

Personal But Polite

Harry Daniel is visiting in McComb, Miss.

Miss Louise Butler has returned to The Cottage.

Mrs. T. H. Daigre has been very ill all week.

Mr. and Mrs. B. I. Barrow were in town, Monday.

Miss Ladye Quinn was in Baton Rouge for the day Saturday.

Mr. J. P. Bowman is better again, much to the relief of his friends.

Miss Ella Remondet has returned from spending two weeks in New Orleans.

Mrs. Moise Conrad has joined Mr. Conrad, who has a government position at Merroux.

Mr. A. D. Percy continues very low at his country home near Weyanoke. His death is only a question of time.

Mr. O. H. Breidenbach is expected to come up after the Principals' Convention to make friends here a short visit.

Dr. John Leake of New Orleans came up and spent Sunday with his uncle, Mr. Jas. R. Leake. Feltus Leake was there on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Garnett Howell were here between trains, Sunday. Mrs. Howell enjoyed her stay in central Louisiana very much.

Mrs. Warren Ard has returned from a visit to Olive Branch, where her daughter has recently moved, having previously resided in this parish.

Mr. Bliss spent Thursday and Friday in Baton Rouge at the convention of High School Principals. Supt. Crump took charge at the high school in his absence.

Miss Ella Daniel is spending the week-end with Mrs. Bob Daniel. The latter with her children will go to Baton Rouge Saturday afternoon to do some Christmas shopping.

Mrs. E. S. Muse was called to Baton Rouge by the illness of her little niece, child of Mr. and Mrs. Wade Buquoi. The little one has pneumonia. Mrs. Muse returned Monday night, Mr. Muse going down for her.

Mrs. Monroe Daniel and Mrs. Walter Maryman accompanied Miss Cayrett as far as Baton Rouge, when she left for her home at Scott, La. Miss Cayrett made a visit of some length, which was much enjoyed by her friends here.

Rev. R. V. Fulton of Greensburg was here the first of the week to visit his mother, daughter and other relatives. He and his brother, Rev. J. B. Fulton, left Tuesday for annual State Conference.

PERSONALS FROM THE JACKSON RECORD.

Miss Emma Robb returned on Saturday to take up her duties in her school.

Miss Fannie Ard and Mr. Hugh Connell were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Smith.

Mr. W. W. Weldon of Allemands is this week in Jackson, his old home, enjoying some hunting with Mr. Robt. Connell.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Henderson have moved to Jackson and are occupying the home of Mrs. C. A. Smith. Mr. and Mrs. Smith have moved over on Mrs. Smith's place in West Feliciana.

Misses Lary and Tragsdorf, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Connell and Messrs. Geo. McCrea and Roy Moody had a delightful hunt on Saturday in West Feliciana, near the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Carney. The party took their lunch and spent most of the short day, returning with fifty-two birds. They were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Connell for a fine bird supper.

Absent Friends

Mr. Wm. Town Sr. of Mansfield has been very ill of appendicitis, but it is hoped now that he will be able to recover without an operation.

The little five year old son of Mr. J. Stirling Clark of Plettenberg, Malcolm, on Sunday shot his little brother, Edenborn, aged three. The child was hit in the leg. Malcolm got his father's shotgun, and loaded it as he had seen his father do. He says he put it on a chair and jumped on it to "break" it. The ball passed the child's leg, inflicting a deep flesh wound, and making a big hole in the wall beyond. Little Edenborn is doing nicely and does not seem to mind his wound at all.

G. L. Plettinger's half-acre in cauliflower, although the season was unfavorable and a poor stand resulted, is making good. He shipped out some Friday morning, in response to a telephone order from Natchez. All say that the cauliflower is the best they ever tasted.

It was known, Sunday, that Mrs. Fred Bauman had developed diphtheria. Anti-toxine was ordered, but not administered, as the disease was so mild. Mrs. Bauman will be able to go out of the house to-morrow. We are informed that there is no need to fear that others will contract the disease as the children of the family have not been exposed.

