

PERSONAL BUT POLITE

Mr. Mullins was here with his family Sunday.

Mrs. Stirling Clack is a guest at E. J. Barrow's.

Miss Lella Ball was at home for the week-end.

M. S. Taylor made a trip to New Orleans, this week.

Mrs. John F. Irvine returned Saturday from a city trip.

H. T. Pye returned from North Louisiana at the week-end.

Mrs. Elrie Robinson spent Saturday afternoon in Baton Rouge.

Miss Rosalie Richardson spent the week-end in Baton Rouge.

Miss Lintot Williams spent the week-end with Miss Anna May Connell.

Miss Lillie Loup from Pointe Coupee is the guest of Mrs. Chas. Tadlock.

Capt. Bennett Barrow was here Sunday.

Mrs. Wood of New Orleans has concluded a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Barrow.

Miss Margie Duty has been spending the week on the hill with Mrs. S. L. Riggs.

Miss Sallie Raynham is selling toilet preparations of the California Perfumery Co.

Miss Katie Haralson came from Natchez, Saturday, to visit her sister, Mrs. H. M. Williams.

D. I. Norwood spent Sunday here with his family, finding Mrs. Norwood better from her recent illness.

Mr. Harry Levy of St. Rose and Chicago is here buying truck for his firm.

Miss Bessie Schlesinger arrived from Mobile, Sunday, to enjoy a vacation of some length with relatives here.

Mrs. Arthur Coco of Avoyelles, formerly Miss Sadie Leet of Bayou Sara, is expected to visit her home, this week.

Mrs. Wes Rely and Mrs. Aldrich of Wilhelm came to town last Friday afternoon in order to attend the penny party, leaving on night train.

Mr. Clay Elliott of Amite was here, Saturday, in the interests of his candidacy for judge of the Court of Appeals.

Rev. J. B. Fulton left early for his Sunday appointment at New Hope, in order to make pastoral visits in the neighborhood.

Miss Odille Chisholm and a girl friend from Woodville were guests at W. H. Richardson's on Sunday. Mr. Harry Wood bringing them down in his car.

Mr. Morris Wolf returned to New Orleans Saturday after a short business stay here. He and Mrs. Wolf sail for Europe on the next trip of the Imperator.

Mrs. Ruffin Barrow of Baton Rouge passed through on train, going to Woodville, where her small son, Alston, while visiting Mrs. Henry Johnson, developed measles.

Mr. T. D. Bickham, Miss Edith Bickham and Miss Dora Harvey leave Sunday for Lafayette, La., to be present at the closing exercises of the State Industrial Institute at that place, as Miss Effie Bickham will then receive her diploma.

ABSENT FRIENDS

Miss Carmel Davis left Tuesday morning for Mansfield, La., on a visit to her friend, Miss Iler, after which she will spend a month with her brother, Mr. Seth Davis, in Baton Rouge.—Woodville Republican.

Miss Helen Moore Argue of Woodville will graduate at Silliman Institute. The exercises cover May 22d to 26th.

Friends here learn that J. N. Anglin has been called to his old home in Weston, W. Va., on account of the death of his father. Mr. Anglin has been teaching this session at Hornbeck, La.

PERSONALS FROM THE JACKSON RECORD.

Hugh Gilmore is enjoying a vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Gilmore.

Miss Cecille Bowman has been spending a while with Miss Irma Mattingly.

Mr. Fernandez of New Orleans was recently the guest of Mr. and Mrs. James Bowman of West Feliciana.

Miss Eloise Bell was the guest of her mother, Mrs. E. A. Bell, last week, and with her attended the barbecue at the Farm Colony.

Mr. Valcour Leet and Miss Mary Didon, both of Bayou Sara, were married Thursday, May 14, 1914, at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. J. Didon, by James H. Logan, magistrate. Both are worthy young people and their friends heartily wish them well.

Edward J. Sower, Norwood; Mrs. Mary I. B. Thibodaux, Bayou Sara, and Miss Jane L. Argue, Laurel Hill, La., are among those placed on the classified list of 4th class postmasters, May 7.

CHURCH NOTICES

GRACE CHURCH.
Rev. Alvin W. Skardon, Rector.
Sunday after Ascension—
Holy Communion, 7:30 a. m.
Sunday School, 9:30 a. m.
Morning Prayer and Sermon, 11:00 o'clock.
Friday—
Litany, 9 o'clock.

