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100 pieces of choice Worsted: regular price 35c. sold for 15c.
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100 pieces 3-4 Bleaching: price 7c, sold for 4½c.
200 pieces 4-4 Sea Island Domestic: price 8c. sold for 5c.
100 pieces solid Oil Calicoes; price 7½c. sold for 5c.
250 pieces good Stripes; price 7½c, sold for 5c.
100 pieces Cotton Flannel: price 10c, sold for 6½c.
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50 pairs woolen blankets at half price.

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200 Boys' Suits, from 4 to 13, worth $1 50, at 75c.
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Solid leather men's shoes, worth $1 50 at $1.
Fine men's shoes, worth $4 50 at $2 25.
Fine men's brogans, worth $1 25 at 70c.
Boys' brogans, worth $1, at 65c.
Boys' lace shoes and gaiters, worth $1 50, at $1.
Ladies' fine button shoes, 3 to 7, worth $1 50, at 95c.
Ladies' fine button shoes, 3 to 7, worth $2 50, at $1 25.
Ladies' fine lace shoes, 3 to 7, worth $1 50, at 90c.
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COL. L. F. COPELAND

Gives the First Lecture of the Season.

Tuesday night Col. L. F. Copeland delivered the first lecture of the series of five, to be given under the auspices of the Teachers' Association, for the benefit of the public school building.

Promptly at 8 o'clock he arrived at the courthouse and was introduced to the audience by Hon. J. H. Shepherd in his usual straight forward and candid style, which gives assurance always that something good is coming. Col. Copeland spoke of the importance of the public schools and the nececessity of good buildings, and then announced to the audience the theme of his lecture to be "Seeing the Elephant." He began by repeating the poetry of the six blind men who went to see the elephant and their impressions of him, and then branched off in his happy style making the application to all the different phases of life.

The colonel is almost inimitable in his descriptive powers, continually carrying his audience from the ridiculous to the sublime, and vice versa.

His description of the dude and dudine was perfect, and to sensible people showed how ridiculous this extreme is carried by this class of people whose whole mind rests upon trying to ape the fashions of the day. The fact he wished to impress most was that man must live for something more than mere frivolities of the day and he urged upon every one to live upon a higher and nobler plane of life; to seek that which is enduring beyond the ravages of time.

Col. Copeland's description of the lecture given at the old red school house where first he learned the rudiments of that education to which he has brought to so high a standard, that so delighted his hearers. This brought tears to the eyes of most everyone as he recounted the meeting of his old schoolmates and the inquiries after those who had passed into the great beyond, or had moved West to grow up with the country. Everyone felt more than repaid at the close of the lecture for coming—that we heard speak of it.

To say the inauguration lecture, by Col. L. F. Copeland, was a rare treat is expressing it mildly,

It was regretted by the managers that it was not known that he did so much for the yellow fever sufferers during the epidemic of 1873. He alone lectured and raised $3000 for them. This alone should cause feelings of regret to those who failed to be there. However a fair audience greeted him.

Col. Copeland will be cordially received by a full house should he ever come this way again. He is rich in beautiful and soul inspiring thoughts. Everyone feels that this life is worth more the living after listening to his lecture of seeing the elophant.

We trust all will attend those series of lectures as they are not only amusing but highly instructive, besides the cause for which they are given is a good and noble one.

A PLEASANT TRIP TO PLAIN DEALING.

On last Saturday it was our pleasure to attend a meeting of the Farmers' Union at Plain Dealing, Bossier parish, in company with Hons. A. Benoit, of Monroe, and C. C. Phillips, of Greenwood, State and District Lecturers of the Louisiana Farmers' Alliance.

The day was an inclement one, preventing many who lived at a great distance from attending, but a sufficient number was present to testify that the Alliance sentiment was by no means dead, and that the visit of the lecturers was duly appreciated.

The trio before mentioned took the train at Shreveport and reached their destination the same evening, Friday. That night Hon. W. B. Boggs, ex-mayor of the town, entertained Messrs. Benoit and Phillips while Mr. L. T. Sanders took care of this scribe at his hospitable home about three and a half miles out, where, assisted by his good wife and manly son, he made things pleasant for us.

The following morning the meeting was called in the Masonic and K. of P. hall. This was an open session, as there was no secret business to be disposed of. Of course the assembly expected to hear something from the lecturers while Mr. C. D. Hicks (ourself, as the Arizona Kicker styles it) was thrown in for lagniappe. This gentleman was the first speaker and occupied the floor about thirty minutes, urging the farmers to build up their order and to make a complete and thorough organization all over the State.

He was followed by Hon. A. Benoit who spoke one hour. His discourse was filled with thoughts, suggestions and lessons which will prove of immeasurable benefit to the farmers. It was replete with ideas which were at once entertaining, edifying and educatng and few there were there, if any, but what were taught something of history and political economy. His effort was very pleasing, which was attested by the generous applause which followed its close.

Hon. C. C. Phillips concluded the speaking and confined himself strictly to a lecture on the needs of the time and what the farmers must do to secure these ends. He showed himself a master of his effort and "taught as one having authority." His discourse made a valuable impression on his hearers. He was very brief but pointed, and his close was followed by a generous applause.

After this Mr. R. M. Wise, president of the Union, turned the meeting over to the members and several took advantage of it and made short talks for the "good of the order." Among these were Mr. J. E. Johnston, the able editor of the Louisiana Mentor of Plain Dealing, who spoke in eulogistic terms of the Union's aims and objects. Hon. W. B. Boggs also had something to say, urging upon the farmers the necessity of perseverance. Several others spoke, among whom was the president, a solid, earnest, able farmer, who could reflect credit on his farmer friends on the rostrum, as he is unquestionably a man of ability and [illegible] to be trusted.

By this time considerable enthusiasm had been aroused and gave evidence that the Farmers' Alliance in Bossier parish had had fresh and vigorous blood infused into its veins, and had gained an impetus which would insure renewed interest and great numerical and spiritual gain to the order.

At 12 o'clock it was announced that the ladies desired to be heard and announced that dinner was ready. This was the first intimation we had received that a basket dinner had been prepared, and how our epicurean spirit swelled within us as the sweet notes fell on our ears. This was indeed a dinner too. Pork, ham, beef, chicken pie, cake and no telling what else. No doubt night would have caught us still at the table, but we grew mortified at our companions' appetites and quit from sheer modesty.

That night Mr. Phillips was again cared for by Mr. Boggs while Prof. Johnston took Mr. Benoit and the writer under his wing.

A pleasureable evening was the portion of this last two, because aside from the intellectual entertainment presented by the professor, we found his equal in his talented wife and her sister, Miss Newsome, of Monroe, who with Miss Leonard, of Sarepta, Webster parish, made the evening hours seem short.

This trip was one of great pleasure and edification to us and we hope to the Unions of that parish.

Before adjournment President Wise announced that another meeting would be held on the first Thursday in next month near Arkana, and "the three" return thanks for a cordial invitation to be present. We hope that meeting will be a success in every particular.

"You can't legislate yourselves rich, nor legislate 100 cents into 53 cents worth of siver," is the latest. We say in reply that we have been legislated poor, and it is a poor rule that won't work both ways. Again we can legislate 100 cents into 412.5 grains of silver as easily as you can legislate 100 cents into 25.8 grains of gold. It all depends upon who does the legislating.—Alliance Forum.

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