THE CAUCASIAN.

THURSDAY, DEC. 12, 1907.

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When you want money, fire insurance, bonds, life insurance, real estate, accident insurance or building and loan stock, see W. C. Agurs, in the Cooper building.

DR. E. G. ALLEN.

The Caucasian has been requested to announce that Dr. E. G. Allen has resumed the practice of his profession. Office in the Cooper building.

JOIN NOW

An Opportunity of Becoming a Woodman of the World.

Thirty-five new members is the result of a few days work. These new applications represent as good citizenry as Shreveport can boast of. We will complete our class of fifty in a few days. Will you come in with us and be a member of the Woodmen of the World? You can join the camp of your choice.

L. P. BUTLER,
District Deputy.

FOOT BALL YESTERDAY.

The contest between the Shreveport High School and the Natchitoches Normal foot ball teams yesterday afternoon was exciting and interesting from the beginning to the end. The Normalites played well, but could not compete with the Shreveport High School team, who retired from the field covered with glory with a score of 8 to 0 to their credit. In their defeat the visitors have the assurance that they won the admiration of the spectators and have the good will and the best wishes of the citizens of Shreveport. They may do better next time.

THE NORTH LOUISIANA TRUCK GROWERS ASSOCIATION.

The North Louisiana Truck Growers Association was organized yesterday at the headquarters of the Progressive League.

The officers are: H. S. Norton, president; C. C. Herndon, first vice president; E. M. Hoyer, second vice president; L. N. Brueggerhoff, secretary and treasurer.

A committee comprising A. Brown, George Woodward and L. N. Brueggerhoff were named on by-laws. The committee is expected to report December 28. The membership fee is fixed at $10.

SEHRIFF'S SALE.

No. 11,685—In the First District Court of Caddo Parish, Louisiana: Allen Brothers & Wadley Limited vs. E. T. Gilham.

By virtue of a writ of seizure and sale, to me issued by the Honorable First Judicial District Court of Caddo Parish, La., in the above entitled and numbered suit, I have seized and will offer for sale, at public auction, according to law, without the benefit of appraisement, at the principal front door of the court house of Caddo Parish, La., during the legal hours for sales, on

SATURDAY, JAN. 18, 1907,

Lot 111 and half of 112 lying next to and adjoining 111 of the Templeman subdivision of the city of Shreveport, Caddo Parish, La., as per map of said subdivision recorded in conveyance book 6, page 181, of the recorder's office of Caddo Parish, La., together with all the buildings and improvements thereon.

Said property seized as belonging to said defendant, and will be sold to satisfy the amount named in said writ, say for the sum of $2524.12, as follows: One note for $1250.00 with 8 per cent interest from June 18, 1907, and the balance in 38 notes, $30.00, $37.47, $37.27, $37.07, $36.87, $36.67, $36.47, $36.27, $36.07, $35.87, $35.67, $35.47, $35.07, $34.87, $34.67, $34.47, $34.27, $34.07, $33.87, $33.67, $33.47, $33.27, $33.07, $32.87, $32.67, $32.47, $32.27, $32.07, $31.87, $31.67, $31.47, $31.27, $31.07, $30.87, $30.67, $30.47, $40.27, with 8 per cent interest from November 22, 1907, and all costs of suit, including 10 per cent on said sum and interest, and all costs of suit.

J. P. FLOURNOY, Sheriff.

Caucasian, Dec. 15, 1907.

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NEWS IN BRIEF

A Budget of Interesting Items Gathered by a Caucasian Representative.

The old, old joy of Christmas coming is in the air. Hard times, nor hard hearts can keep Christmas away. It is the gift of God to a sin-stained world, and will be the illuming, blessed light to the end of time. Scrooge in Dickens "Christmas Carol" never knew what joy was until he awoke from his miserly selfishness and began to love and think of others. When he went to church and walked the streets, and watched the hurrying to and fro, and patted the children on the head and questioned the beggars, and looked down in the kitchens and up to the windows of houses, he found that everything could yield him pleasure." And so it is today, and ever will be, when we do an unselfish thing; when we confer pleasure upon others; when we put our selfishness aside and do gracious, loving acts for others, we realize what true happiness is. The gift of God to the world was Christ—it was because "He so loved the world." It was the first great priceless gift. And so the act of giving gifts at Christmas time should be far more than the gift itself. It should carry the spirit with it—love; the greatest thing in the world.

