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Local Mention.

Visitors In and Out--Those we Meet and Those we Hear of.

Congress will adjourn on June 6th.

The Carnival Club will clebrate the coming fourth of July in this town.

Miss Alida Naquin, of Houma, was here to witness the wedding of her cousin, Miss Bertha.

"Worse than ever," such is the announcement made every other day regarding the Cuban steal.

Miss Alice McGee, of New Orleans, arrived yesterday on a visit to Miss Louise Roger, of Greenwood.

The census taker started out on his mission yesterday morning. Receive him well and answer his questions.

Mr. and Mrs. James E. Chivers, of Thibodaux, were visiting relatives in this city, on Sunday last.—Iberian.

Messrs. H. N. Coulon, Franklin Aucoin and C. C. Williams attended the Confederate re-union at Louisville.

Mr. Davis Foret, of Ludivine plantation, was here this week, on a visit to his mother, Mrs. J. Foret, of Jackson street.

The reunion of the United Confederate Veterans at Louisville, Ky., this week was the grandest and most successful ever held.

Cecile Neville, a colored woman, was killed by lightning last Wednesday, near Waggaman, while coming out of a rice field.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Barker are visiting their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Lee J. Foret, of Ludivine plantation.

"Regent shoes" all styles, one price $3.50 at The "Racket store."

Misses Louise and Lucille Reveillon, of Lafayette, friends of the bride, attended the Bethancort-Naquin wedding last Monday.

Too much rain fell this week for the benefit of the crops. Wednesday and Thursday were marked by a heavy rainfall.

The best on earth is a Hannan shoe. Emile J. Braud, proprietor of Thibodaux Shoe and Hat Store, sole agent. 12-1y.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Blum and sister Jennie, of Thibodaux, were visitors at the Loeb's mansion Sunday.—Rural Topics, Morgan City.

Hon. W. P. Martin attended the commencement exercises of the Normal School at Natchitoches. He returned yesterday, well pleased with his trip.

The SENTINEL is pleased to note among the names of graduates at the Normal School that of Miss Adèle Sabatier, a daughter of Dr. E. Sabatier, of Lafourche Crossing.

Have you seen our "Regent shoe"? It's a beauty isn't it? well why not try a pair, once worn, always worn. For sale at The "Racket Store".

Mrs. Ernest Roger, and her daughter, Miss Lucy, have left for Covington where they propose to spend a month for the benefit of Mrs. Roger's health. They were accompanied by Mr. Roger who has already returned.

The bubonic plague seems to be gaining a foothold in Chinatown, a suburb of San Francisco. That town has been quarantined and every precaution is taken to prevent the spread of the plague,

The Democratic State convention to elect delegates to the national convention at Kansas City will meet in Baton Rouge on Monday, June 4th. We are informed that the delegates elected at the primary election of February 19th will represent this parish in that convention.

Why that's a swell shoe you have on, it fits so perfectly, what did you pay for e'm? 5.00 I guess! Oh! no this is a "Regent" only 3.50, but they are just as good as any 5.00 shoe made. I bought e'm from Charles A. Badeaux; he is the sole Agent you know.

A negro named Charles Arthur was killed during the night of Saturday and Sunday last by some unknown party or parties, on the road along bayou Terrebonne near the parish line. The corpse was found on Sunday morning and an inquest held, which failed to discover who did the killing.

See our line of Men's Negligee, and latest style colored shirts, the "Racket Store."

The only genuine Mathushek Piano is sold by Philip Werlein Ltd. of New Orleans, La. The outrageous claim of various small dealers to sell this magnificent piano is the natural simian instinct to imitate whatever man does. We caution the people to beware of unscrupulous imatation sellers. Ph. Werlein, Ltd.

CASTORIA.
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought

Miss Marie Natalie Bethancourt, a niece of Mr. Etienne Thuberville, of this town, in whose family she was staying died last Saturday night, after a short illness of two days. She was only 17 years and 5 months of age at the time of her premature death. Her funeral took place Sunday afternoon at St. Joseph's Church.

