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Table with columns for Stations and Ar. from Monroe. Rows list various stations like Delta, Tallulah, Delhi, Rayville, Girard, etc.

Local Mail.

Mail from Ashwood, New Carthage, King and Capri arrives Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, at 11:30 a.m., and leaves at 2:30 p.m. of same days.

ANNOUNCEMENTS!

FOR CLERK. I announce myself a candidate for the office of Clerk of the District Court of Madison Parish, subject to the decision of the Democratic mass meeting.

I respectfully announce myself a candidate for Clerk of the Court for this District and ex-officio Recorder of Madison Parish, subject to the decision of the Democratic Mass Meeting.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the nomination of Clerk of the Court of this District at the ensuing Mass Meeting.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of Clerk of the District Court of the parish of Madison, subject to the endorsement of the Democrats in convention or mass meeting assembled.

I announce myself a candidate for Sheriff of Madison Parish subject to the decision of the Democratic mass meeting.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for Sheriff of Madison Parish subject to the endorsement of the Democrats of this parish.

To the voters of the Parishes of Madison and East Carroll:

I respectfully announce myself as a candidate for re-election as Judge of the Eighth Judicial District, subject to the action of the Democratic District Convention.

Four years ago, without solicitation upon my part, I was nominated to this honorable position by the Democracy of Madison, which nomination was ratified by the Democrats of East Carroll.

At the time this nomination was made, the prospects of an election were gloomy indeed, and there appeared very little, if any probability of success, but being a devoted and ardent Democrat and believing in the Democratic organization and all true Democrats would stand and work earnestly together that success would come sooner or later, I accepted the nomination (though it had been first tendered to and refused by my present worthy opponent), and gave my whole energy to the contest.

By a hard and vigorous struggle upon the part of the Democracy of Madison I was elected. Feeling truly grateful for the high honor which had been conferred upon me, I determined that no act of mine should bring regret to those who had so honored me, and I have endeavored to perform all my official duties firmly and faithfully and impartially to the end that the laws should be enforced and good government prevail throughout my district. I have tried to mete out equal and exact justice under the law to all persons whose interests it became necessary for me to pass upon, and though strong and outspoken as to my political convictions and warm in my personal attachments, I have endeavored never to allow either the one or the other to influence me in the least in matters which have been called upon, or to decide between political opponents or personal friends or foes. If re-nominated and re-elected to the high and honorable position I now hold, I shall regard it with profound satisfaction as approval by the people of my official acts and shall strive in the future as I have in the past, to so conduct myself in the performance of my official duties as to truly merit at the expiration of my next term, the approbation of every good citizen in my District, of whatever political party or faction in life he may belong.

Very respectfully, E. J. DELONY.

Professionals Cards.

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DRIFT.

Send any news from your neighborhood to the TIMES.

Let us have peace.

March winds this week.

The river came to a stand at Vicksburg March 9th.

The subscription list of the TIMES is increasing slowly but surely.

The editor of the TIMES is not R. Weightman; it is Roger C. Weightman.

The solid 5th ward had no signatures to the petition for the mass meeting.

The TIMES has not received the East Carroll Democrat for two weeks. What is the matter Democrat?

The TIMES gladly complies with the request of several papers to exchange, and enters them on the exchange list.

Several buzzards were observed sitting on the roof of the Journal office last Wednesday morning. It is to be hoped there is nothing prophetic about this.

Before the convention. "Oh yes; certainly you shall have a seat. I'll see that you get a seat." After the convention. "I did not get a seat myself."

A chicken fight last Monday drew nearly, if not quite, as large a crowd as the mass meeting. The chicken owned by the TIMES was defeated by a large majority.

Sorry to see such a well-informed paper as the Vicksburg Herald get Louisiana matters so badly mixed. But Louisiana politics are slightly mixed and there is some excuse.

The committee on public printing met yesterday and opened the bids for the parish printing. The TIMES bid \$125, for the balance of the year 1884. The Journal bid \$1. Consequently the Journal got it.