Church Notices

GRACE CHURCH.
Rev. Avin W. Skardon, Rector.
Third Sunday in Advent—
Holy Communion, 7:30 a. m.
Sunday School, 9:30 a. m.
Morning Prayer and Sermon, 11 o'clock.
Thursday—
Holy Communion, 10 o'clock a. m.
Friday—
Litany, 10 o'clock a. m.
Christmas Day Services—
Holy Communion, 7:30 a. m.
Holy Communion and Sermon, 11 o'clock a. m.
There will be services at St. Mary's Church, Weyanoke, Sunday at 4 p. m.

METHODIST CHURCH.
Rev. J. B. Fulton.
REGULAR SERVICES.
1st Sunday, St. Francisville, 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.
2nd Sunday, Star Hill 11 a. m., and St. Francisville 8 p. m.
3rd Sunday, Wilhelm 11 a. m., and St. Francisville 8 p. m.
4th Sunday, New Hope 11 a. m., and St. Francisville 8 p. m.
Sunday School every Sunday morning at 9:45.
Rev. S. L. Riggs will fill the pulpit at the Methodist Church, Sunday night, in the absence of Mr. Fulton at conference.
The Woman's Missionary Society elected officers Tuesday afternoon, as follows: Miss Raynham, president; Mrs. Willis Daniel, vice-president; Mrs. S. L. Riggs, corresponding and recording secretary; Mrs. Ed Robb, treasurer. Mrs. Jay Wadsworth has charge of study and publicity work; Mrs. J. H. Mullins of supplies, and Mrs. J. S. Gore, social service.

CATHOLIC CHURCH.
In the Catholic Church there will be Mass and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament on Sunday, the 13th day of December, at 10 o'clock a. m.
For Christmas day the first mass will be at 8 o'clock a. m., the second mass at 8:30 a. m., the Solemn High Mass and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament at 10 o'clock a. m.

ST. LUKE, 21:25-31.

And there shall be signs in the sun, and in the moon, and in the stars; and upon the earth distress of nations, with perplexity; the sea and the waves roaring;
Men's hearts failing them for fear, and for looking after those things which are coming on the earth; for the powers of heaven shall be shaken.
And when these things begin to come to pass, then look up, and lift up your heads; for your redemption draweth nigh.
And he spake to them a parable; Behold the fig tree, and all the trees; When they now shoot forth, ye see and know of your own selves that summer is now nigh at hand.
So likewise ye, when ye see these things come to pass, know ye that the kingdom of God is nigh at hand.

LODGE NOTES.

Feliciana Lodge No. 31, F. & A. M. has elected the following officers: R. Yunkes, W. M.; F. E. Farr, S. W.; J. Bob Daniel, J. W.; Wm. Kahn, treas.; Sidney Powell, secretary.

Bayou Sara Lodge No. 15, Knights of Pythias, has elected the following officers: J. E. Robb, C. C.; J. Aschafenburg, V. C.; G. S. Davidson, prelate; Sam Rosenthal, M. W.; A. F. Barrow, M. at A.; Sam Stern, M. of F.; W. C. Howell, I. G.; R. C. Brasseaux, O. G.; W. A. Falconer, representative; A. S. Leonard, alternate.

West Feliciana Camp No. 483, Woodmen of the World, Thursday night elected the following officers to serve during the coming year: Jas. H. Roth, past consul commander; J. L. Dupuy, consul commander; Jas. H. Logan, advisor lieutenant; Charles Tadlock, clerk; Norman Thoms, escort; John A. Lawson, watchman; Ben F. Wicker, sentry; Sam Rosenthal, member of board of managers.

People from the country say that some of the worst places in the road are encountered right here in the streets of St. Francisville. Town people are running short of wood and other country products because the hauling is so bad. This is a bad beginning for winter. Surely some cinders and gravel can be procured and spread (not dumped) over the miry places that are deep and as sticky as gum.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. George Edward French was baptized at the residence of Judge and Mrs. Butler on Tuesday evening. The baby was named Thomas Butler and the sponsors were Miss Sarah Butler and Mr. Samuel L. Butler.

NOTICE.

The public is hereby warned that the town ordinances relating to the discharge of fireworks will be strictly enforced during the holidays.
G. S. DAVIDSON, Marshal.

SENIOR PLAY, DEC. 18.

The senior class of Julius Freyhan high school will give a play at Pythian Hall, the evening of Dec. 18. It is entitled "Diamonds and Hearts" and is full of action and merriment,—not one bit dull.

