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Local Mention.

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

Remember the CONVENT FAIR, it opens next Saturday.

Go to the Races to-morrow at Central Park and enjoy the fun.

Messrs. T. A. Bardeau and T. H. Roger visited the Crescent City last Sunday, returning Monday.

Public school teachers will find a notice from the superintendent in this issue which concerns them.

"Regent shoes" all styles, one price \$2.50 at The "Racket Store."

Dr. Thomas Stark attended last Monday's convention in Baton Rouge as a delegate from Lafourche.

Mr. Albert J. Trone, of New Orleans has been spending the week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Jos. A. Trone.

Mr. Claiborne Dugas, of Napoleonville, passed through here last Tuesday on his way back from the Louisville reunion.

Gov. Heard has appointed Dr. John N. Taylor, quarantine physician, and Dr. T. Y. A. By, assistant. The appointments are highly commended.

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

Races to-morrow at Bayou Lafourche Central Park. Good fun in store for visitors.

Mr. C. A. Taylor has started a monthly magazine in Alexandria, La., called "The Equivoise." May it succeed and live to vindicate its name.

Mrs. F. D. Kent left Wednesday for Crowley on a visit to her brothers, Thomas C., Hiram W., and Willie Carter and her sister, Mrs. D. R. January.

His Grace, Right Reverend G. A. Bonal, auxiliary bishop of New Orleans, confirmed 311 persons last Sunday in St. Francis de Sales Church, Houma.

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."

Major W. P. Martin returned last Friday week from Natchitoches, where he had been to attend the commencement exercises of the Normal School.

It is not so much a question of a posthouse or no posthouse with our people but a question of the site. Nobody wants it as a next door neighbor.

Mr. J. Tomassi, overseer, of Race land, was here yesterday to look after the case of two colored laborers from that plantation locked up in jail on a criminal charge.

Mrs. M. A. Thornton who had succeeded to her mother's millinery business in this town where she was born and bred, will in the future reside with her children at Pass Christian.

Mrs. L. A. Clark left Tuesday for her home in Iota, after spending a couple of weeks here on a visit to her sister, Mrs. H. R. Dupre. She was accompanied by her little daughter, Ruth.

We are glad to note the re-appearance of the Abberville *Meredithian* into the journalistic field, after a temporary suspension of a few weeks—just a partial eclipse. May it continue to shine now for many years to come.

Mrs. (Dr.) H. Dansereau returned home last Friday from a visit of several weeks to her daughter, Mrs. R. S. Mathison, of New Iberia. Mrs. McMathison and children accompanied her on her return and will spend some time at the Dansereau mansion on St. Philip street.

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

The newly elected Attorney General Walter Guion was on Tuesday presented to the judges of the Supreme Court by ex-Attorney General Miller Cunningham. He will retain the office in the Godchaux Building occupied by his predecessor, and has named Capt. Lewis Guion, his brother, as his assistant.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Goussard and children, of New Orleans, were on a visit to Messrs. P. F. Legendre, P. L. Braud and Emile J. Legendre, their relatives. They arrived here Saturday and left Tuesday for their home. Mrs. Gomez is sister to Mrs. P. L. Braud and Messrs. P. F. and E. J. Legendre.

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

Mr. E. A. Delaune, our parish assessor, was here last Monday on business connected with the duties of his office. Mr. Delaune has completed his assessments for the current year and gives notice in this issue, that the rolls will be exposed at his office at the court house for inspection from Monday until June 30th. Tax payers should make a note of it.

Mr. Thomas McDermott and family are now domiciled in their new residence acquired from the Binnings heirs at the corner of Jackson and Thibodaux streets. Their business will also be carried on at this stand in the future. In fact Mrs. McDermott has already established there her millinery shop.

CASTORIA.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
Bears the Signature of *Dr. J. C. Ayer*

Messrs. H. N. Coulton, O'Neil Delaune and Auguste Delaune arrived last Wednesday from the Louisville reunion, and a visit to Lebanon, Kentucky and Cincinnati, Ohio. Master Paul Coulton, who had accompanied his father, remained in Lebanon, on a visit to friends. Mr. F. Aucom who was in the party had arrived the day before.

The Lockport Teachers' Association will hold an interesting session to-day in the Lockport school house, for which a very attractive programme has been prepared.

