

PAY YOUR POLL TAX BEFORE IT IS TOO LATE

Do you want to vote for President, Governor, Senator, Sheriff or any Parish officer?

If you don't pay your poll tax before January 1 you can not vote in 1912. The money goes to the schools.

Pay Your Poll Tax To-Day.

Retrospect.

As the old year draws to a close and we look back over the days that have gone to make it up we should be thankful for the good things that have come our way. In no way have we retrograded as a community. Business has been fairly good in all lines. New industries have been created and the payroll enlarged. New business houses and residences have been built, substantial structures that are up-to-date. Two large milling plants have been added to our industries that furnish work for hundreds. The Winnfield Commercial College has started under favorable auspices and bids fair to become the leading business college in the State. We have escaped practically scathless from fire, flood and disease.

Our town has grown in commercial importance and we can say truthfully that our affairs have prospered. Now let us get together and pull for a bigger and better town next year. To do this it is most important that our citizens attend the meeting at the Mayor's office tonight.

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Advantages of Louisiana.

Hon. H. P. Gamble, secretary of the State Conservation Commission, has just returned from a trip through Oklahoma and Texas, where he was investigating the method of collecting conservation taxes on oil and gas in those States. He reports a profitable trip, but believes that the legislation of Louisiana, passed by the last Legislature, is superior to that of the other States. Mr. Gamble, who is nothing if not a loyal Louisianian, states that while there is much fine land in both Oklahoma and Texas, yet they have failed for two years for want of rain; and Louisiana is good enough for him. He predicts that in a few years there will be thousands of good immigrants into this State.

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Good, If True.

The rumor is prevalent that a much needed industry will be moved to Winnfield early in the coming year. We refer to the machine shops at Eros. Such a shop is greatly needed here. In fact a large timber company informed The Comrade that they would guarantee repair work for such a shop of \$50 per day. We have been unable to verify the rumor, but have been told that the move is being considered.

Commercial College Notes.

Miss Tee Crockett Long is spending Xmas in New Orleans with friends. She will be back to take charge of work January 1st.

School is not supposed to be regular session but some of the students decided that they needed education more than pleasure and have been in regular attendance.

Xmas week is being celebrated by the manager putting on two extra stenographers, this makes a total of four stenographers that he has in his office this week getting out letters telling the people what can be gotten in Winnfield.

It is up to the citizens of the city to assist this institution. If you can't do any more, tell them of some one that would be likely to enroll in their school, then you write to the student yourself. If you know nothing of the school it is about time for you to visit them. We guarantee that they will give you a surprise.

One of their students accomplished the feat of writing sixty-seven full paged business letters in seven hours. These letters were all mailed out to prospects.

A Simple Safeguard for Mothers

Mrs. D. Gilkeson, 326 Ingles Ave., Youngstown, Ohio, gained wisdom by experience. "My little girl had a severe cold and coughed almost continuously. My sister recommended Foley's Honey and Tar. The first dose I gave her relieved the inflammation in her throat and after using only one bottle her throat and lungs were entirely free from inflammation. Since then I always keep a bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar in the house. Accept no substitutes. Sold by Whitley & Thomas, Winnfield and Dodson.

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Laundry Soap 7 Bars for 25c

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Give us a call and let us price you Groceries, Feed Stuff, Hardware, Crockery, Tinware, Dry Goods, Shoes, Saddlery, Drugs and many other articles carried in a line of General Merchandise too numerous to mention.

We sell for cash only therefore can save you money on your purchases. If you don't find your wants listed below ask us, we'll take pleasure in showing you and meet all prices we don't beat.

Fancy Irish Potatoes, per peck	25c
Our Best Flour, 48 pound sack	\$1.50
24 pound sack	75c
Gold Leaf Highest Patent Flour, 24 lb. sacks	85c
Union Oilerless Cooking Oil, 1 gallon	85c
Home Made Ribbon Cane Syrup, 1 gallon	65c
19 Pounds Standard Granulated Sugar	\$1.00
20 Pounds Fancy Y. C. Sugar	\$1.00
21 Pounds Choice Y. C. Sugar	\$1.00
10 Pound Bucket Cottolene	\$1.40
Wild Rose Corn Syrup, per gallon	50c
Wild Rose Corn Syrup, half gallon	25c
Velva Breakfast Syrup, per gallon	75c
Velva Breakfast Syrup, half gallon	40c
Highest Patent Flour, per barrel	\$5.90
Cream Meal, 25 pound sack	45c
Pearl Meal, 24 pound sack	40c
Wrapped Bacon	18c
Bacon, extra clear sides	17c
Dry Salt Bellies	16c
Dry Salt Ribs	12c
90 Pounds Pure Yellow Chops	\$1.15
90 Pounds Wheat Bran	1.35
90 Pounds Shorts	1.45
Cotton Seed Meal, 100 pound sack	1.60
100 Pounds Cotton Seed Hulls	65c
No. 2 White Oats, 4 bushel sack	\$2.25
Choice Alfalfa Hay, per bale	80c
Choice Prairie Hay, per bale	45c
Choice Bermuda Hay	60c
Snow Drift Lard, bulk, per pound	11c
Snow Drift Lard, 50 pound cans, per pound	12c
Snow Drift Lard, 20 pound cans, per pound	12c
Snow Drift Lard, 10 pound cans, per pound	12c
Snow Drift Lard, 5 pound cans, per pound	12c

Resolutions by the Baptist Sunday School.

