

## A Fierce Fire Swept Monroe

Fifty-One Houses Were Destroyed

Loss was about \$50,000

Insurance at \$25,000.00. Furniture burned in the Streets. Many without Homes and House Furnishings. "A hint to the wise is sufficient." If you are not fully protected, phone 158 and our representative will call on you.

### New York Election Bets.

New York, Nov. 3.—The odds in the election betting in Wall Street this afternoon jumped to the unprecedented figures of 4 to 1 on Dix. Just before the market closed, after a day of brisk betting, two wagers were recorded—one of \$8,000 to \$2,000 and the other of \$4,000 to \$1,000. This breaks the record in the annals of betting on elections in New York.

Early in the afternoon the odds on Dix had mounted steadily until the figures were 3 1/4 to 1. A broker who has been most industrious in placing Dix money reported that he had bet \$1,500 to \$400. This was a record, and it was not expected that the odds would climb further. Even at 4 to 1 the Stimson men were not any too keen.

The betting on the plurality figures also reached a record when a member of the exchange made two bets of \$1,500 and of \$1,000 at even money that Dix's plurality would be more than 100,000.

One broker, who had about \$82,000 of Dix money on offer about a week ago, said to-day that he had placed a large proportion of it at from 2 to 2 1/2 to 1 up to yesterday and the remainder today at 3 to 1.

Another broker today said he had \$80,000 of Stimson money to wager against \$90,000 of Dix. A considerable part of this Stimson money is offered by Chicago men.

There was another report that \$20,000 at 3 to 1 had been placed in one office and that \$500 to \$1,500 on Stimson had been offered and accepted.

A significant wager that gave the Dix man on the exchange even more confidence than they have felt all through the campaign was the placing of \$2,000 at 3 to 1 on the Democratic candidate by a member who lives up the state. He announced that he was betting that way because he knows the sentiment upstate is strong for Dix.

The feeling in Wall Street is almost identical with the sentiment that prevailed during the McKinley-Bryan campaign. The conservative money is all going on Dix.

### Everybody Needs

a good salve and Dr. Bell's Antiseptic Salve is the best. It is a creamy snow white ointment. Guaranteed for all skin diseases. 25c sold every where.

### State as Hangman.

The Board of Control has been notified that, under the new law, it would have the task of executing in the State Penitentiary three negro prisoners tried by district courts and sentenced to be hanged. The prisoners are Link Williams, of Franklin parish, who killed Mollie Williams, and is to be hanged Dec. 2; Alexander Lee, alias Levi, from Plaquemine parish, who killed Joseph Smith, and is to be hanged Dec. 2; Hugh Connolly, of Washington parish, who killed Ed Pierce, and is to hang Nov. 25. The prisoners will be transferred to Baton Rouge and executed behind the walls of the State Penitentiary. The execution on Nov. 25 will be the first to take place.

### Kittens as Campaigners

New York, Nov. 4.—Five hundred marmoset kittens with blue ribbon around their necks are being distributed by a Democratic campaign manager among homes in the Fifteenth Congressional District here. The Democratic candidate, Thomas G. Patten, is opposing the re-election of Congressman William M. Bennett. The kittens carry a brief campaign argument in tabloid form on their blue ribbons.

"Drive out the mice," the ribbons tell the voter, as the kitten sits at his fireside.

"Senator Aldrich says three hundred millions is wasted by the present administration yearly. Stand pat with Patten and drive out the treasure mice, tariff mice, forestry mice, fraud mice and graft mice."

### Cosgrove's Weekly.

A progressive, pertinent and pronounced winner. I am struggling, with a measure of pleasing success, to make the Weekly represent you.

Its features are its "Recollections and Reminiscences," historical and of deep interest to all; "Memorial and Tributes," a department preserving to each locality, and for our children, the good deeds of our men and women, whose walks are the sequestered vales of life.

These alone should appeal to your favor and are worth more than the subscription price, \$2 yearly. Address J. H. COSGROVE, Drawer 578, Shreveport, La.

### Blind

Mrs. Ellie Tiler, Raven, Tex., writes: I was blind as a bat. I used Sutherland's Eagle Eye Salve and it acted like a charm. It cut the scum off my eyes and restored my sight. It is all you claim and worth its weight in gold. 25c a tube.

### Notice.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: We, the undersigned Board of Directors of the Winn Lumber Company, hereby give notice that a meeting of the stockholders of the Winn Lbr. Co., Ltd., will be held at their office in the town of Winnfield, La., on Monday, November 7th, 1910, for the purpose of deciding upon an increase of the capital stock of the said Winn Lbr. Co., Ltd., from \$50,000 to \$100,000 and each stockholder is requested to attend said meeting, either in person or by proxy.