"Is there any chance of getting good quarters in this town," asked a stranger as he stepped from the cars, one day this week. "Well, no, I don't think there is," said a native. "I have been trying for two days to borrow one, and can't."

The TIMES is indebted to Mr. A. C. Monette, the Secretary of the mass meeting held here on Monday, for an official account of the proceedings. The TIMES, however, had a reporter at the meeting who took very full notes of the proceedings, and is, therefore, enabled to present to its readers a much fuller report than is contained in the official account.

To relieve the minds of some gentlemen who are worried about the matter, it is stated here, and now that the editor of the TIMES does all the writing for this paper, and anything he does not write will appear in the shape of either a communication or a clipping from an exchange.

If the Richland Beacon will read carefully the report of the mass meeting held at Tallulah last Monday, it will probably be able to understand the situation in this parish. The party represented by the Journal have never accepted defeat, and wanted harmony only on condition of dictating the terms, as the party represented by the TIMES is the majority and has been so regarded by both bodies to which an appeal has been made they can hardly accept harmony on any such basis.

The Herald would respectfully direct the attention of the proper authorities to the fact that during the high water it is most important to the planters in the lower Mississippi Valley that a gauge be immediately established at Helena, Arkansas, which will denote the rise and fall of the Mississippi at that point. Signal service reports from that section would be invaluable to the planters in the lower portion of the Mississippi Valley.—Vicksburg Herald.

The TIMES fully endorses the above. There is no more important place on the Mississippi during high water than Helena, and it is of the greatest importance that regular news should be obtained from there. If it is not considered desirable to establish a permanent station there, one could be kept up during high water under the charge of a special officer detailed for that purpose.

Ears Like a Jackass.

A young man who was very attentive to a lady, and frequently took her out riding, suddenly ceased his attentions and abandoned riding. On being asked the reason for so doing, he said: he did not propose to take any girl out riding who told him he had ears like a jackass. "Did she say that," asked his friend. "Well," he replied, "I remarked that I felt a drop of rain on my ear, she carelessly said 'poh, that rain is half a mile off.'"—Exchange.

Under Tilden's leadership we

District Convention.

Pursuant to call, the Democratic District Convention, composed of Madison and East Carroll parishes, met at 12 m. on the 11th instant in the town of Delta, Madison parish, La., and went into organization by electing Dr. F. R. Bernard, of East Carroll, Chairman, and J. H. Gilfoil, of Madison, Secretary.

On motion of Mr. Kennedy, of Carroll, the Chair appointed the following Committee on Credentials: J. M. Kennedy, of Carroll, and John B. Stone and G. A. Richardson, of Madison.

The Committee on Credentials presented the following report, which was read, approved and adopted:

We, your Committee on Credentials, beg leave to offer the following report and list of names as delegates composing the Democratic Senatorial and Judicial District Convention of the parishes of Madison and East Carroll, to-wit:

Geo. W. Montgomery, G. A. Richardson, Jno. T. Cochran, J. H. Gilfoil, H. B. Holmes, N. Kahn half vote, M. P. Erwin half vote, Geo. T. Trezevant, Geo. C. Wadell, D. Geo. Humphreys, John B. Stone, Geo. W. Sevier, D. D. DeMoss, of Madison, and F. R. Bernard, Geo. F. Blackburn—Bernard proxy, J. M. Kennedy, of East Carroll.

On motion of Geo. W. Montgomery, it was declared that the Convention sit with open doors.

On motion Jason Hamilton, of East Carroll, and W. T. Smith, of Madison, were elected Sergeants-at-Arms.

Motion, by Mr. Stone, that this Convention appoint a District Executive Committee of three; two from Madison and one from East Carroll, and that the respective delegations name the members on said Committee coming from their respective parishes; amendment by Mr. Kennedy, of East Carroll, "that the Committee be increased to five members;" amendment defeated, and original motion adopted.

Whereupon John B. Stone and Jas. H. Gilfoil for Madison, and J. M. Kennedy for East Carroll, were declared the duly elected members composing said Committee.