The members of this association seem to take a lively interest in their work, and improve every opportunity to advance the cause in which they are engaged. These frequent meetings at which literary entertainments form the main feature are no doubt, productive of good.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Falgout, of Raceland, had the misfortune of losing their little daughter, Florence, last Wednesday at 4:30 p. m., under very painful circumstances, the poor little creature dying of lock-jaw. She fell sick last Sunday night, and notwithstanding that she had the best medical attention, three local physicians having been called in, science was powerless to save her.

The deceased was 6 years and 4 months of age. The funeral took place Thursday afternoon at St. Marie Pamela Church near Raceland. The grief-stricken parents have the sympathy of a host of friends in their affliction.

CASTORIA
For Infants and Children.
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Notice is hereby given that the Thibodaux Oyster Packing and Ice Co. Limited will apply to the General Assembly of the State of Louisiana for an appropriation to reimburse said Company for state taxes erroneously assessed against, and collected from said Company by the State Tax Collector of the Parish of Lafourche, for the year 1899.

THOMAS A. BADEAUX,
President of the Thibodaux Oyster Packing and Ice Co. Limited.
Thibodaux, La. June 9th. 1900.

The Leper Home.

We have, before us the biannual report of the Board of Control of this home made to the Governor and the General Assembly. This home is established on the Indian Camp Plantation, in Iberville. Whi under the charge of a Board of Control who look after its business and the financial affairs, its interior management is in the hands of the good Sisters of Charity. Of the work of these humble servants of the Lord, Mr. M. D. Logan, President of the board, says:

"The chief credit of what is being done at the Leper Home is due to Sister Superior Beatrice and the three other Sisters of Charity in charge, who relieve us so entirely of all the details of management of domestic affairs, the nursing and providing for the comfort of the patients. What we may all do for the Leper Home is nothing compared to their unostentatious work."

El-where he says: "the affairs of the Home, thanks to the watchfulness and patience of the Sisters, run smoothly."

Dr. Pierce, the physician in charge, also speaks highly of the good work of the Sisters. He says: "The rest of the patients, on the whole, have enjoyed excellent health, and are happy and contented as possible under the solicitous and sympathetic care of the Sisters, who wash and dress their sores, administer their medicine and nourishment when sick, providing for their amusements, giving daily readings to those who wish it, and instructing the young in the primary branches of learning."

The present number of patients living in the Home is thirty, among whom are several under twenty-one years of age. There is a girl of 11 years, another of 13 years and a boy of 12 years. In the girl of 11 and the boy of 12, the disease made its appearance when they were only seven years of age.

The helpless condition of many of these unfortunate patients is thus noted by Sister Beatrice in her report:

"It is painful to witness the breaking down physically of many of the lepers whom we found here when we took charge, four years ago. Men and women who were able and willing to render some service, both to themselves and others, are now in a condition of complete inaction because hands or feet or eyes are almost useless from the inroads of the disease."

TO THE DEAF.—A rich lady, cured of her Deafness and Noise in the Head by Dr. Nicholson's Artificial Ear Druggs, gave \$1000 to his Institute, so that deaf people unable to procure the Ear Druggs may have them free. Address No. 408 The Nicholson Institute, 75, Eighth Avenue, New York. 9-1y

Gov. Heard has appointed J. Ward Gurley, as District Attorney of Orleans parish, to fill a vacancy caused either by his own negligence or ignorance of the law, in not having qualified within the time required by the statute. This appointment renders the Governor a *particeps criminis* in the violation and overthrow of a mandatory statute. We have been under the impression all the time that the man from Union so signally honored by the Democratic party beyond his just deserts, was a smooth bore politician of small calibre and now we are immovably fixed and steadfastly confirmed in that opinion.—The Louisiana Democrat.

It takes mighty little to confirm the Democrat steadfastly. But, perhaps, it was "staidly confirmed" all the while in the desire to find fault with and criticize the Governor, and was only too glad of a pretext to register a little kick. No harm done.

Passed The Senate.
As we go to press the following telephonic message reaches us from Baton Rouge:

The bill providing for locking Bayou Lafourche passed the Senate today without opposition and will be finally passed by the House next week.
W. H. PRICE.

Convent Fair.
The management will hold a business meeting on next Wednesday at 5 o'clock p. m. at the usual meeting place. All committees are requested not to fail to make their reports.
A full attendance requested.