We, the Baptist Sunday School of the Winnfield Baptist Church, desire to give expression to our feelings in reference to the sad event that has occurred in the family of Mr. Cass Moss, an active and efficient member of the church and prominently connected with our Sunday school work. Therefore be it

Resolved, That we deeply sympathize with him and his wife in the sad bereavement that has so suddenly come upon them.

Resolved, That it is our earnest desire that the Father of mercies and the God of all comfort may sustain and comfort them in their deep distress.

Resolved, That we cherish the belief that to Gladys' sudden death was sudden bliss—that she is not lost but gone before—and that weeping friends should "sorrow not as those who have no hope."

Resolved, That we regard the sad and shocking event as a solemn warning to each of us, reminding us that, at every stage of life, there is but a step between us and death—that we are walking, as it were, on the verge of a precipice, that a misstep, or a rolling pebble, or a gust of wind may cause us to lose our balance and to make the awful plunge—and that, consequently, it is the part of wisdom for us to remember our Creator in the days of our youth, that, in any event and however suddenly we may disappear from earth, it may be well with our souls.

Resolved, That these resolutions be published in The Comrade and that the family be furnished with a copy.

Resolutions of Spmpathy.

Whereas, on the 23rd of December, 1910, it pleased the Father of the Universe to take away from our midst, Little Gladys the loving daughter of our beloved co-workers in Sunday School, Mr. and Mrs. Cass Moss.

Now we, the Search Light Class of the Baptist Sunday School hereby extend to you, our beloved teacher, Mr. Moss and your wife, our co-worker, our heart felt sympathy in this hour of your bereavement, and while we realize that in afflictions of so sore a nature earthly assistance is of but little avail, we commend you to God who knoweth best in all things whatsoever.

We greatly deplore the greatest of all losses which you could be required to sustain, and regret that our dear teacher should be so afflicted, yet it is so consoling to know that the strong faith that your loving wife, and our devoted classmate has, will make comfort each for the other until that day when you shall see Gladys and know her as she was known.

This resolution of sympathy was

authorized by the entire Sunday School Class, December 25th, 1910.

DELLA KESER,
C. H. ELLIOTT,
S. M. KESER,
Committee.

Night School.

Remember the night school at the Winnfield Commercial College. Hours 7 to 9. Phone 213 for particulars.

Our Girls at Home.

The happiest, jolliest and prettiest crowd of college girls in the whole South were ours who spent the holidays with the "home folks" this week.

Miss Lease Bailey, from Sophie Wright College, New Orleans.

Miss Effie Shaw from Mansfield Female College.

Misses Alma Durham and Lillian Baker from Louisiana College, Pineville.

And Oh you State Normal bunch, Misses Alma Wright, Callie Long, Ruth Harper, Audie Williams, May Crawford, Della Fisher, Minnie Peters and Ida Wallace.

The social functions held in honor of their home coming would be too long to give in detail, but all have vied in giving our girls a good time.

Take Care!

Remember that when your kidneys are affected, your life is in danger. M. Mayer, Rochester, N. Y., says: "My trouble started with a sharp shooting pain over my back which grew worse daily. I felt sluggish and tired, my kidney action was irregular and infrequent. I started using Foley Kidney Pills. Each dose seemed to put new life and strength into me, and now I am completely cured and feel better and stronger than for years."

For sale by Whitley & Thomas, Winnfield and Dodson, Louisiana.

Was Buried Here.

The remains of the 12-year-old daughter of James A. Lindsey was brought here Tuesday from Eros over the Tremont & Gulf railroad for interment in the Winnfield cemetery. The little girl died at her home in Eros Monday. Mr. Lindsey was a former resident of Ruston and Winnfield and is now employed by the Tremont Lumber Company at Eros.

Mrs. Drewett Dies.

Though death had been expected for several days the news that Mrs. T. J. Drewett had passed away Wednesday night caused a shock to her many friends here Thursday morning. She will be missed by all our people in every class of life. Her cherry presence was felt by all who came in contact with her. Her heart was always turned in sympathy with the bereaved and afflicted and she was always foremost in acts of charity. Her love went out like a benison to all. We will all sadly miss her presence and our whole people will mourn with the bereaved husband and little babe.

WINNFIELD COMMERCIAL CLUB MEETS TO-NIGHT

To Organize For the Year 1911. Officers are to be Elected and the Campaign Arranged for a Greater Winnfield.