The Chair declaring that nominations for State Senator, District Judge and District Attorney, were now in order, Jas H Gilfoil placed in nomination for Senator the name of Geo W. Montgomery, of Madison, which nomination being seconded by Mr. Kennedy, and there being no other names put before the Convention, Geo W. Montgomery was nominated unanimously by acclamation.

Judge E. J. Delony, of East Carroll, was placed in nomination by H. B. Holmes for re-election as Judge of the 8th Judicial District. F. F. Montgomery, of East Carroll, was placed in nomination by J. M. Kennedy for same position; both nominations being duly seconded, the roll of delegates was called, resulting in 2-1-2 votes for Montgomery, and 10-11-12 votes for Delony; whereupon the Chair declared E. J. Delony nominated.

On motion of Geo T. Trezevant, F. F. Montgomery, of East Carroll, was unanimously nominated by acclamation for District Attorney.

On motion of J. M. Kennedy the following resolution was adopted, to-wit:

That the District Executive Committee be given power to fill any vacancy occurring on the above ticket.

On motion of H. B. Holmes it was resolved that the Executive Committees of Madison and East Carroll respectively, have the power to fill any vacancy occurring in the District Executive Committee; the Executive Committee of the parish whose member causes the vacancy, filling said vacancy in said District Executive Committee.

On motion the Secretary of this Convention is instructed to officially notify the nominees of this Convention of their nomination.

On motion, be it resolved, That the Times-Democrat, Vicksburg Herald, and the papers in this District be requested to publish the proceedings of this Convention.

On motion the Convention adjourned sine die.

F. R. BERNARD, Ch'n. J. H. GILFOIL, Sec'y.

POLITICAL NOTES.

A Good Plan.

Mexico has no political conventions. The newspapers do the nominating. The papers begin a discussion of candidates about a year previous to the Presidential election. Next they "postulate," or nominate certain candidates. At the head of the paper will appear, "We postulate" so and so, naming the journal's choice. Then, on election day, the voters assemble at the polling places, and each deposits a written ballot for electors, who are to constitute the Electoral Board of the State. The law stipulates that the ballot must be written, and a table with paper and writing utensils, is provided beside the ballot-box, and the ballot must be written and immediately deposited under the inspection of the supervisor. Sometimes the voters of the different parties will meet a few hours previous and agree upon some candidate, but usually each voter has made a choice of candidates without any pressure from party machinery.—T-D.

Oh! but ain't that nuts for the papers.

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Legal Advertisements.

SHERIFF'S SALE. State of Louisiana, Parish of Madison, 8th District Court.

CITIZENS BANK OF LOUISIANA VS. ELIE GANIER et als, actual possessors—No. 57.

BY virtue of a writ of seizure and sale to me directed from the Honorable the 8th Judicial District Court for the parish of Madison aforesaid in the above entitled cause, I will proceed to sell, at public auction, at the door of the Court-house in the town of Tallulah, in Madison parish, Louisiana, on The First Saturday, the 5th Day of April, A. D. 1884,

between the hours prescribed by law, the following described property, to-wit: A plantation, together with the buildings and improvements thereon, and all the appurtenances thereunto belonging, or in anywise appertaining, situated in the parish of Madison, in this State, which was formed of the parish of Carroll, back from the Mississippi river at about three miles in milliken's Bend, having an area of fourteen hundred and thirty-six 4-100 (1436 9/10) acres more or less, the whole according to a plan annexed to an act of sale by William S. Parham to the said E. Ganier and others, passed before Theodore Seghers, Notary Public, in the city of New Orleans, in this State, on the 5th January, 1866, said plan drawn by Elie A. A. LeBreton, surveyor, in June, 1861, wherein said plantation has been enclosed within the lines designated by the letters A, B, C, D, E, F, G, H, I, J, said plantation lying in township (17) seventeen, range number (13) thirteen east, and composed of the following tracts, to-wit:

1st. A tract being the east half of the southeast quarter of section number (30) thirty, containing seventy-nine and 84-100 (79 84/100) acres.