Do not make Christmas, which is the loveliest, holiest season of the year, burdensome with gift making, that means nothing, but that you have "strained a point" and given innumerable gifts to others to repay a courtesy or an obligation. "The gift without the giver is bear"—and so, with every Christmas gift, and they should not be many, send a loving tender thought and hallow the gift.

THE ALUMNUS.

Facts and figures concerning the L. S. N., its advantages in special departments, are given in a very interesting way in "The Alumnus" published at Baton Rouge.

An article by Alexander B. Coffey, professor of philosophy and education, sets forth the advantages and purposes of the university in the following forceful and loyal language.

"Louisiana is today demanding scientific planters whether of cane or cotton or rice or tobacco; scientific teachers, scientific lawyers; and anticipating each demand, the university, in addition to the college of letters and arts, has firmly established the several departments needed—and all upon one campus, under one administration, and working toward one harmonious end. The alumnus of any year should stand for and exemplify the growth and culture which came to him frmo his alma mater, the university; but he should stand even more for the broader culture, the specialized activities, the greater efficiency, the newer order of things which, of necessity, must prevail from year to year."

THE FORUM.

"That the United States shall establish a bank under Federal control," was the subject of a spirited debate by the freshman Tulane boys recently. From the "Tulane Weekly" we note that a Shreveport boy, Leonard Dreyfuss, was deep in the debate on the negative side, and with good help from his classmate, Mr. Bierhorst, won the day.

THE CHRISTMAS SHOPPER.

The shopper flits from store to store
As busy as a beaver.
From room to basement, on each floor,
She prices goods and paws them o'er,
Lest some one should deceive her.

She looks at hundred dollar rugs,
And furniture expensive;
And while the weary salesman tugs
And pulls and hauls and lifts and lugs,
She makes remarks offensive.

She tries on jackets, capes and cloaks
Of sealskin and of sable;
And as the fur she fondly strokes,
She says she thinks this season's yokes
Are all abominable.

At six o'clock she crowds her way
Into the fullest trolley,
Content that in a single day
She closed a bargain for a spray
Of decorative holly.

In conning o'er the matter, though,
She thinks the merchant plucked her,
The holly cost five cents, and so,
To get the money back, you know,
She "bilks" the poor conductor.

—Wills Brooks.

A CHARMING NEW BOOK.

"Betty Pembroke" by Elizabeth Hazlewood Hancock, is fresh from the press of the Neale Publishing Company, New York. Many of us here in North Louisiana are much interested in the author, and from the beautiful press notices of the story we shall fall "dead in love" with the heroine, sweet Betty Pembroke. But the author, who is she? She is a Virginia girl, daughter of a former Louisianian—a Confederate soldier who went out at the first call—R. J. Hancock, captain of the Bossier Volunteers Ninth Louisiana Regiment.

The book has been ordered for the People's Library and will doubtless soon be in the hands of friends of Captain Hancock throughout North Louisiana. The U. D. C. Chapter of Bossier, of which Mrs. W. H. Scanland is president, bears his name—the "Richard Hancock Chapter." So we all have loyal reasons for wanting to read Miss Hancock's book and become acquainted with the heroine. We are introduced to her by such charming press notices. Hear what some one says of Betty: "She is a high-born Virginia girl, and lives near Monticello, the famous home of Thomas Jefferson. And she lives there today, that's the nicest part. If you go to The Oaks you'll meet her lovers—one can count five offhand—and you'll meet Alice, her best friend, a handsome girl who loves fun best of everything. But you'll care most for Betty. Everybody does. And when you come away you'll think of her more than any of them—think of her when you are alone, and when the purple twilight falls. One is always thinking of Betty."