At the Mayor's office; Don't fail to attend

NOTED PHYSIC PALMIST.

Prof. A. L. Strauss Arrives in Winnfield and Establishes Parlors at City Hotel, Suite 1 and 2.

Winnfield now has in her midst a very noted person in line of Palmist and Physic in the person of Prof. A. L. Strauss, who arrived in the city yesterday. Personally Professor Strauss is a pleasant gentleman and he claims he does a strictly genuine, legitimate business and must not be confused for a minute with the "fakers" often passing under the name of Palmist. He comes very highly recommended from all parts of Louisiana and Arkansas, including Shreveport, where he has just closed a very successful visit. Turn to his advertisement in this paper and see what he can do and if you desire to see him it would be well to go at once as he will be here only two weeks.

Christmas.

The deplorable accident which caused the death of sweet little Gladys Moss cast a shadow over the festivities of this anniversary, but most of our people enjoyed the day in a quiet and pleasant way. The fireworks feature was something fierce. Never has our town been visited with such an infliction. The lid was lifted clear off, and Marshal Payne and his deputy had their hands full, but we are pleased to record the absence of casualties.

A Family Reunion.

A very pleasant family gathering was held at the home of our friend, Dr. J. J. Peters last Wednesday. All of the family were present, Dr. A. M. Peters coming up from Rochelle, and Dr. Jim from New Orleans. A family dinner was enjoyed and a pleasant afternoon was spent about the family hearthstone.

Notice.

The School Improvement League will hold its regular meeting Friday, January 6th. Let all be present and don't fail to bring your dues of \$1.00, as it will save time and trouble for the treasurer, who is expected to collect all dues from each member.

When your feet are wet and cold, and your body chilled through and from exposure, take a big dose of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, bathe your feet in hot water before going to bed, and you are almost certain to ward off a severe cold. For sale by all dealers.

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Time Saved

Use your leisure moments and take a course at night in the Winnfield Commercial College. Phone 213 for particulars.

Try it, Try it

Try Dr. Bell's Antiseptic Salve for all skin troubles. It is as pleasant as sweet cream and guaranteed to give satisfaction in worst cases. 25c a box.

Personal Notes.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Mashaw entertained at Christmas dinner Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Williams, of Dodson, and Miss Lillian Mathews of Ruston.

Misses Alma Durham and Lillian Baker, Messrs. Clem Durham, Ozro and Joe Payne were at home from Louisiana College at Pineville for the holidays.

Prof. J. L. Liggan, principal of the Colfax High School, his wife and charming little daughter spent the holidays with the family of her father, Prof. L. W. Moore.

I offer this bargain to all as a gift of profit as am going to sell all of these shoes that I put on this counter at what it costs me in the store. Come and see for yourself. W. F. Dickerson.

P. C. Moseley and family of Chatham spent Xmas with the family of Dr. W. H. Williams. Mr. Moseley left Monday for a few days visit with parents at Keachie.

Every family has need of a good, reliable liniment. For sprains, bruises, soreness of the muscles and rheumatic pains there is none better than Chamberlain's. Sold by all dealers.

Dr. D. E. James came down from Plainview, Ark., his present home, to greet his old friends this week. He was an appreciated visitor to The Comrade.

Mrs. Norman Woody of Spokane, Wash., surprised her parents last Saturday by her presence. The many friends of Mr. McGinty and family rejoice with them in having Miss Nettie at home again.

It's a girl, bright and pretty as a sunbeam and the little lady came Tuesday to brighten the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Fink. The mother and baby are doing well and Fink's smile won't wear off.

When you have a cold get a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It will soon fix you up all right and will ward off any tendency toward pneumonia. This remedy contains no opium or other narcotic and may be given as confidently to a baby as to an adult. Sold by all dealers.

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Pride of Denver, High Patent Flour (24 pound sack)	70c
Omega High Patent Flour	90c
Best Yellow Chops	\$1.20
Best Pearl Meal (24 pound sacks)	45c
Best Cream Meal (24 pound sack)	50c
Cotton Seed Meal	\$1.65
Cotton Seed Hulls	70c
Shorts (90 pound sack)	\$1.50
Bran	\$1.40

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Christmas has come and every heart overflows with Yuletide joy. In this glad hour we realize, more than at any other time, that happiness comes to us chiefly through our ability to make others happy.

To each and every one of our many friends and customers we offer the compliments of the season, and wish you a very Happy New Year.

The year 1910, which is soon to close, has been a most prosperous one to this, Winnfield's Leading Dry Goods Store, and for this we feel deeply grateful to every customer, since it has been only through your co-operation that this end could be attained.

We thank you one and all for your patronage, and trust that the year 1911 may prove to each of you the happiest and most prosperous of your lives.

Soliciting a profitable share of your valued patronage all through the New Year, we remain,

Yours to please

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