2d. A tract being the west half of the southeast quarter of section number (30) thirty, containing seventy-nine and 84-100 (79 84/100) acres.

3d. A tract being the northwest quarter, the southwest quarter and the west half of the northeast quarter of section number (25) twenty-five, containing two hundred and thirty-nine 25-100 (239 25/100) acres.

4th. And a tract being the east half of the southeast quarter of section number (24) twenty-four, containing seventy-nine and 87-100 (79 87/100) acres of land. Said tracts of land were at one time owned by Philip Maher, and are duly described in a diagram or plat thereof annexed to an act passed before Theodore Seghers, Notary in New Orleans, Louisiana, on the 19th February, 1838, and they were afterwards purchased by W. S. Parham at a public sale of the property belonging to the succession of Thomas Fitz Williams, deceased, made on the 5th December, 1833, by James L. Crandell, Sheriff of Madison parish, Louisiana, under order of the 10th Judicial District Court of this State, dated the 10th of October, 1833.

5th. And the following tracts, to-wit: The north half of section number (24) twenty-four, and the northwest quarter and the west half of the northeast quarter of section number (25) twenty-five, containing five hundred and fifty-five 25-100 (559 25/100) acres. Said tracts of land, purchased by W. S. Parham from George G. Nolan, by act, passed before J. Whitty Miller, Recorder of the parish of Tensas, on the 6th of February, 1838, together with the two hundred and forty-three shares of mortgaged stock, now reduced to two hundred and twenty-seven shares thereto attached, and fourteen head of mules, seized in the above suit.

Terms of sale—This having been published the second and last time, the said property shall be positively sold by public sale, on the 5th day of April, 1884, for which I will bring on twelve months credit. The purchaser to furnish a stock note for the sum of seven hundred and twenty-nine (729 00) dollars, falling due on the 1st day of December, 1884, and renewable according to the charter of the Citizens Bank of Louisiana. Purchaser to assume all the obligations and responsibilities of a stockholder in the Citizens Bank of Louisiana, up to the amount of two hundred and forty-three (243) shares and the stock note so furnished shall be identified with the two acts of mortgages by Philip Maher and wife, in favor of the said Citizens Bank of Louisiana, passed before Theodore Seghers, Notary Public, in the city of New Orleans, in this State, one on the 12th of April, 1838, and the other on the 4th of August, 1848, and with the Sheriff's deed of sale in this case, and for the balance of the price bid the purchaser shall furnish his bond with good and sufficient security, bearing interest at the rate of ten per cent from date of sale, and special mortgage upon the property sold until final judgment. The said purchaser shall deduct from the amount of his bid and shall pay costs of the advertisement of the Clerk and of the Sheriff, etc., about one hundred and fifty cents, and moreover the taxes of the State and of the parish upon the said property, the amount of which is not yet known.

E. S. DENNIS, Sheriff. By W. H. McFARLAND, Dp'y. Sheriff's Office, Tallulah, Mar 3, 1884.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

State of Louisiana, Parish of Madison, 8th District Court.

Mrs. MARY SIMON WIFE, et al., vs. A. N. SPENCER—No. 514.

BY virtue of a writ of seizure and sale to me directed from the Honorable E. J. Delony, Judge of the 8th District Court for the parish of Madison aforesaid in the above entitled cause, I will proceed to sell, at public auction, at the door of the Court-house in the town of Tallulah, in Madison parish, Louisiana, on The First Saturday, the 5th day of April, A. D., 1884,

between the hours prescribed by law, all the right, title and interest of A. N. Spencer in and to the following described property, to-wit:

All and singular the following described property situated in the town of Delta, Madison parish, Louisiana: The east half of block one hundred and three (103), having a front of one hundred and one hundred and fifty feet on Third street, and three hundred feet on Third street, as shown by plat of said town, made by J. W. Green, together with all the buildings and improvements thereon, seized in the above suit.

