MADISON TIMES

SATURDAY, JUNE 7.

Time Table V., S. & P. Railroad.

Leaves for Monroe.	STATIONS.	Ar. from Monroe
9:00 a. m.	.....Delta.....	4:00 p.m
10:30 a. m.	.....Tallulah.....	2:30 p.m
12:55 p. m.	.....Delhi.....	12:00 day
1:55 p. m.	.....Rayville.....	11:00 a.m
2:17 p. m.	.....Girard.....	10:35 a.m
9:25 a. m.	East. Monroe. West	3:45 p.m
8:35 a. m.	.....Cheniere.....	4:30 p.m
8:17 a. m.	.....Forksville.....	4:48 p.m
8:05 a. m.	.....Calhoun.....	5:00 p.m
7:50 a. m.	.....Averitt.....	5:15 p.m
7:25 a. m.	.....Choudrant.....	5:40 p.m
6:55 a. m.	.....Ruston.....	9:10 p.m
6:30 a. m.	.....Allengreen.....	6:35 p.m
6:10 a. m.	.....Simsboro.....	6:55 p.m
5:30 a. m.	.....New Arcadia.....	7:30 p.m

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.

Mail from Omega and Millikens Bend arrives Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 11 a.m., and leaves at 2 p.m. of same days.

J. M. HEBERT, P. M.

DRIFT.

Incorporate.

Don't Croak.

Let us have a dog law.

Enforce the stock law.

It is not too late to whitewash.

Sammy will most likely get it.

The high water of 1884 is over.

Did the whistle frighten you?

The boys should have a chance.

The squirrels are waiting for you.

Horse flies have made their appearance.

You'll never have a better paper in this parish than the TIMES.

Judge Slack has got his whole family together again.

How much space has Madison applied for in the Exposition?

How would it do to have a female doctor here?

A female barber would do a good business.

That letter containing two dollars for your subscription got lost.

The TIMES will publish the notice of incorporation for nothing.

Has the new man with the cash arrived yet?

The way to injure a town is to hold it back.

That Canal bayou bridge needs fixing.

The Police Jury should appoint a road overseer the first thing.

Slack water navigation can be secured.

There was cotton over ten inches high in the parish last week.

Madison has secured no space at the Exposition.

There is no better parish in the State than Madison.

The levees will be built, beyond a doubt.

Why don't you join the Knights of Pythias?

Who is going to build the first house?

Slack water navigation is the theme.

Dr. Trezevant received a fine horse from Kentucky this week.

The pic-nic season is about to open.

An alligator with a curly tail is a curiosity.

Kelly (John) supports Sammy because he thinks he will not live long.

Buy your drugs of Fulton M. Mc Rae. He believes in Madison Parish.

It was reported that the TIMES building was going to be whitewashed, but it was a mistake.

It is rumored that the Times-Democrat is getting out an almanac for 1884, but it must be a mistake.

You can have slack water navigation just as easy as not, if you want it.

Tallulah and vicinity received a needed and beneficial rain Tuesday, but it rained all the rest of the week.

It should have read, "The Deer Creek made her last trip last week," instead of "this week," a wink comes in here.

If charbon appears in this section secure a copy of the TIMES of May 10, follow the instructions there given and you will come out all right.

A bill has been introduced in the legislature providing for the election of police jurors. Better provide for their appointment for all time in the future, or until we have more intelligent and fewer ignorant voters.—Richland Beacon.

THE TRAINS.

The first train since March 19, arrived at Tallulah Thursday June 5. The engine came hindpart before but it had to come or go that way, as there is no turntable here.

On Sunday the train will go through to Crew Lake and stay there that night, and on Monday morning it will run on the following schedule:

Leave Crew Lake - - - 6:45 a.m.
Arrive at Delta - - - - 12:10 p.m.
Returning Leave Delta - 1:30 p.m.
Arrive at Crew Lake - - 6:50 p.m.

Connecting with hand car for Monroe.