METHODIST CHURCH.
Rev. J. B. Fulton.
REGULAR SERVICES.
1st Sunday, St. Francisville 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.
2nd Sunday, Star Hill 11 a. m., and St. Francisville 7:30 p. m.
3rd Sunday, Wilhelm 11 a. m., and St. Francisville 7:30 p. m.
4th Sunday, New Hope 11 a. m., and St. Francisville 7:30 p. m.
Sunday School every Sunday morning at 9:45.

The farmers at Star Hill are busy as bees, gathering oats and shipping cabbage. They have made good crops. The oats are believed to be as heavy, though not so tall, as usual. Their Irish potato crop was good. They will put that land in corn, and the outfields in sweet potatoes. Two crops a year on same land beats cotton.

Insurance of every description is written by Mrs. W. T. Forrester. Give her your patronage. (Adv.)

Mr. A. S. Leonard, P. C. C., is attending the Grand Lodge of Pythians in Bogalusa, representing Bayou Sara Lodge No. 15. Mrs. J. R. Davidson is also there to represent the local chapter of Pythian Sisters.

A branch of the Farmers' Society of Equity was organized at Star Hill, Saturday, with nine members. F. F. Harvey was elected president; R. P. Harvey, vice-president, and Ruffin Daniel, secretary and treasurer. It was decided that it was too late to make arrangements through the society for handling the Irish potato crop, but that for sweet potatoes the first trial would be made.

The Original Club was entertained by Mrs. Cheston Folkes Wednesday of last week, and though it was only a business meeting, the cordiality of the hostess and the congeniality of the membership made the occasion worth remembering. The club is planning a picnic very soon to which the public generally will be invited.

Rev. Mr. Riggs has shipped for himself alone, 360 bushels of Irish potatoes, this season. It shows that a person can make good as a farmer also.

The deposits at the Farmers and Merchants Bank reached the \$28,000 mark this week.

SCHOOL NOTES.

Misses Lillie Tooraen and Amy Leake made 100 on the final test in spelling.

The entire senior class, composed of Misses Josie Binning, Mamie Cutrer, Lillian Daniel, Pearl Harvey, Beulah Smith, Lillie Tooraen, and Mr. Wm. J. Fort Jr., have passed their examinations, and are receiving congratulations. Commencement exercises take place at Pythian Hall, next Friday night, May 29.

"The Faculty and The Navigators of the Louisiana State Normal" have issued invitations to the graduation exercises, Thursday, May 28, 1914, Natchitoches, La. Miss Edwina Raynham favors our household with an invitation. She and Miss Margaret Stirling are candidates for graduation in the literary and domestic science courses respectively. We extend congratulations and good wishes.

Miss Effie Bickham remembers us with an invitation to commencement at the Southwestern Louisiana Industrial Institute, May 26. She is a candidate for graduation in the academic industrial course. May all success be hers.

Mr. and Mrs. Riley Thoms have a fine baby son, born May 20.

ROGILLIOVILLE NOTES.

Mr. Eugene Spillman returned from Hammond Thursday.

Mr. Osa Hammond was in this neighborhood Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Peterson spent Friday very pleasantly with their daughter, Mrs. George Lee of Jackson.

Mr. J. E. Peterson of Jackson made a business trip to Mr. L. C. Spillman's Saturday.

A dance at Mrs. S. McQueen's was enjoyed by a number of young folks last Friday night.

Mr. O. L. Spillman of Alice was a pleasant caller at his grandfather's, J. J. Spillman, Tuesday evening.

IRENE.

TRUCK SHIPMENTS.

Six cars of cabbage and fourteen of potatoes have been shipped from Bayou Sara, this week, making a total of eleven cars of cabbage and twenty-two of potatoes for the past two weeks. Besides this, two cars of cabbage and two of potatoes were shipped from Baines Station, this week. J. D. Wood is also shipping potatoes from Wilhelm, but we have been unable to learn the number of cars forwarded from that place.

Cabbage is still bringing 75c per crate. Potatoes opened on Monday at \$1.00 per bushel, but declined gradually to 75c. The sales of the week will average about 90c.

Two hundred hampers of beans were shipped by express this week, bringing the total of this commodity up to 250 hampers for the season. Beans are bringing from 90c to \$1 per hamper.