The seniors are giving it to raise funds for their memorial, which they will leave to their high school alma mater. They have not yet decided what form the memorial will take, but it will be something of permanent use and benefit to the pupils who follow them at the high school.

General admission to the play is 25 cents, children 15 cents. Candy will be on sale, and there will be dancing at the close of the stage performance. Curtain will rise at half past seven o'clock.

Every one should go out to see "Diamonds and Hearts," and encourage the young players in their unselfish and public-spirited efforts.

Remember the date: Dec. 18, 7:30 p. m.

WAKEFIELD NOTES.

Misses Winifred Elsworth and Cloete Bahm, also little Camilla Stirling, were visitors at Pecan Grove last Saturday.

Feltus Leake spent last week-end at Wakefield.

Mr. Howard Spillman has accepted a position on a boat near Vicksburg.

Val Spillman is now clerking in the Wakefield store.

Mrs. Moise Conrad went to New Orleans last Saturday, where she joined her husband, who has a position near there.

Mrs. Matt Gilmore and son, Thomas, were in town Monday.

Mr. Robert Stirling spent a few days with his family last week.

The leaders for the third month in the Wakefield school are as follows: Willie Stirling, eighth grade; Miriam Terry, sixth grade; Irma Wildblood, fourth grade; Bertram Babers, third grade; Feltus Stirling, second grade; Gladys Page, first grade.

The construction of a concrete smokestack, at the Asylum, 120 feet high, is nearing completion. The top can now be seen from town over the building. It is located near the artesian well. The concrete powerhouse and superintendent's cottage are under construction, but will require some time to complete. The latter is situated in the park to the northeast of the Asylum enclosure.—Jackson Record.

HOME-MADE MOUSETRAP.

(Today's Magazine.)
I wonder how many housewives have become dissatisfied with their mouse-traps that they have purchased. From my own experience I have found that frequently the little animals were not killed outright and consequently suffered for a number of hours, or else, when they were caught alive, someone had the unpleasant experience of disposing of them. To avoid this, I fill a tin pail three-quarters full of water, and sprinkle the top so thickly with oats that the water cannot be seen. I then make it easy for the mice to reach the pail, either from a box close beside it or a board placed slanting against the pail. Mice are very fond of oats and will jump in after them and drown themselves. Be sure that no water can be seen.

Here are the four tests of a good farmer:
First—To make a good living from the land.
Second—To rear a family carefully and well.
Third—To be a useful citizen.
Fourth—To leave the farm more productive than when he took it.
Credit yourself 25 points for each one of the four distinctions you can lay claim to, and then see whether you score 25, 50, 75, or 100. Size yourself up.

MOUNT JEWELRY COMPANY
324 Third Street,
BATON ROUGE, LA.
We guarantee to sell you
JEWELRY,
DIAMONDS and
CUT GLASS

CHEAPER than any other store in town. We know it is hard times and we have decided to slaughter our stock. You know we bought it at a sacrifice—cheaper than any jobber or manufacturer could—as Schmidt & Price had to sell. Now we are going to give the public the benefit of same. Visit us before buying and we will sell you the best goods at low price.

A FEW SPECIALS
21-Jewel Hamilton Watch, sells for \$50. Our Price \$18.00
21-Jewel Bunn Special Watch, sells for \$45. Our Price \$18.00

COMPLETE LIST FOR VETERANS.

Received to date: Miss Mary Town, quart of preserves; Mrs. W. S. Bliss, bottle of catsup; Mrs. Ben Leopold, tobacco; Mrs. J. F. Irvine, 10 yds of outing; Mrs. Elrie Robinson, \$1.00 worth of outing; Mrs. Burruss McGehee, 20 yards of outing; Mrs. Sidney Powell, 1 qt. chow chow, 1 qt. of preserves; Mrs. R. Pillet, 1 1/2 qts. preserves, 1 pt. jelly; Mrs. J. R. Matthews, qt. of preserves; Mrs. O. D. Brooks, qt. of preserves; Mrs. S. A. Frier, qt. of preserves, 2 glasses of jelly; Mrs. E. J. Barrow, qt. of preserves; Mrs. Jas. P. Bowman, qt. preserves, 2 bottles gumbo file; Mrs. S. T. Allain, 2 qts. of preserves; Mrs. A. Turner, 2 qts. preserves; Mrs. A. H. Mumford, \$1.00 worth of outing; Mrs. L. W. Rogers, 3 pts. preserves, 1 jar of jelly; Mrs. A. F. Barrow, 4 pts. of jam, 2 pts. of jelly; Miss Lavergne, 3 qts. of preserves; Mrs. Charlie Barrow, 6 pts. preserves; Misses Lucy and Ida Matthews, 2 bottles wine, 1 bottle pepper sauce; Miss S. J. Raynham, 1 qt. preserves; Mrs. S. H. Barrow, \$2; Mrs. Thos. Butler, \$1; Miss Sarah Butler, \$1. This money was spent for outing, thread and buttons (the bill for same amounting to \$5.05.)