T. R. Van Cleave, Edwin Winlock, W. A. Wright, Board of Directors.

For pains in the side or chest dampen a piece of flannel with Chamberlain's Liniment and bind it over the seat of pain. There is nothing better. For sale by all dealers.

The **M. BERNSTEIN** The  
Oldest Store ESTABLISHED 1852. Newest Prices

All the Week from  
**Special** Now until Nov. 12  
(Prices will Change. Watch this Space.)

**Special Offer on Sugar this week**

18 lbs. Standard Granulated Sugar.....	\$1.
18 lbs. Y. C. Sugar .....	\$1.
Wild Rose Corn Syrup, 1 gal.....	50c
Wild Rose Corn Syrup, 1/2 gal.....	25c
Velva Breakfast Syrup, 1 gal.....	75c
Velva Breakfast Syrup, 1/2 gal.....	40c
Highest Patent Flour 50 lbs.....	\$6.25
High Pat. Flour 24 lb sack.....	80c
Cream Meal 24 lb Sack.....	50c
Pearl Meal 24 lb Sack.....	45c
Wrapped Bacon.....	18c
Bacon, Extra Clear Sides.....	17c
Dry Salt Bellies.....	16c
Gold Brand Hams.....	21c
90 lb Pure Yellow Chops.....	\$1.35
90 lb Wheat Bran.....	\$1.40
90 lb Shorts.....	\$1.50
Cottonseed Meal 100 lb sk.....	\$1.70
100 lb C. S. Hulls.....	75c
No. 2 White Oats 4 bu sack.....	\$2.50
Choice Alfalfa Hay bale.....	30c
Choice Prairie Hay bale.....	45c
Choice Timothy Hay.....	35c
Choice Bermuda Hay.....	70c

Special on **Gottolene**

2 lb. Bucket - -	30c
4 lb. Bucket - -	60c
10 lb. Bucket -	\$1.40

**ORDERS FILLED PROMPTLY**  
Phone 13. Terms: Spot Cash

### Local and Personal.

Cold Cream and Camphor Ice are always needed in the fall when the weather changes suddenly. We have a full line of toilet and cold creams. Whitley & Thomas.

Mrs. Mollie Randle will leave Saturday to make her home with her daughter Mrs. Rhodes Atkinson of Little Rock.

Our ad in The Comrade has increased our sales and we expect to keep it running. Notice the articles we are offering, and ask us for prices. Peoples Hdw. & Furn. Co.

See the new schedule of the L. & A. Ry., which gives our people several hours in Shreveport and Alexandria and return the same day.

Ladies', men's, children's and boys' underwear at the profit-sharing sale. Profit-sharing sale will be continued until the 10th of November. Winnfield Mercantile Co.

Miss Annie May Lewis, one of Atlanta's charming daughters was the guest of her uncle, J. R. Watts and family last Friday and Saturday.

Ladies' suits and skirts are going fast at the Profit-sharing sale. Winnfield Mercantile Co.

There is no such thing as just as good, if you want an old time medicine don't let any one talk you into something that is just as good. Come to us and get what you want. Whitley & Thomas.

The irrepressible Jake Hays, a Shreveport knight of the grip has been in town this week in interest of "Drummer's Day" at the Shreveport fair.

Every well dressed lady will wear one of our man-tailored suits this season. Big reduction on them at the Profit Sharing sale. Winnfield Mercantile Co.

J. C. Peddy, manager of the Louisiana Mercantile Company, has an attractive announcement of prices on staple goods in this issue which will pay you to read.

We guarantee our Buck's and Bridge & Beach stoves and ranges. We are here where you can make your complaint to us, and can get any part that may be broken. Peoples Hdw. & Furn. Co.

Conductor W. S. Teegarden who has been conductor on the Alexandria local has been promoted to a regular passenger run on the Louisiana & Arkansas Railway.

"FINE CANDLES"—Nunnally's candles are made in the South and they stand the Southern climate. If you have never tried Nunnally's try a box and you will be a regular customer. Whitley & Thomas.

Joe Vinson, tackle on the Southwestern Institute eleven which played the L. I. I. at Ruston Saturday, spent Sunday here as the guest of Prof. Avery and family.

W. B. Smylie and family have returned to make their home in Winnfield, he having severed his connection with the Pollock News. He is now employed by The Comrade.

Jugs vs. Tin Cans—We have several hundred jugs, gallon and half gallon bottles for sale. They are ideal to use in putting up syrup as they can be used many years while tin cans are useful only 1 year. 10c a gallon. Whitley & Thomas.