The Passage of Mr. Price's Bill Assured.

Since writing our editorial on locking Bayou Lafourche, the glad tidings have come from the State capital that Senator Price's bill relating to the locking of the bayou had been considered in joint committee of the senate and house, and unanimously reported favorably. That action practically insures its enactment into law, and, to use a common expression, it is "all over with but the shouting." Still, remembering the old saying about shouting, we deem it prudent to defer the shouting to some later date. In the meantime let the good work be pushed on to a successful issue.

Delegates to Kansas City Convention.

The State Democratic Convention which met in Baton Rouge last Monday elected the following delegates, with alternates, to the Kansas City Convention, to wit:

DELEGATES AT LARGE.
Samuel D. McEnery, of Ouachita; Murphy J. Foster, of St. Mary; N. C. Bataillard, of Caldo; John Fitzpatrick, of Orleans.

ALTERNATES.
John T. Michl, of Orleans, John Marks, of Assumption; W. H. Barton, of St. James; T. J. Kernan, of East Baton Rouge.

DISTRICT DELEGATES.
First District—Vic Maubert, Alex Pujol; alternates, A. E. Hotard and A. Kestopinal, Jr.

Second District—E. Howard McCalen, L. H. Marrero, Sr.; alternates, S. H. March and Paul Berthelot.

Third District—Robert F. Broussard, Will H. Price; alternates, W. W. Ventress and Overton Cade.

Fourth District—W. F. Blackman, J. M. Foster, Sr.; alternates, L. E. Thomas and A. L. Adkins.

Fifth District—W. W. Heard, Jos. Ransdell; alternates, C. W. Seals and C. H. Jamieson.

Sixth District—M. L. Swords, H. L. Fuqua; alternates, J. H. Womack and A. J. Barrow.

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Bears the Signature of *Dr. J. C. Ayer*
The Goumii Cherry.

The SENTINEL returns thanks to Messrs. T. Jay Lacy & Co. the proprietors of the well known Mount Hope Nursery at Washington, La., for a box of Goumii Cherries, one of the best early fruits of this country. The cherries are fine and have a pungent taste. Messrs. Lacy & Co. write of the Goumii: "It is one of the best early fruits of this country. The bush begins to bear when very young, and bears abundant crops every spring, no matter what the weather is."

This is a new fruit of our own introduction from Japan. It grows from 3 to 10 feet high, bears the second summer after planting, and ripens its fruit in May. The fruit is about the size, shape and color of the Cranberry, with one very small, long seed in the center. It may be eaten raw or used for cooking; 40 cents each; \$3 for 10 trees."

The reputation of the "Mount Hope Nursery for straight goods and fair dealing is well established, and people who contemplate investing in fruit trees would do well to correspond with its proprietors on the subject.

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Made His Debut.

Our new District Attorney, Major W. P. Martin, made his debut in the District Court sitting here. He filed several informations against parties accused of divers misdemeanors and caused all who responded to the call of their names to be arraigned.

Some of these parties plead guilty and others put themselves upon the country and their cases were heard and disposed of yesterday.

Notice to Public School Teachers.
The Public School Teachers of the Parish of Lafourche are hereby directed to close their schools for the summer vacation after having completed five school months.

By order of the Board of School Directors.
W. P. MARTIN,
No. 46. Superintendent.

Kentucky Hules 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.

Excursion To Crowley.
The P-Iran Club, which in the past has given many successful and enjoyable excursions, has arranged for another delightful outing for July 8th, from Napoleonville to Crowley.

The people will, therefore, be afforded a splendid opportunity to spend a day with relatives and friends in the various towns along the Southern Pacific between Napoleonville and Crowley.

The excursion will leave Napoleonville at 6:30 o'clock a. m. and Thibodaux at 8 o'clock, and returning will leave Crowley at 7 o'clock p. m.

Round trip fare from Napoleonville and Lumberville \$2.25; from Thibodaux \$2.00. The committee in charge is composed of Messrs. J. A. Hoffmann, chairman, R. McCormick, O. Angeloz, Chas. M. Tabor, T. Bourgeois, John Pierson, Sam Katz and V. E. Sposito.

Heavy Rains Do Damage.

The heavy rains of the past two weeks have caused serious damage to the crops. The potato and onion growers of this parish will prove the heaviest losers. The potatoes in the ground will prove a total failure, while the unharvested ripe onions will be seriously damaged.