RECEPTION.

Mrs. S. B. Johnson and daughter, Mrs. C. B. Johnson, have issued cards to a reception Thursday, December 19, in honor of their guests, Mrs. William Dixon Leonard of Salt Lake, Mrs. Benamin Johnson of Dallas, and Mrs. Jas. W. Fowler of Columbus, Mo.

THE BAZAAR.

The ladies of St. Mark's congregation are very interested and active in their preparations for the bazaar which will open December 17 in the Soady building. The work has been systematically arranged and allotted to the various committees. The booths will be attractive with Christmas greenery, holly berries and other hints of Christmas jollity.

Mrs. Bryan Ardis has charge of the handkerchief booth, where the display will be both dainty and elaborate. Baskets filled with pretty handkerchiefs will offer special opportunity for purchasers, while the dainty lace articles will be alluring Christmas gifts. When all are sold a drawing will take place for the special prizes—a beautiful broach and a beautiful ring. Don't fail to visit the handkerchief booth.

The candy booth with Mrs. Millsaps and Miss Sallie Bell in charge will offer delicious fudge, caramels, old fashioned molasses and sugar candy, and fancy varieties.

Blue eyes and black of every size and price will be found in the hundred dolls at Mrs. Carstens' booth. Truly the fairy land of dolldom.

Caddo Parish Teachers Association met in high school building Saturday, December 14, 10 a.m. Programme: Roll call, quotations from principles of teaching. Opening exercises suited for your grade. Mrs. Ella Hicks. Miss Carrie Vestal. Miss Annie Johnston. Music. Teaching of English, chapters 1 to 7 inclusive, Miss Lula Soape, conductor. What prominence should be given physiology in our schools, Miss Howell. The meeting was well attended and the papers and discussions were earnest, thorough and interesting. Next meeting will be January 11, 1908.

A PRETTY CHURCH WEDDING.

A very impressive and beautiful wedding at Homer December 11 is of interest to many throughout North Louisiana where the contracting parties, Mr. T. T. Land of Benton, and Mrs. Elizabeth Langford Limerick of Homer, are so well known and esteemed.

The pretty church was tastefully decorated for the occasion with palms and ferns and winter blooming flowers. The ceremony took place at 9:30 a.m., Rev. J. U. H. Wharton, pastor of the church, officiating. Mrs. Drew Ferguson, sister of the bride, was the handsome matron of honor, and the best man was the groom's closest friend, Mr. E. L. Stewart of Minden. All eyes were watching for the fair bride, who entered the church with her brother, Mr. Ferguson. The ceremony was solemnly sweet and impressive. The bride was attired in a handsome traveling suit of plum colored chiffon broadcloth, with hat to match, trimmed with big purple morning glories. The bridal bouquet was a magnificent cluster of snowy chrysanthemums.

The bride is a charming woman, gracious and sweet in manner, lovely and amiable in character, and belongs to a prominent North Louisiana family. She is beloved by a large circle of relatives and friends throughout the State.

The groom comes of a well known and prominent family, being the son of the late Thomas Land of Bossier, and nephew of Judge A. D. Land of the Supreme Court of Louisiana. He is a lawyer by profssion, ambitious of honors at the bar, where many of them have already distinguished themselves.

Ater a week spent in Shreveport, Mr. and Mrs. Land will visit Arcadia to spend the holidays with Dr. and Mrs. Serpell. They will begin the new year in their pretty home at Benton.

THE PROHIBITION MOVEMENT.

A great moral reform is sweeping over the entire country. It comes in the shape of prohibition. The women of Shreveport are aroused, active. Hearts are aching for better things, and better things must follow when wives and mothers join in the crusade.

PERSONALS.

Mrs. C. E. Byrd is enjoying a visit from her sister, Mrs. Pauline Allen of Monroe, and little daughter Pauline.

Mrs. J. H. Thigpen is at home much improved by her prolonged stay.

Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Land are guests for the week at the Inn.