TO THE DEAF.—A rich lady, cured of her Deafness and Noises in the Head by Dr. Nicholson's Artificial Ear Drums, gave $100,00 to his Institute, so that deaf people unable to procure the Ear Drums may have them free. Address No. 4096 The Nicholson Institute, 780, Eighth Avenue, New York. 9-1y

The annual election of officers of Home Hook & Ladder Fire Co. No. 1 took place last Monday night, as follows: President, C. O. Dantin; vice-president, Jackson Bernard; secretary, C. F. Bourgeois; assistant, W. Roundtree; treasurer, Albert L. Guillot; foreman, C. A. Labit; 1st assistant, Albert Baye; 2nd assistant, Klebert Naquin; tyler, Oreule Baye; warden, Victor Adam.

At a recent meeting of the board of directors of the "Senses" Hospital in New Orleans, Mr. Frank Barker, the prosperous commission merchant and sugar planter, brother of Mr. Charles J. Barker, clerk of court of this parish, was chosen President of that hospital.

Mrs. E. M. Goode and Miss Mallie Holden, both of Dallas, Texas, left for their home last Monday, after spending a week here among old friends and amidst scenes of earlier life. While here they were the guests of Mrs. M. K. Fulford, from whose house they visited their other many friends They were both charmed with their visit, and were loath to leave when the time to depart arrived.

CASTORIA
For Infants and Children.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
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Morgan City, La., May 29.—Richard Spinner, a resident of this city died this afternoon. He was thirty-seven years of age, a well-to-do business man and proprietor of the Morgan City Bakery.

The deceased was well known in Thibodaux, where he resided for a long time, being at the time proprietor of the Thibodaux Bakery, when the same was situated on the lot where Mr. Henry Riviere's handsome residence now stands.

A Miracle.

Mrs. Josephine Hasam, a resident of New Orleans, who had been paralyzed for forty-seven years, recovered miraculously last Sunday. She had to be lifted into a chair and wheeled around. Last year on Ascension day, the congregation of St. Alphonsus' Church agreed to make novenas for her recovery, which devotions Mrs. Hasam always attended with favor. Sunday as she was coming from the Church she felt an inclination to walk, and having tried, succeeded. She is now in perfect health and able to move about with ease. Her recovery is due to supernatural power.—Daily Democrat.

The Eclipse Observed Here.

Last Monday's solar eclipse was observed here under the most favorable conditions. The weather was fine, and not a cloud interfered with nature's programme. The sight presented during the progress of the moon's shadow, gradually obscuring the face of the sun, was beautiful, and at the moment of total eclipse it was truly grand. The darkness of night covered the earth, and stars shone in the firmanent, and for the brief moment of its duration, nature itself seemed to have sunk back into the repose of night. It lasted just for an instant.

We have heard of some people being frightened by the unusual phenomenon, and of darkies in the fields who trembled with fear, as they prayed for deliverance from what was to them an impending catastrophe; but we suppose there is considerable exaggeration in these stories. It is however true that chickens started towards their roosting places when darkness began to overspread the earth, and that the roosters crew for joy when the light reappeared; while animals of a higher order exhibited some trepidation and nervousness during the eclipse

The reports of observation elsewhere are all favorable, and scientists will soon be giving us the result of their observations and their theories based on the observations of others.

Coming Races at Central Park.

A splendid programme of races has been arranged for Sunday, June 10th, at the Bayou Lafourche Central Park race track, near Labadieville.

The opening of the season on this track on May 20th, proved so successful and gave such general satisfaction, that the management feels called upon to use every effort to make the coming meet still more attractive.

With that end in view the following programme has been prepared for the occasion:

1. Harness race, 2.30 class, trot or pace, purse $100.
2. Running race, 300 yards dash, purse $50.
3. Running race, ¼ mile dash, purse 50.
4. Running race, ½ mile dash, purse 50.
5. One mile & Hurdle race, purse $100.
6. Running race, ¼ mile dash purse $75.
7. Running mule race one mile dash, purse $25.
8. Harness Race, 1 mile best 2 in 3 for Cracker Jacks, horses that are not in the hands of professional trainers, purse $50.