A jar of preserves was left at the post-office for the box, donor's name forgotten by the clerk in the rush for mail.

Mrs. J. D. Wood, 1 qt. dewberry wine, 1 qt. fig preserves; Mrs. B. I. Barrow, 1 qt. dewberry jam, 1 jar of sweet tomato pickle; R. M. Leake, sack of sweet potatoes; Mrs. J. S. Gore, 2 jars pickle; Mrs. Downs, 1 qt. preserves; Mrs. Chas. Munson, bottle of catsup, 4 large cans preserves; Mrs. Ollie Daniel, 2 pts. preserves; Misses Simmons, 4 pts. preserves; Mrs. Geo. Wilcox, tobacco; Misses Golsan, pt. jelly; Mrs. H. Goldman, 3 nightshirts.

Instead of buying outing, Mrs. Robinson paid freight and hauling, amounting to \$1.06, and 5 cents balance on bill for outing, thread and buttons.

Three boxes and the sack of potatoes were shipped Wednesday.

Four nightshirts still unfinished will be sent by parcel post. Those ladies having them to make are urged to hurry before the mails get heavy.

A contribution of 10 cans of blackberries from Dr. and Mrs. Jas. Kilbourne, received too late for the boxes, will be sent later. These berries were put up with their canning outfit.

FLOWERING BULBS.

The hyacinth, tulip and narcissus bulbs can be planted at any time in the fall up to Christmas, but the earlier now the better, before the stocks get run down and good bulbs scarce. To plant a bed of hyacinths remove the surface soil about six inches, and place the bulbs on his excavated surface, and then return the soil and rake the bed smooth. In a circular bed I set the bulbs in circles of one color each, making the circles six inches apart and placing the bulbs three inches apart.

Tulips and narcissi can be planted in the same way, or you can plant them in clumps of a dozen among the shrubbery. The hardy lilies like the Madonna or Candidum lily should have been planted in September, as they must make a rosette of green winter leaves in order to do well, and they cannot do this from late planting.

Crocus bulbs can be had for about 50 cents a hundred and they can be stuck under the sod all over the lawn and bloom finely in the spring before there is need for the lawn mower.

The earliest hyacinths to bloom are the White Roman, but these should not be planted till the soil is cold in December, for planted early they will start at once and try to bloom before Christmas and then the tops have the coldest weather of the winter on them. Planted after the soil gets really cold they will remain dormant. The same is true of the Polyanthus species of Narcissus, like the Paper White and the Chinese Sacred lily. These are reputed tender, because they start to grow too early, but planted late they will remain dormant.

The optimists say that inasmuch as we had bad weather for Thanksgiving we can at least hope for good weather Christmas.

The Congress boys will soon be at it again.

SUCCESSION OF WILLIS T. FORRESTER, DECEASED.

State of Louisiana, Parish of West Feliciana, 24th Judicial District Court.

By virtue of a commission to the Sheriff directed by the Hon. the 24th Judicial District Court in the matter of the Succession of Willis T. Forrester, deceased, I will offer for sale to the highest bidder at the front door of the Court House in the town of St. Francisville, La., at the hour of 11 o'clock a. m., on

Saturday, January 9, 1915, the following property depending on said Succession, to-wit:

A certain tract of land with all buildings and improvements thereon, situated in the Parish of West Feliciana, La., a short distance below the town of Bayou Sara, La., composing One acre, and known as the Rose Scott lot. Also one lot of household goods, and office furniture consisting of one iron safe and Underwood typewriter, and one filing cabinet, also one surry and harness, one saddle, and one shot gun.

