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Church Services.

Services at the Methodist church every First and Third Sunday at 11 a. m., and 7:30 p. m., by the Pastor, Rev. H. Armstrong. Prayer meeting every Wednesday night at 7:30 p. m.
BAPTIST—M. E. Weaver, pastor. Regular services, second and fourth Sundays, 11 a. m., and 8 p. m.; Sunday School, 10 a. m.; Prayer meeting, Wednesday, 8 p. m. All invited.

Lodges.

Phoenix Lodge No. 38, A. F. & A. M.—Simeoe Walmsley, W. M.; J. C. Trichel Jr., Sec. Meets first and third Wednesdays, at 7 p. m.
Castle Hall No. 89, Knights of Pythias—U. P. Brezenle, C. C.; Adolph L. Herisson, K. of R. S. Meets second and fourth Thursdays, at 8 p. m.

Courts.

DISTRICT COURT.
Criminal Term—First, Monday's in June and December.
CIVIL TERM.
First Monday's in March and October.
CIRCUIT COURT.
First Monday's in April and November.

Capt. C. J. DuFroc was in town Monday, to meet the School Board.

The Police Jury met Monday in regular session.

Any Person

Wishing to know the truth in regard to their health should not fail to send for a valuable and new 64-page Booklet which will be sent FREE for a short time to those who mention this paper. This book is published by the celebrated physicians and specialists—Dr. Hathaway & Co., of 337 St. Charles St., New Orleans, La., whom you should address. Write to-day.

Messrs. F. M. Bolton and J. M. Goram, substantial citizens of ward 8, were in town Saturday.

Mr. E. J. Gamble of St. Maurice, was before the Police Jury Monday, with a suspension bridge proposition, which if successful, will save the parish many dollars on its bridges.

CASTORIA.

The fam- ible signature of *Chas. H. Hatcher* is on every wrapper.

Percy Sandel, Esq., of Monroe, Attorney for the Monroe and Natchitoches railroad, was in town Monday, to sign up contract with the Police Jury for the railroad bridge across Red river at Grand Ecure.

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m25-3t. **MRS. E. NORES.**

We are to have 3 drug stores in Natchitoches. Mr. A. M. Deirich will open one next door to Lichtenstine, Dr. G. H. Prothro will superintend the Trichel drug store, while Mr. E. L. McClung will continue at the Natchitoches.

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There is a movement on foot to have all business houses in town close at 7 p. m. from May 1st to Sept. 1st, as has been the custom here for the past 2 years. This is right and proper, and no first class house has ever refused it heretofore.

Boarders Wanted.

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Not exactly as an "April fool," but on the 1st inst. our popular and obliging postmistress, Mrs. E. Suddath, vacated the office and bid good bye to her many patrons whom she had served so faithfully and well for the past 4 years.

Mr. Breda, who is now in charge, made eqnly as good a record 4 years ago, and now enters upon a new term, with the best wishes of every one.

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Mr. C. R. Jones, book-keeper for S. Nelken of this city, left yesterday for his home at Gansville, where he goes for a few days to visit among relatives and friends.

After repeated attempts at repairing the dirt bridge across bayou Amulet, the city is again doing more extensive work this week, with the hope that it will be more substantial this time.

Mr. Marcus Lewis, the tobacco drummer started yesterday on a business trip for a few weeks, through the hills.

The Time for Renewal.

All nature is renewed in the springtime. The sky takes on a fresher color, the trees don their Easter garments, every thing seems glad and happy. It seems a pity that at such a beautiful season so disagreeable a malady as the so-called "spring fever" should unfit a great many people to enjoy the unaccustomed sunshine and freshness that prevails. What is spring fever? It is that sluggishness and irritability which every one takes a spring tonic for, "Bad blood" some people call it. A great deal of "blood medicine" is sold in the spring of the year. The blood, the vigor the health must be renewed, with the trees and flowers and grass. The principal difficulty is, which of the numerous spring tonics is the best? Which will cure permanently and remove quickly all the disagreeable symptoms? Read what Mrs. Adlin Adams, Crafton, Ky., says of Pe-ru-na; "I was about to give up all hopes when I concluded to take Pe-ru-na. I believe it is the best medicine in the world. I can't speak too highly of it."

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In response to a call made by Lieutenant Stephens for active volunteers in the National military service, Capt. W. S. Trichel and his Company, met at the Armory Hall last Tuesday night. The entire company, with four exceptions volunteered, and have thus shown their willingness to take up arms in obedience to their country's call. We congratulate Capt. Trichel and his Company upon the excellent showing they have made.

When the Government owns the railroads you can go from New York to San Francisco for one dollar. Read F. G. R. Gordon's article on that subject in the April New Time.

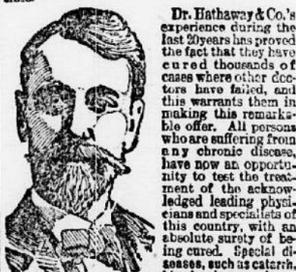
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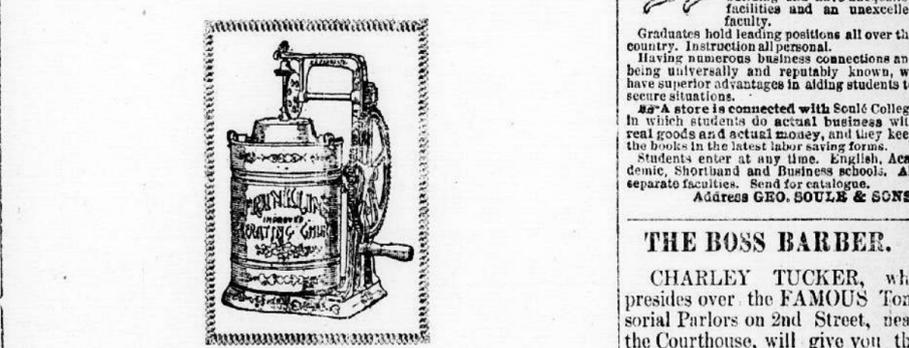
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