Mrs. W. D. Leonard of Salt Sale City is the welcome guest of Mrs. Susan Johnson.

Mrs. Leila Fowler of Columbus, Mo., is a charming guest of Mrs. Johnson.

Hypatia's business meeting was held Saturday afternoon with Miss Furman.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Minge Jr., whose home was recently destroyed by fire, have rebuilt on the same site, and are now occupying their pretty new home.

Friends of Mrs. Walter Marburg are glad to know she is convalescent.

THE PROHIBITION MOVEMENT.

The prohibition movement in Shreveport is as a fire started in a prairie on a dry and windy day. It is irresistible. The conditions have been ripe for some time for such a sweeping over the parish of Caddo. The men who would not stop to consider the consequences which were foreshadowed by the more conservative are now amazed and as men fighting a blazing prairie fire, will accomplish but little in checking the flames sweeping on by leaps and bounds.

Who would have ventured five years ago on the assertion that Shreveport would today be involved in a movement to prohibit the sale of whiskey and intoxicants in the entire parish of Caddo?

For such condition there is a cause. It is almost apparent to a blind man. From this cause must follow some good effects, some wholesome results. There must be a clarifying of an atmosphere overcharged with an influence and a power detrimental to the morals and the welfare of the community.

Intelligent liquor men have been forced to a realization of a condition from which they must share the fullest responsibility with the keeper of the doggery.

In vain are they calling for a compromise. In vain are they expressing a willingness and a readiness to conform to the laws which have been disregarded and violated with impunity.

In the city of Shreveport and throughout Caddo parish there are hundreds of men who are not prohibitionists per se, but who, recognizing the evils which have been intensified by the flagrant violation of the law by the saloon, will, on the day of the election, cast their votes with the prohibitionists.

If prohibition, as the antis declare, will lead the town to ruin from which the pros dissent, the antis should demonstrate the advantages of the saloon to the community, in the sense and the application of general prosperity, especially when the saloon assumes to be exempt from all the restrictions of law which are observed, respectfully, by all others classes of business and traffic, not engaged in the sale of intoxicants.

At this late day, when the die has been cast and the issue must be fought to a finish, there can be no compromise.

On the side of the prohibition movement are citizens whose property is involved in the result, but these do not share the dismal view of a future with its fancied disaster and ruin as pictured in the hilarious enthusiasm of the saloon.

It may be conceded that these recitals of woe and of disaster may influence some good men against prohibition, but the citizens who will view the issue with calmness and deliberation, who will weigh impartially the evil influence of the saloon and its persistent meddling and dictation in politics, will take the broader vew of the question than the material valuation of dollars and cents. If he will view it in the love of humanity, in the spirit of the greatest good to the greatest number, he will not hesitate to stand beside the women and the children, the widows and the orphans who are the victims of the baneful influence of the saloon.

HUMORS OF THE CAMPAIGN.

J. Y. spoke at Coushatta what a St. Louis "traveling man" told us was a plowboy-with-a-stone-bruised-heel sort of a speech.

That was only the other day, and in commenting briefly upon the meeting the Coushatta Democrat remarks that it was "at length, discussing the call for the extra session of the Legislature and his supplemental. He intimated that it would have been just os well if all this matter had been left for the regular session of 1908. It is easy to see that he does not indorse Governor Blanchard's action."

Of course it would have been better if all this matter of graft elimination had been left for the regular session in 1908—better for Sanders. But the hilarious part comes when the esteemed Red River contemporary observes that "he did not touch on the Don Caffery controversy," and was "liberally cheered—when he closed."

RIVER AND WEATHER.

The weather yesterday was cold and cloudy.

River: Denison 2.1, a fall of 0.3; Fulton 7.8; Arthur City 11.9, a rise of 3.9; Whitecliffs 2.6; Shreveport 4.1, a fall of 0.1.

Weather forecast for Shreveport and vicinity: Partly cloudy Sunday.

River forecast: A small rise will occur at Fulton during the next 48 hours, and the change will be unimportant at Shreveport.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

FOR THE STATE SENATE.

