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THE TRAINS.

The trains arrive at Shreveport and leave as follows:

TEXAS AND PACIFIC.

From Marshall..... 5:15 a.m.
From New Orleans..... 10:05 p.m.
For Marshall..... 10:00 p.m.
For New Orleans..... 5:15 a.m.

VICKSBURG, SHREVEPORT AND PACIFIC.

(East Bound.)
Leaves Shreveport..... 7:55 a.m.
Leaves Vicksburg..... 3:00 a.m.
Arrives at Atlanta..... 2:00 p.m.

(West Bound.)
Leaves Atlanta..... 10:15 a.m.
Arrives at Shreveport..... 1:35 p.m.
Arrives at Shreveport..... 9:35 p.m.

(Accommodation.)

Leave Shreveport for Monroe..... 4:00 p.m.
Arrive Shreveport from Monroe..... 10:50 a.m.

SHREVEPORT AND ARKANSAS.

(Passenger, Mail and Express.)
Arrive at Shreveport..... 11:25 a.m.
Leaves Shreveport..... 4:30 p.m.

SHREVEPORT AND HOUSTON.

Leaves Shreveport..... 6:00 a.m.
Arrives at Houston..... 10:00 p.m.

Mails close 30 minutes in advance of railroad time.

IN, ABOUT AND FOR THE CITY.

We invite the attention of the public to a communication in this issue of THE PROGRESS, headed "Fruit Prospect." This was written at our request, as a number of our subscribers seemed anxious to learn as nearly as possible what they could expect for the coming season. The author is a practical nursery-man and is reliable authority.

Wagner Bros. can please you in all kinds of nice dressed meats, when no one else can.

THE PROGRESS is not responsible for the sentiment of its correspondents. In this issue will be found one advocating a means of bringing about harmony. As its author is one of our best citizens and one who has interests in this city, we publish it, and let its merits be judged by the public.

The Southern Hardware Company is in the field again with a fine assortment of goods in their line entirely new and fresh. Carload lots are being received daily and the company is prepared to fill all orders at most reasonable rates. This company has made many staunch business friends and patrons who are well pleased at the business energy displayed in recovering their lost ground, caused by its burn out.

Buzzards have no use for anything save a putrifying carcass, and Shreveport's tipping shop politicians have only the same use for the body politic.

For the most delicious ice cream, telephone your orders to Chas. Stoer, No. 1153 Texas avenue.

"Oh, doctor! that medicine is too bitter; I cannot, cannot take it." "But you must," replied the man of physic; "it is absolutely necessary that you should. Besides, it's not very bad. You mixed it yourself, and I heard you say it was very pleasant." "I know that," groaned the patient, but when I said that, I thought another would have to take it, but oh my, it's a bitter, bitter dose."

Have your cisterns purified. This is done by the new process of cleaning them while filled with water. Telephone Chas. Stoer or C. D. Hicks.

A chicken snake manages, by a peculiar motion of its body, to lull the mother hen into peaceful quietude, while it devours her young. The dram-shop politicians of Shreveport have, by pandering to the prejudices of the Democratic factions of our parish, soothed them to rest, while they attempt to rob the party of its principle, and honor.

The ice cream season has opened, and Chas. Stoer makes a delicious article. Order by telephone.

Even if street "scraps" are indulged in, let there be no bitterness in them. The effect of sudden wrath can be easily forgotten, but nurtured anger not so.

Pot-house politicians have been in clover for the past week. They have been given an opportunity to air their superior political advices, which means that virtue, honesty and honor can and should be overthrown.

Mr. Charles Stoer has now the management of the patent cistern cleaner. By this patent the water is not disturbed, but is made pure and wholesome by the operation of cleaning.

A new oil mill is one of the prospective industries of North Louisiana. It will be erected at Bossier City just across the river from Shreveport and will add to the local trade of both places. It will have a capital of \$100,000 and will give employment to a good number of persons. Its erection will tend to enliven the retail business during the summer, and will thus to a considerable extent, prevent the extreme dullness in business which has been predicted for the local trade.

Try Wagner Bros.' garlic, pickled meats. They are delicious.

The accommodation trains between this place and Monroe were discontinued on the 6th instant the last one being run that day.

Chas. Stoer's is headquarters for the most delicious ice cream. Telephone him at 1153 Texas avenue.

The diivide has made the dram-shop politicians happy. They live off of the disturbances in the party.

To see Wagner Bros.' nice, fat, dressed meats will cause you to buy from them.

We heard some one say that there has been considerable excitement on the streets during the past three or four days. Wonder what was the cause of it?