Harness races to be divided into 4 moneys: 50 to 1st, 25 to 2nd, 15 to 3rd, 10 to 4th.

Running races, into 3 moneys: 65 to 1st, 25 to 2nd, 10 to 3rd.

All purses guaranteed.

Excursion from Donaldsonville and Lockport. The Str. Louisiana will leave Donaldsonville at 7 o'clock a. m. and the Str. Pelican, Lockport at 7.30 a. m.

The Coming Grand Fair.

We have already announced that a grand fair would soon be given in the basement of the new building now erecting at the Mount Carmel Convent, this town, for the benefit of that institution. Since our first announcement, the committees of ladies and gentlemen having the affair in charge have fixed on Saturday, Sunday and Monday, June 16, 17 and 18, as the dates for giving the fair.

Already committees are at work to make the fair one of the grandest ever held in this town, with a view of realizing as large a fund as possible to aid the good Sisters in their arduous undertaking of giving us a convent building which will be an ornament to the town and reflect credit upon the community.

The object is a most worthy one and should attract the support of every body in the community.

Let us get ready to put forth our best efforts to make the fair a grand success socially and financially. It is to our mutual benefit, be we from town or country.

Lost.

Lady's Gold Watch with chain and cut glass charm in shape of block supposed to have been lost between R. R. Depot and St. Philip street. Person finding same will be rewarded by returning same to this office.

To Lock Bayou Lafourche.

Senator Price is pushing right along his bill providing for the locking of Bayou Lafourche. The scheme meets with the approval of the State Engineers and of both levee boards concerned, and there is every reason to believe that the Senator, with his recognized push and energy, will succeed in bringing it to the desired issue during the present session.

The Teachers Pass Resolutions.

The following resolutions were adopted by the Teachers' Institute in session at Guion Academy, this city, last week:

Whereas, we have been greatly benefitted intellectually, morally, and professionally by this week's institute and desire to give public expression of our gratitude to those who have contributed to its success and to our pleasure and well being while here, therefore,

Resolved, That the thanks of this body are due Prof. J. B. Aswell for the able and concise manner in which he has conducted this institute; for the good seed which he has sown in the hearts of the teachers; for making the subjects we are teaching plainer to us and thereby making it easier for us to present them to the children under our control.

Resolved, That our thanks are especially due Prof. Aswell for his eloquent and thoughtful lecture delivered at the Opera House Tuesday evening. We believe it will be the source of much good to the educational cause of the parish.

Resolved, That we desire to thank our efficient and highly esteemed Parish Superintendent for his courtesy, impartiality, and kindly interest shown us since he has been in office.

Resolved, That the rapidly increasing interest in public education in the Parish of Lafourche makes it imperative that the man who is to be put at the head of the parish public school system should be, not only well qualified educationally for the high position of Superintendent, but should be required to devote his entire time to the duties of his office.

Resolved, That our thanks are due the Tuxedo Club for the delightful manner in which we were entertained by them at the euchre and dance Wednesday evening.

Resolved, That we thank the people of Thibodaux in general for their kind hospitality to us. We feel deeply grateful and shall ever remember the week just passed in Thibodaux.

Resolved, That we are deeply grateful to Miss Malhiot for the model lessons, in which she demonstrated her ability to handle and draw out the minds of little children and cause them to think. We believe we have been greatly benefitted by these lessons.

Resolved, That we thank Miss Alice Malhiot, Miss Vivian Knobloch and Mrs. Louis Meyer for the delightful vocal and instrumental music which contributed to make the evening pleasant at the Opera House, Tuesday evening.

Resolved, That we request the Thibodaux SENTINEL and the Lafourche *Comet* to publish these resolutions.

Res. Com. { L. O. BRUMFIELD, MARY LAFOREST, OPHELIA RICHARDS.

Davey Nominated.

Congressman R. C. Davey has been re-nominated by the Democrats of the Second District to succeed himself. The faithful congressman deserved the high compliment paid him by his constituency.

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A Good Appointment.

We note with pleasure the appointment of Thomas Beary as a member of the Atchafalaya Levee Board, *vice* N. S. Williams, deceased. Mr. Beary is a first class, business man, familiar with the levee conditions surrounding us, and will prove a valuable member of the board.