The Caucasian has been authorized to announce HON. T. C. BARRET as a candidate for the State Senate, for re-election, subject to the majority of the Democratic voters at the Democratic primary election.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE.

The Caucasian has been authorized to announce HON. H. H. HUCKABAY as a candidate for Representative in the General Assembly, for re-election, from Caddo Parish, subject to the action of the Democratic voters at the primary election.

The Caucasian has been authorized to announce HON. W. H. B. CROOM as a candidate for Representative in the General Assembly, for re-election, from Caddo Parish, subject to the action of the Democratic voters at the primary election.

The Caucasian has been authorized to announce HON. HENRY HUNSICKER as a candidate for Representative in the General Assembly from Caddo Parish, subject to the action of the majority of voters at the Democratic primary election.

The Caucasian has been authorized to announce LEON R. SMITH as a candidate for Representative in the General Assembly from Caddo Parish, subject to the action of the majority voters at the Democratic primary election.

Prompted by a laudable ambition and desire to be of service to the people of Caddo Parish and my native State, I submit my announcement as a candidate for the Legislature, and if elected I promise to serve you faithfully, honestly and to the best of my ability.

L. E. THOMAS.

FOR SHERIFF.

The Caucasian is authorized to announce J. P. FLOURNOY a candidate for re-election to the office of Sheriff of Caddo Parish, subject to the decision of the Democratic voters at the forthcoming primary to be held January 28, 1908.

FOR ASSESSOR.

The Caucasian has been authorized to announce S. Q. HOLLINGSWORTH a candidate for the office of Assessor of Caddo Parish, subject to the action of the majority voters at the Democratic primary election.

The Caucasian has been authorized to announce S. N. KERLEY a candidate for the office of Assessor of Caddo Parish, subject to the action of the majority of the Democratic voters at the primary election.

FOR CLERK OF DISTRICT COURT.

We have been authorized to announce F. A. LEONARD as a candidate for the office of Clerk of the District Court of Caddo Parish at the Democratic primary on January 28, 1908.

FOR CORONER.

The Caucasian has been authorized to announce that DR. S. Y. ALEXANDER is a candidate for re-election to the office of Coroner of Caddo Parish, subject to the action of the majority of the Democratic voters at the primary election.

The Caucasian is authorized to announce DR. W. L. EGAN as a candidate for the office of Coroner of Caddo Parish, subject to the action of the majority of the Democratic voters at the primary election.

FOR POLICE JUROR—WARD FOUR

The Caucasian has been authorized to announce that HON. JULES DREYFUSS is a candidate for re-election to the office of Police Juror of the Fourth Ward of Caddo Parish, subject to the action of the majority of the Democratic voters at the primary election.

The Caucasian has been authorized to announce HON. J. C. MAHLEN as a candidate for re-election to the office of Police Juror of the Fourth Ward of Caddo Parish, subject to the action of the majority of the Democratic voters at the primary election.

FOR POLICE JUROR—WARD SIX.

The Caucasian has been authorized to announce J. E. ODEN as a candidate for the office of Police Juror of Ward Six, subject to the action of the majority of the Democratic voters at the primary election.

FOR CITY JUDGE.

The Caucasian has been authorized to announce HON. W. E. MAPLES as a candidate for Judge of the City Court, subject to the action of the majority of the Democratic voters at the primary election.

The Caucasian has been authorized to announce S. C. FULLILOVE as a candidate for the office of Judge of the City Court, subject to the action of the majority votes at the Democratic voters at the primary election.

FOR CITY MARSHAL.

The Caucasian is authorized to announce H. M. RUTHERFORD as a candidate for City Marshal, subject to the action of the Democratic voters in the primary election.

The Caucasian is authorized to announce G. F. GERRALD as a candidate for City Marshal, subject to the action of the Democratic voters in the primary election.

The Caucasian is authorized to announce L. M. McDUFFIE as a candidate for City Marshal, subject to the action of the Democratic voters in the primary election

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