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TERMS OF SUBSCRIPTION.

ONE YEAR, - - - \$2 00
SIX MONTHS, - - - 1 25
THREE MONTHS, - - - 75

DRIFT.

Game is reported plentiful.
Police Jury meets Monday.
The ice season is nearly over.
The hunting season is opened.
The week opened beautifully.
The fall mosquitoes are very vicious.
The public schools opened Monday.
Some cotton has come into Tallulah this week.
Tallulah needs a young energetic and able physician.
Parties have been rare about Tallulah this season.
The depot platform at Tallulah needs repairing badly.
Circuit Court the fourth Monday in this month—the 24th.
The cotton receipts at Tallulah are something respectable.
It would not be a bad idea to get your winter stoves in order.
The platform and walk at the depot are in a frightful condition.
Dr. Geo. T. Trezevant has been quite sick for the last two weeks.
It is said that the double daily trains will soon be re-established.
Wild geese were flying south, in Dakota last week. They will soon be here.
Four weeks from to-day, is the day set for the Nicholls meeting at Tallulah.

Mr. O. P. Hebert left for Diamond Island Bend the first of the week.

It is clearly demonstrated that Paris Green is an antidote to cotton worms.

District Court—Jury term—the first Monday in December.

Capt. Jno. B. Stone returned from a short visit to Monroe, last Wednesday.

Capt. H. B. Holmes is enjoying a visit from his mother, Mrs. Gordon and her son.

Mrs. Allnut has not recovered from her attack of rheumatism and is still confined to her bed.

The fourth crop of cotton worms have made their appearance, but they can't do any damage now.

Everybody is busy about cotton picking, ginning, bailing or hauling, and the towns are deserted.

The new schedule on the V., S. & P., is the most convenient for Tallulah that we have had for some time.

The example of Mr. Fleming, in announcing himself, is worthy of emulation. Other candidates should follow suit.

Most of the planters raised all the corn they will need for their own use; many of them raised more than they can use.

Mrs. A. S. Stone and Miss Amanda Stone returned from their trip to Illinois, Thursday. The trip was a great benefit to them.

The V., S. & P., freight trains coolly block both the railroad crossings in Tallulah, as long as they please; yesterday a train blocked both crossings for half an hour or more.

The red circular was to have disappeared from the columns of the Times this week, but the item threatens to show how it came about if it is not dropped, and for the sake of hearing this proposed fable the red circular is allowed to remain. Show it up, Mr. Item.

The hanging of Andrew Fleming, which is to take place on the 21st, does not appear to deter others from killing. Two violent deaths have occurred in this parish within a week of each other; one on the Waterford plantation, in which case the manager of the plantation—a white man—killed a negro by the name of Reuben Savage, and the other in the Mound neighborhood, where a colored man killed a colored woman.

True Democracy.

The Shreveport Times stated some time ago that Governor McEnery had not expressed himself as to whether he would not support Gen. Nicholls in the event that Gen. Nicholls received the Democratic nomination for Governor of Louisiana.

Governor McEnery's Democracy is too well known in this part of the State to be questioned; but in order to settle this matter we wrote to the Governor for a plain and candid answer which for the information of those who may doubt his fealty to the Democratic party we take the liberty of copying his letter; not that we ever doubted his loyalty to the party but as a striking contrast with Gen. Nicholls' course:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
STATE OF LOUISIANA,
Baton Rouge, Sept. 19, 1887.

W. P. MANGHAM, Esq., Rayville, La.
Dear Sir: I have received your letter of 17th inst., in which you ask me if I will support Gen. Nicholls if he is nominated for the office of Governor by the State Democratic Convention. Of course I will do so earnestly and will do all in my power to secure his election.

I have never yet failed to obey the behests of my party, or questioned the fitness of the nominee whom the party has selected as its candidate, or scratched a ticket. I have never put my judgment against that of the party expressed through its convention. With me the contest ends with the nomination. Truly yours,

S. D. McENERY.

The above letter has the ring of pure, unadulterated Democracy.—Richland Beacon.

A Convention of the Improvement of the Western Waterways will be held in Memphis, Tenn. on the 20th and 21st of October 1887. The call for the Convention is made by the Executive Committee at the request of the Memphis Merchant's Exchange, and the Convention will represent all the states of the Mississippi and Missouri Valleys.

The New York Sun says the style for men's suits this season will be the reverse of suits of one color; coat, pants, necktie and gloves will be different colors. One gentleman mentioned, wore pants of a maroon stripe, green silk vest, brown sack coat, pearl colored Derby hat, reddish gloves and a yellowish necktie. He must have been a gaudy bird.

Our reporter having called Judge Steele's attention to the report in circulation to the effect that he had negotiated a loan for the building of the Mississippi Valley Railroad (west), he says the report is not exactly correct. The loan has not been negotiated, but a contract has been made for placing the loan, which will depend upon carrying out certain conditions on the line, such as securing rights of way, the tax in Pointe Coupee and Madison parishes, etc. The stringency of the money market at present is given as one of the causes which has delayed the enterprise.—Natchez Democrat.