W. L. Herbert, the jeweler, left here for Alexandria Saturday. He has accepted a position with the Schnack Jewelry Co., and will be glad to meet his friends when visiting Alexandria.

We are looking for the farmers trade and are making arrangements to fill their wants. We would like for our farmer friends to consult us fully about stock remedies and home receipts. Whitley & Thomas.

The Winn Parish Teachers Association was in session at the High School last Friday and Saturday. We had hoped to be furnished with a report of its transactions but were disappointed.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Allen are receiving congratulations over the advent of a baby girl who arrived Friday, October 28. Mother and babe are doing nicely and Walter is wearing a smile that looks as if it will never wear off.

Dr. I. D. Nettles left Saturday for Fort Worth, Texas, where he will make his home and practice his profession in the future. His removal was universally regretted by our community where he numbered his friends by the score.

Dr. L. Burkett, Eyesight Specialist, formerly of this place but now with Messrs Hoyler Bros. of Lufkin, the leading jewelers and opticians of east Texas, will be at home with his family, Monday and Tuesday, November 7th and 8th. Anyone in need of the best optical service will do well to have their eyes attended to on those dates as he will not return to Winnfield for several months.

A Man Wants to Die only when a lazy liver and sluggish bowels cause frightful despondency. But Dr. King's New Life Pills expel poisons from the system; bring hope and courage; cure all liver, stomach and kidney troubles; impart health and vigor to the weak, nervous and ailing. 25c at all drugists.

### High School Dots.

The usual monthly examinations caused the pupils on College Hill to be unusually busy last week. On account of the Teachers' Institute being held here both Friday and Saturday, there was no school Friday. The postponement of the society meetings was made necessary by the dismissal of school for the Institute Friday.

The High School, assisted by Miss Graham, is endeavoring to raise money for a library for the benefit of those pupils of the high school. These books are very necessary as they are among those prescribed in the State course of literature, for each and every pupil of the high school must read some of these books. The ladies of the Civic Improvement League have very kindly offered the high school the privilege of a booth in the fair to be held here on Nov. 18th, the proceeds of this booth to go for the library.

Our football boys are patiently and perseveringly at practice and much improvement can be seen in their work. The game between Winnfield and Alexandria will take place tomorrow in Alexandria.

On every side nothing can be heard but expressions of approval of the way our school is being conducted by Prof. Avery this year. We sincerely believe that each and every one of the patrons of the school are well pleased with the new faculty and new arrangements in general.

### Cheap Imitations

Owing to the immense sale and popularity of Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey there are many cheap imitations on the market under similar sounding names, but you can always get the genuine by looking for the bell on the bottle.

### The City Hotel.

Mr. Lancaster, the new proprietor of the City Hotel, has taken charge. He informs us that he is greatly pleased with his property, and has great hopes of the future of Winnfield. Mr. Burnett, the former proprietor, is still here with his family, looking after other interests he has in this section.

### Doing Nicely.

Our friend, H. C. Thomas of the drug firm of Whitley & Thomas, who was dangerously prostrated by an overdose of some sort of drug last Monday in New Orleans, is at this writing rapidly recovering and will soon be among his friends here, who were much alarmed at the early reports of his condition.

### Logical Point Visitors.

The business men's excursion from New Orleans arrived here at 7 o'clock this morning. With a brass band at their head they paraded the streets, and after an address at the court house returned to their train and were switched to the Rock Quarry road for a visit to that place. As we are about to go to press any further mention must be deferred to our next issue.

### Dr. Bell's Pine Tar Honey

will break up the worst cold and allay throat irritation. This remedy quickly cures coughs, colds, grippe, and all throat and bronchial troubles.

## THE THE Manss Shoe Shoe for Men

No. 2, W C oats, per bu.....	52c	Table Damask 72-in, 75c grade at.....	50c
90 pounds Chops.....	\$1.27	Table Damask 72-in, 35c grade at.....	25c
Shorts and Bran.....	1.45	Table Damask, red, 30c grade at.....	22c
Nutriline.....	1.50	\$2.25 White Bed Spreads	\$1.90
Momyk.....	1.50	\$1.75 Col'd Bed Spreads	1.55
Choice Bermuda hay, per bale.....	50c		
S. & P. Flour.....	85c		
Gold Coin.....	80c		
Cream Meal.....	50c		
American Standard Granulated Sugar.....	5c		
Fancy Jap Rice, full head.....	4c		
Tomatoes, extra fancy per dozen.....	95c		
Velva Syrup, 1 gal cans.....	70c		
Velva Syrup 1/2 gal cans.....	35c		

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\$3.50, \$4, & \$4.50

Try a pair and satisfy yourself of the fact that you have gotten more Real Value, for the money, than ever before.

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