In two weeks it is probable through trains to Monroe, will be running and we may get our fourth of July excursion to Shreveport.

Time's Changes.

Marion Cobb, a responsible gentleman of the Lusby's Mill precinct, Ky., says he saw a squirrel acting in a very peculiar manner up in the top of a tree and it caused him to stop and watch its actions. Pretty soon it came down the tree bearing a bunch of something in its mouth, and went directly to the creek. When he got to the edge of the water it turned round and backed into the creek until the water covered it entirely, except the tip of its nose when it let go the bunch, which floated off down the creek. To gratify his curiosity, Marion went down and got the bunch, and found, he says, that it had a million fleas on it.—Owenton News.

Ninety-three years ago, it was a fox, that disposed of fleas in that way.

A Healthy Candidate.

"Is Mr. Tilden in?" asked the interviewer. Hardly had he got the words out of his mouth before Mr. Tilden, in a full suit of chain armor, leaped from the second floor landing with the remark, in a voice like thunder: "Here I am, young man; what's wanted?" The reporter managed to murmur something about "candidacy" and "convention;" but before he could proceed further the Sage turned a double back-somersault and informed the interviewer that he was out of politics. "May I ask who is your first choice?" asked the interviewer, timidly. "My first choice!" shouted Mr. Tilden, in his excitement wrenching three or four uprights from the stair railing. "I have no first choice. The country however, wants a strong man." And he struck the heavy oaken front door a tremendous blow, knocking it completely off the hinges. "However," he added with a wink, "you understand." The reporter understood and he returned to the office and informed the world through the columns of his newspaper that Mr. Tilden was a complete wreck."—Boston Transcript.

A Snake in a Sleeping Car.

"The liveliest time I ever had on the road," said the sleeping car conductor, "was one night when a snake got loose in my car. We were coming East from St. Louis, and out at Effingham, Ill., we took on a family of Pittsburgers bound for home. There was a boy of ten in the party, who carried a little wicker cage in his hand, partly wrapped up. I thought, of course, he had a bird in it and allowed him to take it with him into the car. That night at Dayton, which we reached at 9:30 o'clock, a pretty young lady was put aboard and took a berth at the end of the car, near the ladies' dressing-room. About 10 o'clock I was at the other end of the car, looking at the porter blacking the boots, when suddenly there came from the dressing-room some of the shrillest screaming you ever heard—so keen that we heard it over the noise of the train. I rushed through the car, followed by the porter, and found the little lady who got on at Dayton perched on tiptoes on the washstand, frightened out of her wits, and pointing at something on the floor. She was so excited that I couldn't make out what she was saying, but I looked down, and there was a nasty little green snake coiled up in the middle of the floor and moving his head about from side to side, evidently ready for a fight. I wasn't exactly afraid of the thing, but it did give me a creepy sort of a feeling to see it in my car, and I was just about to kill it when I heard somebody behind me yelling: 'It's my snake! Don't kill it! Don't kill it!' and the boy who had brought the cage into the car rushed in and took the snake up in his hands. But when the boy had put the snake back in his cage I settled matters by dropping the cage, snake and all, out of the window. I felt like dropping the boy out, too. The boy had put the cage under the berth on the floor, and when the porter was fishing out the boots he must have upset it and let the snake out."—Ex.

A Rising Georgian.

The Hon. John C. Nicholls, who represents the entire ocean shore of Georgia, population about equally divided between white and black, is a man in the prime of life—just 50. He served in the Confederate army throughout the war, and, being a lawyer and also a planter, possesses in his own experience a sufficient variety of sympathy with his fellow men of all the classes to prevent him from taking extreme position on any topic. There are so many extremists and impracticables in the present Congress that the spectacle of a man of sound and conservative convictions standing squarely by right legislation and refusing to be coaxed or driven to act in conflict with his own judgement is cooling and comforting.