Something "drapped" and a howl followed.

It was both sinful and cruel to beat Fitz out of a job.

Crandell's sensitive and refined feelings should not have been so wounded.

Fitzpatrick, Crandell and Butler like Shylock are dissatisfied with their Daniel. Their cases are very similar.

Allen Carter, who was so belligerent Saturday night, resisting officers and being otherwise unruly was persuaded of the error of his ways, by the assessment of a fifty dollars fine from the city.

A very interesting communication on Scientific temperance was held over until next issue on account of the lateness of its reception. It will be published in next week's paper and its careful perusal is recommended to all.

The candidacy of no man should make Democrats forget the fealty they owe to the State. Neither should friends fall out and give expression to harsh words whose stings will never be eradicated.

Don't swear, gentlemen, it's naughty you know.

In the present crisis Democrats can't afford to divide.

Wagner Bros.' pickled meats and tongues are very fine.

That was a Sullivazic blow, and oh! my, but it hurt.

Mr. A. S. Toombs is having his lots on the corner of Commerce and Travis streets filled and put in condition suitable for building purposes.

The street improvement brigade have been doing some work on Western avenue near Peabody street.

Capt. J. C. Soape has received the appointment of returning officer, vice W. F. Taylor failed to qualify.

The firm of F. M. & S. B. Hicks has been transformed into a stock company under the title of The Hicks Company Limited. It has a capital of \$8125,000, and like its predecessor will be one of the most reliable and safe mercantile establishments in the State.

We don't want our canning factory to remain idle this season.

Ice cream is a delicious morsel and Chas. Stoer makes a palatable article. Telephone orders to 1153 Texas avenue.

Dr. S. H. Hicks has gone to Greenville Texas for a few days.

The evening services at the Alendale Baptist Mission will be continued during the coming week. Thus far considerable interest has been manifested and there is ever reason to anticipate a growing spirit. All denominations should assist in this work which is for general good.

THE PROGRESS can be found on sale at Hyam's book store.

Let every Democrat do his duty on the 19th. Let not angry resentment cause the downfall of the old party.

Two negroes made things lively around the T. & P. depot Saturday night. Result: one still lies low from a blow on the head, while another works for the city.

Texas street was enlivened Thursday morning. This was occasioned by two white men differing. No one hurt much.

There was a sensation sure enough, but THE PROGRESS takes no notice of such. To give it publicity might wound innocent parties which is certainly far from our intention. If, however, it comes within our province some one will certainly hear from us.

THE PROGRESS makes a specialty of job printing.

A beam of sunlight was well received on its advent Thursday.

The prospect for the mechanic's laborer and artisan in Shreveport is very flattering.

The many friends of Mr. Thos. Phillips tender sincere sympathies to him in the loss of his devoted wife. It is hard to part with those whom we love, and by whom this sacred affection is warmly returned; but in instances like this, where the parting is for a journey to a better land, and when that separation cannot be very long, the grief is always modified in the hope that Christianity offers to those who worship the Savior. This is the consolation of our esteemed friend, Mr. Phillips, who will in that "sweet by and by" join his beloved companion on the shores of eternal light, where the immortal saints in glory stand.

Dr. S. H. Hicks has a good saddle horse for sale.

To those who from principle and honest choice supported McEnergy, nothing but deferential consideration should be shown, even though they, in the moment of their extreme disappointment given expression to harsh words in reference to the ruling; but to those parasites who live off of the party, who have no honest motives at all, who would be as much at home in the Republican party as the Democrat; who stir up such strife as we are now having for purely selfish ends, nothing but scorn, contempt and repudiation should be extended.

Dudenhoffer's laudable(?) efforts were not properly appreciated.

It was criminal to make a decision which dethroned such an able, honest, illustrious, immaculate leader as J. D. Houston.

Sick, cannot express the feeling of some of Caddo's political acrobats since that rule was made.

Oh! give me a chance to get back and I'll not do so any more.

Red river is rising at this point.

One of the electric cars jumped the track near the fair ground switch Thursday morning, but beyond some delay in travel caused no inconvenience.

It was ungrateful to reward Brewster's honest(?) work with such ruling.

Election tickets printed at THE PROGRESS office.

Mr. W. P. Ford desired to know if Mr. Foster came from the camp of the Democracy of this State. Without losing enough time to reply to such a question we will state that Col. Hollingsworth, if he would, could tell whether or not Mr. Ford's garments have always been washed in Democratic waters, and doubtless Mr. Leonard could too. Unfortunately and fortunately witnesses are living who know of an apology being offered which makes that speech lose much of its force.