LETTERS.

Remaining in Post Office at Tallulah, La., Sept. 2, 1887.

Ellen Burks, Willie Bradley, Samuel Bell—Miss Kate Baugh, Capt. J. M. Davis, James Green, Miss Hattie DeCamp, Anthony Green, Miss Easter Farmer, N. E. Hughes, Sarah E. Jones, Irvin Jenkins, James E. Jones, Mrs. Harriett Johnson, Mrs. Susan Lewis, James Lee, Andrew Logan, Miss Lucy Montgomery, Elias May, James Matthews, Josephine Martin, Miss J. P. Moore, Miss Prince Ella Moore, Joe Nelson, Annie Smith, Windfield Scott, Noah Smith, Mrs. Millie Simons, Abram Williams, Rev. J. W. Weston, Rena Whit, James S. Wardine, Matilda Washington, Rosana Young—2.

Persons calling for letters in this list will please say "advertised."

J. M. HEBERT, P. M.

NOTICE TO TEACHERS.

The appointments of the teachers of the Public Schools for the ensuing session, confirmed by the Board of School Directors, are as follows, to-wit:

White, 1st Grade.

Omega,.....Mrs. M. A. Hynes,
Miliken's Bend, Miss. Alice V. Richardson.
Cabin Teale,.....Miss Vic Morancy,
Delta,.....Sallie McLean,
Mounds,.....Lucy Reid,
Tallulah,.....Anna M. Stewart,
Islington,.....Tabor Morrow,
White Church,.....Mrs. A. L. Johnston,
Chesterfield,.....Zella Andrews,
Waverly,.....A. B. Armstrong.

Colored, 2d Grade.

Tallabena,.....E. McClellan,
Oak Grove,.....B. Q. Branch,
Duckport,.....J. H. Jackson,
Hockley,.....Miss M. Caldwell,
Delta,.....Sallie Washington,
Elcho,.....Mollie Buckner,
Brown & Johnson, R. L. Toombs,
Kellough,.....A. R. Jamison,
Cholula,.....J. M. Scott,
Islington,.....L. W. McIntyre,
Araby,.....Mollie Caldwell,
Mounds,.....Thea E. Smith,
Tallulah,.....A. J. Owens,
DeMoss,.....B. F. Watson,
Waverly,.....W. M. Williams.

The Public Schools will be opened on the first Monday, the 3rd day of October.

A. C. MONETTE,

Superintendent Schools.

Tallulah, La., Sept. 5th, 1887.

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OR J. E. MAGRUDER, A. M.

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SUCCESSION NOTICE.

State of Louisiana, Parish of Madison
5th Judicial District Court.Succession of
S. ANANDA ASKEW, deceased, } No. 333.

BY VIRTUE OF A WRIT OF SALE
Do to me directed by said Court,
bearing date 2d December, 1885, re-
quiring me to sell all or a part of the
property of said succession, to pay the
debts thereof, I will sell at the front
door of the Court House of said Parish,
in Tallulah, on Saturday the

1st day of October 1887,
within the legal hours, all and singular
rights, title and interest of said
succession in and to all that real prop-
erty lying north of the Vicksburg
Shreveport & Texas railroad right-of-
way, in and contiguous to the town of
Tallulah, a plat and description of
which lands will be exhibited on the
day of sale, said lands containing about
140 acres, more or less.

TERMS OF SALE—Cash with the ben-
efit of appraisement.

JAMES B. ASKEW, Administrator.

SUCCESSION SALE.

State of Louisiana, Parish of
Madison, Eighth Judicial
District Court.

Succession of } No. 371.

Mrs. Susan A. Biggs dec'd. } Probate.
BY Virtue of a Commission to sell,
to me directed, from the Honorable
Eighth Judicial District Court for
the Parish of Madison aforesaid, in the
above named succession of date Jan.
21st 1887, I will proceed to sell at public
auction at the front door of the Court
House in the town of Tallulah, said
Parish on Saturday, the

5th day of November, A. D. 1887,
within the hours prescribed by law for
judicial sales, the following described
property of said succession to-wit:
The Herperia plantation situate in
the Parish of Madison, State of Louisi-
ana, being that portion of said planta-
tion which has not caved in the river,
comprising portions of lots or fractional
sections Nos. four (4), five (5), six (6),
seven (7), eight (8) and (9), all in Town-
ship No. 15 North Range Number Fifteen
East, and estimated by the inventory of
said succession to now contain about
Three Hundred acres of land together
with the buildings and improvements
thereon appraised at Eight Hundred
dollars to pay the debts of said suc-
cession and order of sale.

Terms of Sale—Cash not less than
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W. K. KELLY, Administrator
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Tallulah, La. Sept. 24, 1887.

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AGENT,

Tallulah, - - - La.
Sept. 11

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