Terms—Cash, provided property brings two-thirds of the appraisement.
J. H. CLACK, Sheriff.

Just Received

NEW MACKEREL, DILL PICKLES, SOUR PICKLES, SAUER KRAUT, HOLLAND HERRINGS, COD FISH, DRIED AND CANNED SHRIMP, TUNA FISH, CHOICE ASPARAGUS TIPS, CAMPBELL'S SOUPS AND PORK AND BEANS, CHIPPED BEEF, SLICED BACON IN GLASSES; ALSO BACON CUT IN QUANTITY TO SUIT PURCHASER. FULL LINE OF VORIES' FANCY CAKES. CEREALS IN PUFFED RICE, PUFFED WHEAT, CREAM OF WHEAT, CORN FLAKES, OAT MEAL, CORN PUFFS, SELF-RISING BUCKWHEAT, CORN STARCH, PRUNES, MATERIALS OF ALL KINDS FOR FRUIT CAKE.

ALWAYS ON HAND—FRESH STAR AND DIAMOND "C" HAMS.

George Rettig.



Aid to Busy Folks

The telephone aids the busy farmer to keep in touch with neighborhood affairs even during the rush season. He can call his neighbors in the evening and discuss the events of the day and arrange plans for community work after the crops are laid by.

Every farmer needs the help of the telephone. See the nearest Bell Manager or send a postal for our free booklet and see how small the cost is.

FARMERS' LINE DEPARTMENT
Cumberland Telephone and Telegraph Company
INCORPORATED.
432 SOUTH PROYOR STREET, ATLANTA, GA.

POISONOUS ALCOHOL.

Wood alcohol, or methyl alcohol, or Columbian Spirits, is manufactured largely as a cheap solvent for shellac and other substances. It is very volatile and exceedingly dangerous when it is painted on surfaces, in a confined space. It is injurious to the blood and heart and very depressing and poisonous, producing death in a very short time when inhaled in concentrated form. If death does not result, permanent blindness from optic neuropathy usually occurs.

The use of expensive alcohol is no necessary in the trades, even if wood alcohol is abandoned. What is known as denatured alcohol can be used, as it is just as cheap as wood alcohol and is not injurious. Such countries as Germany and England, etc., have long since abandoned poisonous alcohol. Why not the United States? Should the manufacture of this poison be continued, because some manufacturers have millions of dollars locked up in their factories? Or, would it not be better to suppress this kind of alcohol and compel them to produce alcohol of a non-injurious quality?

We should not only give our farms names, but those names should be neatly painted on a sign over each entrance, together with the name of the owner of the place. And while we are about it let's do another good job and give a name to every country church, and schoolhouse, and cemetery, and public place of every nature, and have the names of those conspicuously displayed.—Warrenton (Va.) Democrat.

JUDICIAL.

In Re Feliciana Bank and Trust Co., In Liquidation, No. 919. State of Louisiana, Parish of West Feliciana, 24th Judicial District Court.

Notice of filing of provisional account.

Notice is hereby given to all whom it doth or may concern, to show cause within ten days from the present notification, if any they have or can, why the Provisional Account, filed herein by Wm. L. Young, State Examiner of State Banks, should not be approved and homologated and made the judgment of the Court.

Witness the Honorable Joseph E. LeBlanc, Jr., Special Judge of the 24th Judicial District Court of Louisiana, this 10th day of December, 1914.
E. S. MUSE,
Clerk of said Court.

Notice to the Depositors of the Feliciana Bank & Trust Company, St. Francisville, La.

As you will note from this issue of The True Democrat, it is now proposed that the Liquidators of this institution make a provisional distribution of 10% to its depositors and other ordinary creditors.

In order that the public may thoroughly understand the manner in which this dividend will be paid we will state that checks will be mailed to all parties having claims against the said Bank and it will not be necessary for them to call at the Bank for their respective checks.
O. B. STEELE, Special Agent.

Bargains

I have just returned from New Orleans, where I attended a sale of unclaimed freight by the Southern Pacific Ry. I bought a nice line of goods and am offering extremely rare bargains in

Boys' Suits, Ladies' Coats, Men's Walkover Shoes, Furniture.

These are all goods of fine quality and every item is a bargain. Other bargains too numerous to mention.

CAPT. J. B. BROOKS.