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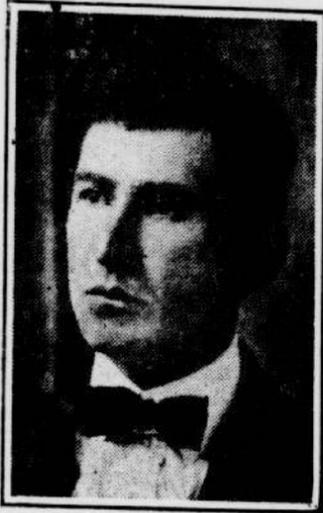
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Homer J. LeBlanc
DEMOCRATIC CANDIDATE
FOR
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SOLICIT YOUR VOTE AND SUPPORT.
Election January 25, 1916.

St. Martin's Girls Are Defeated By Locals.

OPELOUSAS GIRLS BASKET BALL TEAM IS EASILY THE WINNER AT SATURDAY'S CONTEST.

St. Laundry Clarion.

The Opelousas girls basket ball team defeated the St. Martinville team on last Saturday by the overwhelming score of 99 to 22. The local girls virtually played "ring around roses" with the visitors and treated them shamefully in the way of scores.

After the game the visitors were treated royally by the Opelousas girls, a dance being given in the dining hall of the LaCombe Hotel, which was very much enjoyed by the fair damsels from St. Martinville.

ST. MARTIN DEFEATS YOUNGVILLE.

The Youngville High School basket ball team played the local team here Saturday last, which game was won by the home team. The score was: St. Martinville 35; Youngville 25.

The Ladies of the Civic League are giving a gumbo Saturday evening in DeMahy's building. The gumbo will be ready at six P. M. Sharp. It will be good, so come early. If you can not come, send for a plate only 25c. Don't forget the day, the hour, the place Jan. 22nd at 6 P. M., DeMahy's building.

Coughs And Colds Are Dangerous

Few of us realize the danger of Coughs and Colds. We consider them common and harmless ailments. However statistics tell us every third person dies of a lung ailment. Dangerous Bronchial and Lung diseases follow a neglected cold. As your body struggles against cold germs, no better aid can be had than Dr. King's New Discovery. Its merit has been tested by old and young. In use over 45 years. Get a bottle today. Avoid the risk of serious Lung ailments.

BIG MEETING.

The Martin-Eastin faction will have a big meeting at the Duchamp Opera House immediately after high mass to-morrow, and they invite all the people to attend, especially the ladies.

Bishop Sessum To Be Here.

Bishop Sessum will be here on Sunday Jan. 23rd., and will hold services at 3:30 p. m., at the Episcopal Church. The public are invited to attend the services.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Bank of St. Martinville vs J. O. Bourdier No. 11265 19th Judicial District Court, Parish of St. Martin, State of Louisiana. By virtue of a writ of Fieri-Facias issued out of the 19th Judicial District Court, in and for the Parish of St. Martin, State of Louisiana, in the above entitled and numbered suit, dated this 30th day of Dec. 1915.

I have seized and will proceed to sell at public auction to the last and highest bidder at the front door of the Court House, between the legal sale hours (11 a. m. to 4 p. m.) in the Town of St. Martinville on

Saturday, Jan. 22nd, 1915, the following mentioned and described property, to-wit:

1st. That certain tract of land situated in the 4th Ward of St. Martin Parish, La., East of Teche containing Forty Superficial arpents with improvements, Bounded north by Public Road, East by Public Road, South by property of Onzime Abraham and West by property of Dermas Castille.

2nd. Another tract of land, situated in the 4th Ward of St. Martin Parish, La., West of Teche, with improvements. Bounded North by lands of Gilbert Thibodeaux, South by lands of Numa Ledoux, East by lands of A. F. Domengeaux and West by land of Neuville Guidry.

Seized to satisfy above writ. Terms and conditions—cash. Sheriff's office this 13th day of Dec. A. D. 1915.

WADE O. MARTIN, Sheriff.

GOOD ROADS.

Many of our people are seriously realizing the absolute necessity of good roads and many from this town are agitating the question of voting a special tax to build gravel roads leading to St. Martinville.

The result of the voting of this road tax and having roads that will be permanent, will all depend upon the result of the election Tuesday, for the Police Jurors for the first ward.

If Goulas and LeBlanc are elected, we have not the least doubt that the people will vote the tax, if Smede is elected the tax will be defeated, because he is not a road advocate, some of the roads under his care and control have never been worked in the four years of his administration, which is the assurance that we have nothing more to expect of him in the future than he has done in the past.

We all need and want good roads, we feel that we must have them, but the first thing to do is to put in power officers we can expect will do the will of the people, and not those we know have refused to give the people what they have been asking for during the past four years.

Defeat Smede and you can hope the people will vote a special tax for good roads, elect him and you destroy your chances of having good roads for four more years.

We will never advocate building good roads that will lead to mud holes, this would be folly.

Voters of the first ward, the matter of good roads rest with you.

CATARRH CANNOT BE CURED with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a blood or constitutional disease, and in order to cure it you must take internal remedies. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Cure is not a quack medicine. It was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years and is a regular prescription. It is composed of the best tonics known, combined with the best blood purifiers, acting directly on the mucous surfaces. The perfect combination of the two ingredients is what produces such wonderful results in curing catarrh.

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Plant Shade Trees.

Now is the proper time to set out shade trees. People usually make the mistake of waiting until late in the spring before they think about planting shade trees. It is rather risky business then, as the root system has no time to become established. If the spring and early summer happens to be dry, as often is the case, the trees will die unless they are regularly watered. Plant a tree in December or January and see that the earth is well packed about it and it is the rarest thing in the world for it not to flourish. — Abbeville Meridional.

At the Succession Sale last Saturday Father Trotoux bought the Esclavon property Corner Washington and Port streets, which is one of the finest residence location in town.

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