Terms of sale—Cash with the benefit of appraisement.

E. S. DENNIS, Sheriff. Per W. H. McFARLAND, Dp'y. Sheriff's Office, Tallulah, March 1, 1884.

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New Advertisements.

MILLO MAIZE.

I HAVE one barrel of the seed of "Millo Maize." Any of my planting friends can get some of these seeds free of cost, if they would like to see Millo Maize planted largely. It has proven a good thing with me.

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District Court—8th Judicial District

Composed of the parishes of Madison and East Carroll. Terms of Court: Madison—Jury Term—1st Mondays in January and June. Civil term—1st Mondays in April and November. East Carroll—Jury term—1st Mondays in July and December. Civil term—1st Mondays in May and October.

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NOTICE.

In reply to assertions made by some of my political opponents—that if I should be elected Sheriff the office would be run in the interest of and for the benefit of others—I take this opportunity of informing my friends and the public that, should they, imposing confidence in me, place me in that position, I will give the office my individual attention and supervision, and my best endeavors shall be to do my duty and deserve the title with which I may be honored. Respectfully,

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SHERIFF'S SALE.

State of Louisiana, Parish of Madison, 8th District Court.

CATCHINGS & Co. vs. Geo. M. Klein—No. 500.

BY virtue of a writ of fieri facias to me directed from the Honorable the 8th Judicial District Court for the parish of Madison aforesaid in the above entitled cause, I will proceed to sell, at public auction, at the door of the Court-house in the town of Tallulah, in Madison parish, Louisiana, on The First Saturday, the 5th day of April, A. D., 1884,

between the hours prescribed by law, all the right, title and interest of Geo. M. Klein in and to the following described property, to-wit:

1st. The Barnes Station tract of land situated on the Vicksburg, Shreveport and Pacific Railroad, about 4 miles east of Tallulah, in this parish, and particularly described as the southeast 1/4 of section number 3; all of section number 10, east 1/4 and southwest 1/4 of the southeast 1/4 and southwest 1/4 of section number 16, north range number 13 east, containing about one thousand acres, more or less, together with all the buildings and improvements thereon.

2d. The Moore & Crump plantation, situated on and near the Mississippi river, in this parish, and more particularly described as lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 and 9, in section number 27, and lots or fractional sections numbers 7, 8 and 9, all in township number 14, north range number 14 east, containing thirteen hundred and eleven 80-100 acres by original U. S. Survey, together with all the buildings and improvements thereon.

3d. Judgments in suits 67 and 442, all the right, title, interest and claim of Geo. M. Klein in and to claim, rights of action, demand and judgment in suit number 1162 on the docket of the late 8th District Court, and also numbered 67, on the docket of the 8th District Court for the parish of Madison, State of Louisiana, and styled W. B. Spencer vs. Goodman, Bradford, et als. Also all the right, title, interest, and judgment and judgment and judgment thereon numbered 412 of the docket of the 8th District Court for the State of Louisiana, parish of Madison, and styled Geo. M. Klein vs. Sheriff Dennis, et als, seized in the above suit, together with all the buildings and improvements thereon, seized in the above suit.

Terms of sale—Cash with the benefit of appraisement.

E. S. DENNIS, Sheriff. Per W. H. McFARLAND, Dp'y. Sheriff's Office, Tallulah, March 1, 1884.

SUCCESSION NOTICE.

State of Louisiana, Parish of Madison, 8th District Court—No. 355 Probate.

SUCCESSION OF JOHN A. KLEIN, deceased.

WHEREAS, Abner W. Crandell has presented a petition to said Court, praying for the administration of said Succession, and judgment of rights in a certain other suit, and the same have, within ten days from the date hereof, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted.

Witness the Honorable E. J. Delony, Judge of said Court, and the official seal thereof, this 28th day of February, A. D. 1884.

F. M. DAWSON, Dp'y Clerk. A true copy. F. M. DAWSON, Dp'y Clerk.

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