Mr. Nicholls, feeling that the Morrison horizontal bill was unwise, paired against its consideration, and has thereby subjected himself to such a torrent of inconsiderate and unjust abuse from the free trade papers in Georgia as no other member of the minority of the Democratic Representatives has been called to endure—except Mr. Randall. When we remember the pressure that was exerted to compel acquiescence in the free traders' programme, a pressure more fierce than Congress has witnessed before in many years, so strong that it swept from their moorings such strong men as Col. Hewett and Gen. Shelby, of Georgia, and many others whose convictions were not reached at all by the argument, we can only think that the men who did withstand in that time of trial are more heroic than the dead heroes whose fame we celebrate with vernal flowers.

Mr. Nicholls stands up like a rock against the abuse hurled at him. Instead of flinching before it he shows, by a few short sentences, that he knows exactly what he has done and why he has done it. Replying to the arraignment of the Savannah News, he says: "It certainly was not good policy to disturb the harmony of the party, and to alarm the business centres of the country on the eve of a Presidential election, especially as a Republican Executive and Senate stood ready to strangle any reform we might inaugurate. The matter should have been remitted to its proper forum, the National Democratic Convention. We should first acquire the power, and then deal with this purely business question in a business manner, making such reductions as accord with the great interests involved, and retaining the duty intact on industries absolutely requiring protection."

That is sound Democracy, and consequently it is sound common sense. It is in complete concord with the real sentiment of Georgia, the judgement of those of her sons who know her interests and are interested with them. Shriekers for Reform may ride into place on an impulse of popular favor, but they prove when power is given into their hands, themselves unfitted for any practical achievement. Real reform can never be effected save by those who know how deeply the great industries of the nation are concerned, and who feel their responsibilities and perform their duties in the light of that knowledge.—Picayune.

Miss Maud Crowley, the eldest daughter of the Hon. Richard Crowley, of Lockport. N. Y., a young lady who in health was rarely beautiful and gifted, died on the 25th at the family residence, at the age of 19 years. She had been ill with consumption eighteen months, and her parents, who fairly idolized her, had taken her South and to the Pacific coast, hoping for benefit. She was a belle in society circles at home and in Washington, and it was at one time reported that President Arthur's son, Allen, and she were to be married. The funeral took place on Tuesday.—Ex.

The death is announced at Ardmone, Pa., of the wife of R. J. Burdette, the well known humorist. The deceased was married to Mr. Burdette on March 4, 1870, when she was thought to be at the point of death, and when so feeble that her responses could only be made by a slight movement of the eyes and a faint pressure of the hand. She subsequently rallied and recovered some degree of health. In 1875 she was broken completely down by an attack of rhumatic fever, and has since been a hopeless invalid. It was through his wife's persuasions that Mr. Burdette first began to lecture, as it was to please her and drive away gloom and pain that he wrote his first humorous articles.—T-D.

For The Press.

At the last meeting of the Press Association, a resolution was adopted requesting its President to ask the General Assembly to pass a law that will secure payment to the printer of his charges for legal advertisements of which he is frequently deprived, by the entanglements of law precedures.

This matter having been brought to the attention of Hon. Robert P. Hunter, of Rapides, a gentleman as distinguished for his legal ability, as for the talent he has at times displayed as an editorial writer,—that gentleman has generously undertaken to urge compliance with the just request made by the Press, and Monday last, in the House of Representatives, he gave notice that he would introduce an Act—

"To fix the rate and regulate the cost of judicial advertisements succession notices, etc.; to require parties ordering same to gave security satisfactory to the printer for the cost of same, in advance of the publication, and making sheriffs, administrators, syndics, etc., personally liable for failure to demand said security; to make the payment for judicial advertisements, due prior to the expiration of the time fixed for sales, appointment of administrators syndics, etc., and authorizing the publishers of newspapers to discontinue said advertisements if the costs of same are not paid prior to the time fixed for sales, appointments, etc., making the cost of same a part of the sheriff's and clerk's costs to be so taxed when not paid in advance, and to repeal all laws or parts of laws in conflict with this act."—Capitolian Advocate.