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Kentucky Mules and Horses.

I desire to inform my friends and the public in general, that after Dec. 25, 1899, I will have at Mr. W. C. Ragan's stable, a fine lot of Kentucky mules and horses, which I will dispose of at reasonable prices, call and see me. ED. C. WATHEN.

Off For The Big Fair.

The members of the excursion club for Paris, known as the Twentieth Century Club, left New Orleans last Wednesday on their way to Paris. Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Robichaux, their son, Louis, Mr. Emile E. Riviere, of this town, and Mr. Octave Coignet, of this parish, were among those who took passage. The party was to travel direct to St. Louis; thence to Niagara where they will remain one day. They will then go to New York, whence they will depart for Paris on June 3rd, on the Steamship Belgravia.

The Coming Week in Lockport.

We publish in the French department of this issue an interesting communication from Rev. Father Vigroux, the zealous pastor of the Church of the Holy Savior, Lockport, setting forth the order of the religious exercises in that church for the coming week.

For the benefit of such of our readers who do not read French we cull and reproduce the following announcements therein contained:

The retreat prepatory to the first communion and to confirmation will begin to morrow morning and will last until Tuesday evening. The first communion will be on Wednesday, June 6th, at the half-past six o'clock mass. At 9 o'clock, at another low mass, the beautiful ceremony of the renewal of their baptismal vows by the first communicants will take place, and be followed by their consecration to the Blessed Virgin.

In the afternoon a delegation of parishioners will repair to Raceland to receive and welcome his Grace, Right Reverend G. A. Rouxel, Auxiliary Bishop of New Orleans.

On Thursday, confirmation will be administered to about 200 children.

On Friday there will be a solemn requiem service for the repose of the soul of the late lamented Rev. Father Letilly, founder of the parish and who during 29 years was the devoted and zealous pastor of the Church of the Holy Savior. His Grace, Bishop Rouxel, who was a friend and fellow countryman of the deceased, will be celebrant at this requiem mass which will be at 7 o'clock.

Judge Guion held his final session of court on Thursday in St. James parish. He passed sentence on some convicts, then administered the oath of office to District Attorney Goudran and to Judge Leche, his successor. On assuming the bench, Judge Lecha administered the oath of office to Judge Guion as Attorney General of the State. Pretty courtesies beween friends.

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Lockport Teachers' Institute.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Please kindly allow me space to make the following announcement:

The Lockport Teachers' Institute will meet at Lockport, Saturday, June 9th, at two o'clock. An excellent program has been prepared and a full attendance is desired.

We expect Prof. J. B. Aswell, State institute instructor to be with us on that occasion.

L. O. BRUMFIELD, President.

Bethancourt—Naquin.

Last Monday afternoon at 6 o'clock a pretty marriage ceremony took place in St. Joseph's Church. The contracting parties were Mr. Arthur J. Bethancourt, of Houma, and Miss Bertha Naquin, the prepossessing daughter of Mr. Ozème Naquin.

A large number of friends and well wishers were present at the interesting ceremony by which the two young people were united for life.

After the ceremony the bridal party repaired to the home of the bride's parents on St. Philip Street, where they partook of refreshments. Later Mr. and Mrs. Bethancourt left by carriage for their future home in Houma, carrying with them the best wishes of relatives and friends for their future happiness and prosperity.

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The following names have been added to our list during the past month:

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Respectfully submitted,
L. H. LANCASTER,
Local Manager.

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Ladies Handkerchiefs, with lade edge H. S. also col. borders, from 5 to 25c
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Ladies Fan Chains made of Cyrano Beads, 10 and 20c each
Beautiful Lace Curtains 3 yds long, at 70, 75c. $1.00, $1.25 pair
Misses Corset Waists, 25, 35, 40c
Ladies Corset Waists, 50c
A small lot of odds and ends in Ladies Shirt Waists, to close out only 25c
Just added a nice line of Photogrbph Frames to our stock, real pretty and dirt cheap, 20, 35, 40 and 50c. You couldn't buy 'em elsewhere at these prices.
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