devoted to the interest of his town. He was first elected marshal of the town in May, 1889, and was instrumental in ending the depredations of a lawless set that had for years infested the town.

In 1906 he was elected mayor and in this capacity served faithfully and well to the time of his death. Mayor Durocher was a generous big hearted citizen and his death is mourned widely in Iberia parish.

The funeral services were conducted from the Catholic church Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Mr. Durocher was a member of Council No. 1425, Knights of Columbus of that city. The members attended the funeral in a body.

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No Hunting or Trespassing.

October 13th, 1917. Notice is given that all parties caught hunting or in any wise trespassing upon any of my lands on the East Side of the Teche in the 6th Ward will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law. ERNEST BERARD, SR.

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