The growers are doing remarkably well on potatoes, and several exceptional yields have been reported. M. J. Daniel is reported as having produced 750 bushels on 10 acres, which he disposed of at \$1 per bushel. S. L. Riggs and Armstead Kilbourne each produced 120 bushels to the acre on a two-acre crop. Chris Metz is reported to have averaged 140 bushels to the acre, but is not selling.

SENIORS COMPLIMENTED.

The pupils of the high school grades have issued invitations for a dance at Pythian Hall Monday evening, May 25, in honor of the Senior Class. The invitations are prettily decorated with the school pennant, painted in colors, by Miss Castleberry, the art teacher. The young people are all paired, and a merry time is anticipated.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Bliss became the happy parents of a son, on May 17th, whom they have named William Barrow for her father. Mrs. Barrow arrived from Ruston on Tuesday to make the acquaintance of her grandson.

You can get prompt delivery by parcel post on all furnishing goods bought from E. A. Laboye, Baton Rouge. (Adv.)

The Louisiana State University favors us with a card to its closing events May 29 through June 1.

GOOD MEN LET OUT.

As a result of the physical examination given employees of the Y. & M. V. R. R. at this place several weeks ago, a few valuable men in the service on the Woodville Branch have been relieved of duty, as it is claimed, they can not measure up to the standard set by the Railroad Company.

Norman Thoms, section foreman at Bayou Sara for the past five years, and with a clean record, is among those affected by this new order of things. He was relieved from duty yesterday by a Mr. Day. Mr. Thoms has one defective eye.

Engineer Ed Steeger, who pulls the mixed train on the branch, has also been relieved on account of one defective eye. Mr. Steeger has been in the employ of the company for twenty-five years and is considered to be one of the most careful engineers in the employ of the road.

Both Messrs. Thoms and Steeger possessed slight defects in their eyesights when they entered the employ of the road. Since then, however, they have grown no worse, and it seems indeed hard for them to lose their positions on account of conditions recently imposed, after they have given long years of faithful service.

We understand the section foreman at Slaughter and some engineers on the main line have also been discharged for the same reason.

Mayor Logan of Bayou Sara has written to the officials of the Louisiana Railway and Navigation Company reminding them of their pledge to put an iron bridge with iron piers over the roadway, crossing Bayou Sara, to replace the wooden one, supported by wooden piers. The latter is not so secure, and the wooden supports block the road and are subject to knocks and jars tending to insecurity and danger. It will be remembered that the company in obtaining its right of way through Bayou Sara made a promise to furnish a strong bridge with iron piers, that would not obstruct or endanger traffic. So far, they have not done so, though reminded from time to time.

Mr. Logan is making another effort in giving the company another chance before resorting to the more extreme measure of putting it before the Railroad Commission.

FISCHER-KEENAN NUPTIALS.

Mrs. Florence Barrow Fischer has issued invitations to the marriage of her daughter, Florence May, to Mr. Seymour Wheeler Keenan, Wednesday evening, June 10, 1914, at 8 o'clock, Trinity Church, New Orleans.

C. M. Downs was in Baton Rouge, Thursday.

Rev. Mr. Tennin of Slaughter will preach at the Chaney Creek Baptist Church, Sunday morning.

"THE BURGLAR MAN"
Friday Night, May 22.

By SENIOR CLASS.
Chorus.
ACT I.
Intermission.
Dancing—Rosie Tempel, C. B. McGuire, Alma Rogers, Almada Hodge.
Recitation—Margaret Barrow.
ACT II.
Japanese drill—Seniors.
Mrs. J. L. Golsan, pianist; Felix Braud, drummer.
Intermission.
Recitation—Miss Amy Leake.
ACT III.
Characters—
Mrs. Bluff—Miss Mamie Cutrer.
Billy Bluff—Miss Josie Binning.
Liza Wantman—Miss Mary Hamilton.
Bess Lagbehind—Miss Lillian Daniel.
Dorothy Doolittle—Miss Lillie Tooraen.
Eva Otherwise—Miss Pearl Harvey.
Carrie Cheerup—Miss Beulah Smith.
Susan Telltale—Miss Mamie Cutrer.
Pat Onlyman—Mr. Willie Fort.

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NOT THE SAME ARK.

A Methodist bishop in the Northwest tells of a conversation he once had with a Wyoming man touching certain difficulties of the latter's religious tenets.