The committee from the Fair Association has made no report yet, but it is still out among the people to ascertain what they will do towards having a fair next fall. Assuredly those most interested will not suffer this to go by default.

The rainfall of the first part of the week was decidedly copious.

Several of Caddo's honorable Confederate Veterans are in attendance on the reunion in New Orleans this week.

That speech, written and rehearsed before time, was delivered in pretty style wasn't it?

Marriage Licenses.

Ab. Hall to Mary Lewis, Albert Johnson to Millie Matthews, Geo. Wood to Rachel Yates, Dock Ranty to Kitty Scott, Robert Bailey to Laura Stanley, Jim Head to Lydia Cade, Jeff Hill to Irene Williams, Chas. Stein to Miss Sallie Blum.

Real Estate Transfers.

The following transfers of real estate were recorded this week:

E. B. Herndon to Millie DeCosta, sale of lots 9, 10, 11, 12 and part of 13, ten acre lot 22, for \$651.17.

Mrs. Sallie Jastrensti to Louis Harmon, sale of lots 24 and 25, of ten acre lot 24, for \$200.

J. F. Reicher to W. Y. Manning, sale of lot 13 and 14, Rankin's subdivision, for \$400.

Tribute of Respect.

At the regular meeting of Shreveport Typographical Union No. 155, held last Sunday evening, a committee of three was appointed to draft suitable resolutions upon the death of Mr. Charles Schaeffer, who was a charter member of the organization, and at the time of his death a distinguished honorary member. The committee reported the following: Hall Shreveport Typographical Union No. 155, April 6, 1892.

Whereas, it having pleased an All-Wise Ruler to suddenly remove from our midst in his early and useful manhood, our highly esteemed and honorary member, Charlie Schaeffer; and Whereas, by his sad and untimely demise, Shreveport Typographical Union No. 155, and labor general, has lost one of its most faithful and earnest advocates, who stood ever ready to champion their rights; the community a widely known and much respected citizen, and a man who was an honor and a credit to his profession; therefore be it

Resolved, that while humbly submitted to the will of the Almighty, who orders all things for the best, his memory shall ever be enshrined in our hearts and minds, and we shall often recall his many admirable qualities of heart and noble traits of character.

Resolved, that we sincerely condole with the family of the deceased and commend them to the consolation of Him who orders all things for the best and whose chastisements are meant in mercy.

Resolved, that this heartfelt testimonial of our sympathy and sorrow be spread upon the minutes and a copy sent to the family of the deceased.

Resolved, that these resolutions be published in the Shreveport Times, Caucasian and PROGRESS; the New Orleans Times-Democrat and the Typographical Journal of Indianapolis, Ind., and that the charter of this union be draped in mourning for thirty days.

W. C. COPEL, FRANK A. PEEPLES, C. M. VAN LOAN, Committee.

Among the surprises of contemporary journalism is Baby, a monthly illustrated periodical for mothers, which has leaped, on its third number, into a circulation that makes the teeth of older journals of similar aim water. Everything that a mother or expectant mother should read, learn and inwardly digest is to be found in its admirably edited columns, which contain lots of fun with the baby, as well as much-needed and valuable counsel. It only costs one dollar a year, and its offices at 307 Broadway, are fitted up as model nurseries. It is only in this country that surprises are sprung upon its citizens.—Once a Week.

Band of Hope—Loyal Temperance Legion.

At the Methodist Mission Sunday school, last Sabbath, there was effected an organization which, it is hoped, will influence for good the minds of this community; being the institution of a branch of the Band of Hope, or the Loyal Temperance Legion. Though the afternoon was inclement, deterring many from coming out, still a good many enlisted under this righteous banner of home protection. The membership at present is composed of Mesdames M. J. Young, Alice McReady; Misses Alice Young, Virgie E. and Eunice Metcalf, Beuna and Bessie Taylor, Lottie Dodez, Mack Rathven, Julia and Cora Denham, Clara May Waring, Nellie Stephens, Katie Lear, Roberta Hicks, Ollie Craig, Daily and Willie Robinson, Alice Dunn, and Rev. L. F. Jackson, Drs. F. E. Yoakum and S. H. Hicks, C. D. Hicks, John Young, Willie, Thomas, George and Martin Lear, Robert Cain, Jr., Arch W. O. Hicks, Jr., Frank R. Hicks, Jr., Charles and Donald Yoakum, and Dudley McReady—thirty four strong, all of whom will labor to uphold and support the cause of our Savior. Many of this organization are children, who are thus setting an example of which they should be but the followers of their elders, instead of the leaders.

