

Time Table V., S. & P. Railroad. Table with columns for Stations and Ar. from Monroe.

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

DRIFT.

Incorporate Tallulah. Gnats are nearly gone. Brethren, let us croak.

DRIFT.

Heavy rain Wednesday, and Thursday. The water still falls in spite of the rains.

DRIFT.

Don't be alarmed if you hear a steam whistle in a few days. It is the locomotive. An enterprising man could have made a fortune this season raising ducks and geese.

DRIFT.

One bran new enterprising man with a little money, could find a good opening here. Stop and think over the matter of incorporation, before you conclude it will cost too much.

DRIFT.

The sum of \$15,000 can be raised for the purpose of securing slack water navigation. You can get as good a cigar at Blum's as you have any business wanting.

DRIFT.

Whatever you do, be sure and read the article on slack water navigation. The bill appropriating \$1,000,000 for the Cotton Exposition has passed both houses of Congress.

DRIFT.

The season is apparently a month behind; the cool weather is considerably late, and the April rains show up in May. Mr. J. D. Brazier has left Madison Parish, he has located in Florida.

DRIFT.

The expense attending the incorporation of the town is infinitesimal. The Mayor and councilmen will serve for glory. The Governor was inaugurated on Monday. The parish officers can now begin to look for their commissions.

DRIFT.

The bridge across Canal bayou should be fixed at once. It will cost very much less to do it now than it will when the water has gone.

Peanut Raising.

The bulk of the peanut crop is raised in the South, Tennessee and Virginia furnishing the larger proportion, though large quantities are raised in other States. On the right kind of soil and good cultivation they are a profitable crop.

There are two kinds of peanuts—the red and the white. The red generally sells the best in market.

Three pecks in the shell will readily plant an acre. When planted in hills one bushel will usually plant an acre and a half.

Generally they yield very well, sometimes as high as fifty bushels per acre, and are considered a profitable crop as they occupy the ground only a short time.

Political Notes.

Blaine and Logan have the hurrah crowd with them, but the common sense of the Republican party is distinctly favorable to Arthur.

Affairs in Cuba.

A recent letter from Havana, received in New York, says, the insurgents under Agüero continue to hold their own, and every day the papers are publishing defeats by troops and civil guards of other bands in different parts of the island.

TO ADVERTISERS.

The attention of all who have anything to sell is called to the unusually good medium offered by the Times. The whole outfit of this paper is entirely new, type and all, and a clear and readable impression is more probable than if the material was old and worn.

THE KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS.

The Knights of Pythias hold a meeting next Thursday night. A full attendance is desired.

A "HOSS" ON HIM.

HOSS, a Country Editor Was Entertained by a Daily Man. Mr. Harvey Glidden, editor of the Fennellville Watchman, visited the city the other day, and upon assurance of a half-rate advertisement, which for some time had been running in his paper at top of column, next to reading matter, he registered at a leading hotel.

"Thank you," seating himself with a movement of impressive grace. "I'd like to look at a copy of this morning's paper."

"Find one on that pile there." "Thank you," taking up the paper and opening it with a flirt that made the daily man nervous. "Ah, I see you give Mr. Harvey Glidden, editor of the Fennellville Watchman a flattering notice."

"Yes," plunging into an exchange and sending out a political item. "Do you think he deserved such high praise?"

"I don't know. Thought we'd give him a little talk. Those fellows are all vain, and a flattering notice tickles them nearly to death."

Original Recipes.

Kid shoes may be kept soft and free from cracks by rubbing them once a week with a little pure glycerine or castor oil.

FOR THE HANDS—An excellent preparation for softening the hands is made of equal parts of lamb tallow and glycerine; melt them gently together, add a few drops of some perfume, and use after bathing, rub a little thoroughly into the skin.

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A DOUBLE DROWNING.