The young corn and the pea crop will also be seriously affected, if not totally ruined.

Even young rice suffered, for it was in many instances entirely covered by water for several days.

The rainy spell was broken last Thursday which was passed without rain, the first in ten or twelve days.

Presidential Electors.
The following are the Democratic presidential electors chosen by the State convention at Baton Rouge, and to be voted for this coming November:

At Large—R. H. Snyder, of Texas; T. H. Lewis, of St. Landry.

First District, Chas. J. Theard; Second District, W. O. Hart; Third District, Edmund McCollam; Fourth District, H. T. Liverman; Fifth District, Allen Barksdale; Sixth District, S. D. Ellis.

Against Divorce.
News comes from Cuba that the lawyers of that island are against legalizing divorce and have petitioned Governor General Woods against the proposed change in their law. They are wise in their generation in thus trying to prevent the divorce evil from taking a foothold among them.

Renovated.
For sometime past the process of renovating the interior of St. Joseph's Church has been going on under the skillful brush of Messrs. Joseph A. Trone & Son, painters, employed by Father Dubourg for the purpose. The sanctuary and the walls of the church have all been painted. The work was timely and has been well done.

Commissions Received.
The sheriff, the clerk of court, the coroner and the ward officers-elect, that is, the police jurors, have received their commissions, or rather their commissions have been received here.

They will soon qualify, with the exception of the police jurors who may wait until the 2nd of July, so as to give the present police jury time to wind up old business at their meeting on that day.

A Proposed Post-Office Creates Trouble.

The town authorities contemplate building a post house on the corporation lot in the rear portion of the town, to replace the house recently destroyed by fire. Many of the property holders and house holders in the vicinity of the proposed site vehemently protest against the location of the house on that site, and street rumor has it that they have retained counsel to enjoin the town authorities in the premises.

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Archbishop Chapelle.

New York, June 3.—A special from Rome announces that Archbishop Chapelle of New Orleans who is presently in the Philippines as papal delegate from the United States, will be made cardinal. It is also stated that he will retain his See at New Orleans and be made titular pastor of one of the churches at Rome. No prelate of the Church has risen more rapidly than Archbishop Chapelle. A few years ago he was assistant pastor of one of the churches at Washington. He has since been made Bishop of Santa Fe, then Archbishop of New Orleans, and papal delegate to Cuba and the Philippines.

JUST RECEIVED AT J. S. LEVRON & Co.'s Emporium Store,

1000 Flower Pots. 250 Jardinieres and Caspidors of latest and most beautiful patterns. Also largest consignment of Ice Cream Freezers, Coolers and Fruit Jars ever brought to Thibodaux. All at New Orleans prices, together with a large line of Hammocks, from \$1.00 upwards. It will pay you to call and see these goods.

Something For Nothing.

That is what we are giving to induce you, who are not already our customers, to visit our store, and see all the nice things we have, and are offering at such low prices, also to encourage our old customers, and to show them how much we appreciate their valued patronage.

We give you with every \$25.00 purchase a handsome picture (a pastel) frame and glass complete, one that will adorn the walls of any home, and prove a source of satisfaction to the owner. Have you yet secured one of these Pictures? If not, why not try to get one. Remember we give you a ticket with every purchase whether it is 5c or \$5.00.

Our Spring Stock is Now Ready for Your Careful Inspection

Ladies White Lawn Shirt Waists well made, latest style 50 and 75c
Ladies Pink Corsets, latest Novelty, strong and durable, 50c
Ladies Handkerchiefs, with lalopde H. S. also col. borders, from 5 to 25c
Ladies Fast Black Hose lisle thread, just the thing for summer wear 25c pr
Extra special: Ladies Black or Tan Hose, full seamless (worth 15c) 10c pair
Ladies Fan Chasms made of Ceyano Beads, 10 and 25c each
Beautiful Lace Curtains 3 yds long, at 75, 50, \$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 Photograph Frames to our stock, real pretty and dirt cheap, 20, 25, 40 and 50c. You couldn't buy 'em elsewhere at these prices.
Ladies Umbrellas in cotton gloria silk serge, gloria silk, etc., at prices that carry them off quickly.
See our line of new Embroidery for this summer's trade, a pretty and large assortment from 5c a yard up

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