This is the obligation which the membership takes; simple and plain, but strong in the cause of right:

"Trusting in God's help, I solemnly promise to abstain from the use of alcoholic drinks, including wine, beer and cider; from the use of tobacco in any form, and from profanity."

The first officers chosen to lead this organization on the road to religion and morality are: Dr. F. E. Yoakum, leader; Miss Katie Lear, president; Miss Virgie E. Metcalf, secretary; Miss Ollie Craig, chorister. It is to be hoped that ere six months have elapsed, not a child nor a father or mother can be found in our city whose name does not appear enrolled on similar rosters.

PARISH JAIL.—Mr. H. C. Hull, representing the Pauley Jail Company, who have contracted to build the jail at this place, commenced laying the foundation of the jail at 7 o'clock this morning, Thursday, March 31. The jail will be a two-story building, 30x42 feet, with all modern improvements, such as electric alarms, combination locks and waterworks. The lower story or residence part of building, is to be occupied by the jailer, will contain five rooms, and the upper story, or jail proper, will consist of two large open rooms, which will contain six steel cells and a corridor—four cells for males and two for females.

The Pauley Jail Company have contracted to complete the jail by July 1st, but Mr. Hull expects to have it completed by the first of June.—Bossier Banner.

Early summer is upon us, and the gentle breezes are heavily laden with distilled sweetness that is gathered from fragrant flowers and blooming trees. And then when we gaze upon the growing crops and witness other signs of life and prosperity, we are constrained to say, "That life is worth more than living."—Vermillion Star.

And it might have been added, we receive more than we deserve.

The hand of Wall street outweighs the honest demands of the people, and the will of 60,000,000 of people is absolutely controlled by the greed and avarice of these conditions obtain, and the semblance of faedom continue in the land?—National Economist.

The damage to crops and gardens by the late freezes, is not so great as was first thought to be. Corn that was planted before the cold snap, seems to be doing well.—Arcadia Advance.

TOLD THE TRUTH.—Brown—Do you expect to get licked for that lesson tomorrow?

Little Johnnie—Not if I know it.—New York Evening Sun.

EVERY TIME.—Of the two women, choose the one that will have you.—Texas Sittings.

Unwritten History.

An incident has come to light. It is about a Shreveport printer. It happened about a month ago. A house was burglarized at the time mentioned. This printer roomed there. About 2 a. m. the robbers were heard in the house. The cry of murder was raised. This händler of type was awakened by the outcry. He did nothing, neither gallant nor chivalrous. But he crept down between the mattresses. The sun was high in the heavens when he crawled out again. He then fired a pistol several times. This brought a crowd to the scene. Among the number were two policemen. The typo then waived his weapon aloft and cried, "follow me." He lead the multitude into the room from whence the cries had issued. Of course everything was then quiet. The excitement had passed away several hours before. The lady of the house smiled derisively at the printer. She told him he slept very soundly, as officers had been through the house in answer to the cries of murder. He then felt faint. He had heard these sounds, but thought they were made by robbers, not officials. He retired chagrined. This printer has a c in his name, but it will not be revealed further.

Constable Sale.

No. 3126—Win. Winter vs. C. M. Jackson.

By virtue of a writ of fieri facias issued to me in the above entitled and numbered suit by Hon. C. D. Hicks, Justice of the Peace Fourth Ward of Caddo parish, La., I have seized and will sell at public auction at the front door of the court room, No. 25 Milam street, Shreveport, La., between the legal hours of sale, on

SATURDAY, APRIL 10, 1892,

the following described property, to-wit: 1 sewing machine, terms of sale cash on the spot, subject to appraisalment.

C. W. KELLY, Constable.

Constable Sale.

No. 681—Dr. Randall Hunt vs. H. W. Leverette; No. 682—Merchants and Farmers' Bank vs. H. W. Leverette.

By virtue of writs of fieri facias issued to me, in the above entitled and numbered suits, by Hon. L. E. Carter, Justice of the Peace for Fourth Ward of Caddo parish, Louisiana, I have seized and will sell at public auction at the front door of the court house, of Caddo parish, Louisiana, between the legal hours of sale, on

SATURDAY, MAY 14, 1892,

the following described property, to-wit: Lot 23, ten-acre lot 2, with buildings and improvements thereon. Terms of sale, cash on the spot, subject to appraisalment.

C. W. KELLY, Constable. April 9, 1892.

For Sale.

We have on hand about 700 pounds of rabbit metal, and about 50 empty type cases, both ad. and news, which we will sell cheap for cash.

GUS H. WHITE. W. C. PERRIN.

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