On May 15, a negro woman by the name of Nelly Dotson, who had been living with a negro man by the name of Anderson Hill, at five mile lake, made up her mind to leave him. She accordingly did so, and started off. Later on Hill followed her in a skiff, in company with another negro by the name of Doyle. She got as far as Brunswick, when she was overtaken by Hill and Doyle. Nelly and a woman by the name of Mary Robinson got in the skiff with the men and they all came on down to the Baker Place on Island No. 101. They got out here and stopped at a house near Eagle Lake. Doyle told Mary not to go through a strap of woods which was on their road, as Hill was going to kill Nelly, and he would kill her also, Mary called Nelly and told her not to go with Hill as he would kill her. Nelly then refused to go any further, and Hill could not persuade her to go with him. Hill and Nelly got into a scuffle, during which Hill cut Nelly on the chin with a razor, and also cut her left thumb. In response to a call a negro man working in a field near by, came to the house and pulled Hill off as he was pressing Nelly back over a bed, Hill however, held her by the arms and dragged her toward the lake. She called to the man who had pulled Hill off of her to help her. He caught hold of her but Hill gave her a jerk and got her away from the man. While struggling Nelly fell down near the edge of the lake when Hill picked her up and threw her into the lake, the water of which was about two feet and a half below the level of the bank. Not satisfied with this, and probably fearing she might get out, he jumped into the lake and on her. Just what followed is not clearly known, but it is said that Hill only appeared above the water once, and then only the top of his head could be seen. Nelly came up three times, when they both sank to rise no more. Doyle disappeared and has not been seen since.

COURT.

The regular term of court will be held as usual. The first Monday in June is the day on which court opens.

POSTPONED SHERIFF'S SALE.

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

AGUST BERNHEIM & BAUER vs. E. G. PEALE—No. 556.

BY virtue of an order of sale to me directed from the Honorable E. J. Delony, Judge of the Eighth 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 Third Saturday, the 14th day of June, A. D., 1884,

between the hours prescribed by law, all the right, title and interest of E. G. Peale in and to the following described property, to-wit:

All the stock of Dry Goods, Groceries, Wares, Merchandise, etc. Also one Water Tank. Also unexpired lease of Storehouse, and one wagon; set Books and Accounts, seized in the above suit.

Terms of sale—Cash with the benefit of appraisement.

E. S. DENNIS, Sheriff.

Per W. H. McFarland, D'y. Sheriff's Office, Tallulah, May 24, 1884.

SIGNAL SERVICE REPORT.

Stage of Rivers.

WAR DEPARTMENT, OFFICE CHIEF SIGNAL OFFICE, May 24, 2 p.m., Washington time.)

The following observations were taken at the same moment of time at all the stations named:

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Lake One Saw Mill.

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A Cheerful Neighborhood.

A special from Raton, New Mexico, of Tuesday last says: "This morning at 9 o'clock at the Castle Rock ranch, near this city, Arthur B. Manley, a wealthy young English cattle owner, shot and killed a merchant from Vermijo, who called at his ranch. The struggle was a desperate one between the men. Both were powerful young fellows. Manly was unarmed when D. B. Griffin, the merchant, came upon him at his house with his revolver drawn. Manley succeeded in wresting the revolver from Griffin, and shot him twice, once through the heart and once through the head. During the struggle Manley's brother fired and wounded the third brother slightly in the stomach. The affair was the feeling grown out of a double murder occurring near Griffin's store a few weeks ago. The Manleys are very quiet, highly educated men. One is an ex-officer of the British navy, and Arthur, the man who did the fatal shooting, is a graduate of a London school of architecture.—Times-Democrat.

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R. F. Jones... New Orleans. R. L. Gibson... New Orleans.

Members of Congress.

Carlton Hunt... 1st District. E. John Ellis... 2nd "

Court of Appeals—Second Circuit.

Judges, T. P. Clinton and A. A. Gouby. Clerk... H. B. Holtz.

District Court—8th Judicial District.

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Parish of Madison.

Representatives... A. C. Gibson. Clerk... J. R. McDowell.

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Parish School Board.

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