"Bishop," said this naive Westerner, "I do not refuse to believe the story of the ark. I can accept the ark's great size, its odd shape, and the vast number of animals it contained; but when I am asked to believe that the children of Israel carried this unwieldy thing for forty years in the wilderness I must confess that my faith breaks down."—Harper's Monthly.

Don't put a barbed wire fence around your own sensitive spots and insist that others have bars down.

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FORMER WEST FELICIANA GIRL GRADUATES.

Miss Mildred E. Tenney of Tenaha, Tex., invites us to attend the graduation exercises of her class, at Sam Houston Normal Institute, Huntsville, Texas, May 25-26, 1914.

PICNIC IS BIG SUCCESS.

Feliciana Record:

The annual Farm Colony May day picnic on Thursday, May 14, was the crowning success of these yearly gatherings, instituted by Dr. Clarence Pierson, Superintendent of the Louisiana Hospital for the Insane. It was a representative gathering of men who stand for the best interests of our state. Special trains passing from New Orleans and Baton Rouge, made it possible for many prominent people to enjoy the day and contribute to the splendid success which was attained. A beautiful day and the unusual variety and excellence of the basket dinner served, made the large crowd comfortable. The various agricultural departments of the Farm Colony and the new buildings, improved grounds, and varieties of fine live stock furnished objects of interest and education. Everything was done by the administration of the Institution to add to the pleasure of the day.

Mr. John M. Parker spoke on Rural Credits; Mr. Eagan, general manager of the Y. & M. V. R. R. made an address on Transportation; N. S. Parks of the I. C. R. R. and Dr. Dondell, surgeon general of the Illinois Central, both made interesting addresses. The L. S. U. band and students from Baton Rouge were in attendance. The dance in the colony building entertained young and old. Many from the two Felicianas were there to enjoy the day.

The new building for the criminal insane is completed and will shortly be occupied. The peculiar fitness for this branch of the work is attested in its architecture and equipment, which is most modern.



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PENNY BIRTHDAY PARTY.

As was intimated would be the case, Mrs. Riggs afforded the Woman's Home Missionary Society and their friends a pleasant time indeed at the birthday party, last Friday evening. The rooms were decorated tastefully with cut flowers, pot plants and the feathery rods of the bamboo. Quite a large number came, and handed to Mrs. J. C. Storm as door-keeper, the secret number of pennies that tallied with the number of their birthdays. That candor prevailed is shown by the fact that \$23.40 were received in this manner.

A short, pleasing program was presented. Miss Belle Tempel played a piano solo, Miss Amy Leake told the story of "A Sisterly Scheme," and Mrs. Hodge sang a solo, with Messrs. Hodge and Farr joining in the chorus. Mrs. Hodge has a soprano voice of sweetness, range and power, and being very obliging she sang several songs to the delight of her audience.

Fruit punch and cake were then served, and the remainder of the evening was passed in acting and guessing charades.

The fund has since grown to \$24.00, which has been expended for needed furniture at the parsonage.

Mail orders for gents furnishing goods and clothing receive prompt attention when sent to E. A. Laboye, Baton Rouge. (Adv.)

WAKEFIELD NEWS.

The Wakefield school painting was completed last Saturday. The work was very nicely done. Thanks to the painters.

Mr. R. G. Stirling spent Monday in Baton Rouge.

Miss M. C. Mumford was in town Friday and Saturday.

Miss Elsworth and little Camilla Stirling visited at Pecan Grove Saturday.

Miss Fannie Dampf and her little sister are spending a while in Woodville.

Mr. R. H. Stirling went to Baton Rouge Monday.

Miss Anna Barrow returned to New Orleans Sunday.

Mrs. L. J. Davis and Miss Lulle Davis left Saturday for a week's visit to Mrs. Shelby S. Reid in Amite.

Mr. S. A. Wildblood went to Baton Rouge Tuesday.

Mr. Chas. Argue made a business trip to Baton Rouge Wednesday.

The Improvement League met last Wednesday to complete plans for the lawn social.

The high school Seniors present their original play, "The Burglar Man," to-night (Friday.) Those, who have seen it in rehearsal, pronounce it a bright, catchy play and very entertaining. Songs and recitations by other pupils complete the program. The proceeds will be devoted to the library fund. Admission, 25 cents.