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FRIDAY, April 29, 1898.

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.—Simcoe Walsley, 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. Breazeale, 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.

Messrs. F. W. Airey and N. C. Lestage, two intelligent and worthy young citizens of Clarence, this parish, are now canvassing Ouachita parish for the Farmers' Business Record, and are meeting deserved success.

Straw Hats! Straw Hats! in great variety for Men, Boys and Children, at J. A. Duconrou & Son, a22-2t.

Messrs. Jno. Henry, R. B. Williams, A. J. Plache, G. A. Kilgore and M. H. Holloway of ward 9, were in town Tuesday.

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Mr. H. P. Gamble of St. Maurice, passed through here Wednesday from New Orleans, where he had been conferring with Gen. Wood in reference to raising a company for that regiment.

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Mr. W. O. Bates, P. M. at Provencal was in town Wednesday, also Mr. R. C. Boswell, P. M. at Lotus, ward 7.

Natchitoches is asking the Constitutional convention for the privilege of issuing bonds for water-works.

Successful Physicians.

We heartily recommend Dr. Hathaway & Co., of 337 St. Charles Street, New Orleans, La., as being perfectly reliable and remarkably successful in the treatment of chronic diseases. They cure where others fail. They never employ traveling doctors. Our readers if in need of medical help should certainly write them, and you will receive free of charge their expert opinion of your case by return mail. They guarantee their cures.

Rev. C. V. Terral of ward 2, was in town Wednesday, and says the cyclone of last Friday evening passed through his section doing some damage to fences and outhouses.

If you contemplate purchasing household furniture, by all means send for the catalogue of the Quaker Valley Manufacturing Co., 319 and 321 South Canal Street, Chicago. March 25-4m.

Mr. W. F. Dickerson of Winnfield was in Natchitoches Wednesday.

On last Thursday at the Catholic church in Campti, La., Mr. Albert Cloutier and Miss Edna Perot were married. Mr. Cloutier is one of the leading merchants of Campti and enjoys the esteem and confidence of all who know him. The bride is a very attractive young lady and has a host of friends in this place.—Cousatta Citizen.

Our local militia Co. "I," has had a tough time getting itself in shape to defend old Glory. First a lot of the "kids" agreeably discovered that they were too fresh (young) to go to real war. Others who were old enough and large enough, found that business had so multiplied or they had just got married, or was just about to, or wanted to, and so couldn't go. Then outsiders were called on to enlist—even Pops, for whose benefit the Co. was doubtless organized, were invited, but they didn't accept to any very alarming extent, and the Co. was compelled to stay at home, or to consolidate with another company similarly situated, which it found in Co. "K" of Shreveport (Trezevant rifles). Capt. W. S. Trichel of Co. "I" was honored by being made Captain of the new company, and will be allowed to retain Lieut. V. G. Hyams, and perhaps others of his staff.

To the brave Captain and every member of Co. "I," who goes out to defend the flag in this crisis, we can extend unstinted praise, but the dudes and soaks who remain behind while their comrades are at the front; show that they donned the uniforms and the colors for show at the behest of politicians and nincompoops.

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For Infants and Children. The Kind You Have Always Bought. Bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher*

Mr. T. B. Rodgers, a prosperous farmer of Macedonia, Jackson parish, passed through here Wednesday for Southwest Texas, looking for "God's country." Big trip for nothing. Texas has no country equal to Cano river. Then if you don't like it, it doesn't cost so much to find it out.

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There will be a series of meetings held at the Baptist church here in town, beginning next Tuesday at 11 o'clock. Rev. J. A. Hendricks, who preached so acceptably to our people two years ago will be here to do the preaching during the meeting. All are cordially invited to attend.

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.

Jury Drawn.

Messrs. Jos. Henry, J. Alphonse Prudhomme, D. M. Simmons, Dr. J. W. Cockerham and W. C. Cox, Jury Commissioners were in town Monday, and with Clerk Hyams, proceeded to draw the jury for the regular June term of the District Court. Names of jury drawn will be published next week.

A small cyclone passed through the Spanish Lake vicinity, about 5 to 7 miles from here last Friday evening, blowing down several buildings, mostly out houses. Fortunately no lives were lost, but Mrs. Brown, wife of Dr. G. W. Brown, of this place, was seriously hurt.

The Cleveland Plain Dealer address this pathetic "adios" to Spain, and in rhyme at that: Laud of garlic and tortillas, Land of cebecs and mantillas, Land of mules and smuggled bitters, Land of raisins and of fritters, Land of Pedro and of Sancho, Land of Weyler and of Blanco, Land of bullfights and pesetas, Land of dusky señoritas, Land of manners stiff and hanghty, Land of Isabella naughty, Land of Boudill and Hanil, Don't you hear your Uncle Sam? "Git it."

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A daughter of Theodore Rachal of ward 10, was bitten by a "Pilot," somewhat like the "Rattle snake," on last Sunday. Her brother promptly bound the arm above the bite, and sucked the poison from the wound, which with a little "snake-root" taken internally, warded off the deadly effect of the bite and the young lady is doing well.

Mr. J. B. Tucker has been on the sick list for the past two weeks, but is out again and off on a trip to Hot Springs for recuperation.

The postponed civil term of Dist. Court will be held next week, opening Monday.

Married:

At the residence of the bride's parents at Bernuda, on Tuesday, April 26th, Miss M. Atala Prudhomme to Mr. Sam H. Hill, Rev. Father Andries officiating.

At Trinity church, this city, on Wednesday, April 27th, Miss Edna C. Cockerham of Natchitoches, to Mr. Edwin T. McCoomb of Canada, Bishop Davis Sessums of New Orleans, officiating.

Prof. E. H. Smith, Principal of the Central High School at Fort Jessup, has accepted a position as first assistant in the State Normal at Natchitoches. His ability as an educator has been recognized by the State Board of education, and the Banner is glad to know that he has been tendered a good position. The Ft. Jessup School was a success while under his management, and the people of this parish, as well as the pupils of the school, realize that they sustain a great loss by losing his services. He was educated in the best of northern colleges and is quite proficient in normal methods, which makes him equal to the position he now occupies.—Sabine Banner.

Deadly Engine of Destruction

A dispatch from Wayne, Me., says: Hudson Maxim, a brother of Hiram Maxim, the inventor of the famous Maxim rapid fire gun, has just invented a gun that in its awful destructive force goes far beyond Hiram's. It is called Maxim Aerial torpedo and is designed for coast defense and naval work. As its name implies, the torpedo is fired into the air instead of being shot along the surface of the water. In fact it is used the same as any cannon or mortar. The gun from which it is fired has a bore of 2 1/2 inches. It will throw a ton of dynamite a distance of five miles, and if the torpedo strikes anywhere within 200 feet of a warship it will shiver it to atoms. Mr. Maxim has also invented a smokeless powder to be used with this torpedo.—Ex.

There are worse things to face in life than death. They last always and even death does not obliterate their memory.—Times.

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J. T. JORDAN, Metrose, La., April 1st, 1898. April 3-3t.

Estray Notice.

Taken up by J. W. Tyler, in ward 2, Parish of Natchitoches, State of La., one Cow and calf, and one bull yearling. Cow about 12 years old; color dark brown, with some white spots, unmarked. Yearling about 1 1/2 years old, color dark brown. Appraised by W. D. Harper and E. M. Morgan conjointly with the undersigned Justice of the Peace, to be worth Five Dollars a head. The owner is required to come forward, prove property, and pay charges, or said property will be disposed of as the law of said parish directs.

B. J. PULLIN, J. P. April 8, 1898.

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