Trains leave Tallulah going East at 11:30 a.m., connecting with the 1 o'clock ferry.

NOTICE.

TALLULAH, La., May 31, 1884.

The assessments for the year 1884, are now ready for inspection, and correction. All parties desiring to investigate their assessments, are notified to do so within the next thirty days.

J. H. GILFOIL,
Assessor.

The hero of the hour at Berlin at present is Dr. Koch. the president of the German Cholera Commission, who has just returned from India, where he has discovered the cholera germ. He studied medicine at Gottingen, and afterwards pursued his microscopic studies of bacteria at Breslau under Prof. Cohn. Dr. Koch has been known to the scientific world for some time as a conscientious and acurate observer, but to the unscientific world his name was unknown until his discovery of the cholera germ.—Ex.

A Hundred Mile Pneumatic Tube.

An application was made to the Commissioners of the Illinois and Michigan Canal at their meeting today by a Chicago lawyer for the right of way along the canal to La Salle for a pneumatic tube. He proposes to sink a hole in the ground five feet from the surface, and run it from Chicago to La Salle, one hundred miles. It is is to be used in shipping wheat, bundles and other portable stuff.

Commissioner Callaghan asked the applicant how the articles were to be transported: whether it was designed to make the tube a highway for mail carriers. A disgusted expression flitted over the lawyer's face as he answered: "By compressed air, of course. I shall have two engines, one at each end, and stations at Lockport, Joliet, and intermediate points."

"How fast can the bundles travel!" inquired Commissioner Brown.

"A mile a minute," answered the applicant. "Wheat and corn will be put in in bulk, and will go faster."

"Well, gentlemen," said the attorney, angrily, "I didn't think I should be made the target for your wit when I came here. Will you give the right of way or not?"

The commissioners talked over the matter, and finally decided to let the attorney put down his tube, provided he would pay the usual toll charges on the canal.—Chicago News.

LETTERS

Remaining in Post Office at Tallulah, La., June 7th, 1884.

Charlie Brown	B. C. Clement
Robert James Cook	Joseph F. Denning
Ephraim Dunn	Wm. Echardt
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Sipp Taylor	Jenny Warden—2
Henry Williams	Albert Williams
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Miss Georganna Woods.

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JAS. A. STONE.

SUCCESSION NOTICE.

State of Louisiana. Parish of Madison, 8th District Court—No. 339 Probate.

SUCCESSION OF JOHN EMBERT, deceased.

WHEREAS, Henry M. Floyd has presented to said Court, his final account as administrator of said successions, wih his petition praying that said account be approved, confirmed and homologated (after due notice) and he be discharged with judgement as prayed for.

Now therefore, all persons are required to show cause, if any they 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 29th day of May, A. D. 1884.

F. M. DAWSON, Dp'y Clerk.
A true copy attest.
F. M. DAWSON, Dp'y Clerk.
May 31, 3t.

POSTPONED SHERIFF'S SALE.

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

AUGUST 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 21st 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:

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Terms of sale—Cash with the benefit of appraisement.

E. S. DENNIS, Sheriff.
Per W. H. MCFARLAND, Dp'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.

Stations.	Above low water. Feet.	Ins.	Changes. Rise. In's.	Fall. In's.
Cairo	20	8	1	0
Chattanooga	3	6	0	4
Cincinnati	0	0	0	0
Helena	0	0	0	0
Leavenworth	14	2	2	0
Little Rock	0	0	0	0
Memphis	15	9	0	1
Nashville	2	11	0	1
*New Orleans	2	0	0	0
Omaha	10	2	0	0
Pittsburg	2	3	0	4
Shreveport	28	2	0	1
St. Louis	18	0	4	0
St. Paul	6	10	0	1
Vicksburg	38	0	0	10

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" 3.....G. A. Richardson
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" 5.....M. P. Erwin
" 6.....
" 7.....Geo. W. Sevier
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