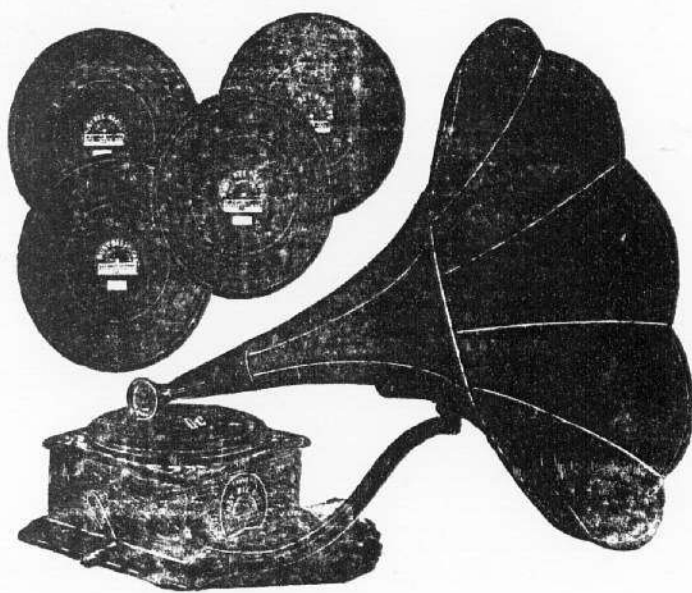


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Marshall J. B. Lee Captures Horse-Thief Friday.

A negro giving his name as Perkins arrived in town Friday with a horse that he was very anxious to sell, which anxiety led to his capture. It seems that this negro, who lives near Roanoke stole the horse from John Cramp, of Jennings, and rode him to Welsh where he tried to sell him to Chas. Dautel, a Welsh liveryman, but Mr. Dautel having bought a horse and experience under similar circumstances before was not taken in on this deal, but reported the matter to Marshall Lee, who after a brief inquiry into conditions and a phone message from Sheriff Reid, placed the man under arrest and with the assistance of several temporary deputies landed him in the city bastille. The horse was afterward identified and secured by its owner. Deputy sheriff Henry Reed came over on No. 10 and took his prisoner back to Lake Charles on No. 5.

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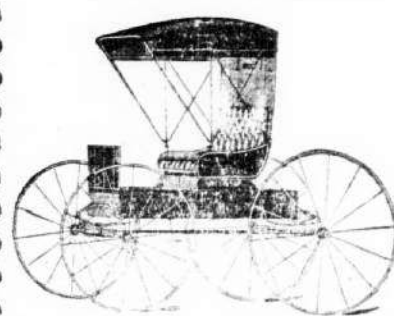
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The wedding was a strictly private affair; the guests being near relatives and intimate friends only.

The groom is a resident, and a member of one of the leading families of Lake Charles; and the bride is well and favorably known in Welsh, and vicinity, having resided here since childhood.

The young couple took the 6:25 p. m. train for Lake Charles, where they expect to make their permanent residence.

Kennedy—Miller.

MARRIED—On the evening of Dec. 25th, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Miller, and in the presence of a small company of their most intimate friends, Mr. Chas. Kennedy and Miss Leona Miller were happily united in marriage. After a feast of good things, in which the preacher's favorite dish was not forgotten, the bride and groom went to their home in the country. May their lives be one continual happy Christmas day. The writer officiated.

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