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REMOVAL.

DR. HAMLET MOORE,

VETERINARY SURGEON,

OFFICE,
AND HOSPITAL

Cointment's Stable, - Donaldsonville.

PERSONAL POINTERS.

Notice.

It is a rule of nearly, if not, all printing offices to charge for obituary notices sent in for publication. Space in a newspaper has commercial value just as much as other articles in trade and goes to make up the revenues of the paper.

T. Gordon Reddy Jr. of Bowie, was a visitor in our city on Tuesday.

Nic Carriere, of Labadieville was a visitor in our city on Sunday.

Mr. S. Foret and wife, of Ludivine plantation, visited his mother—Mrs. Justilien Foret in our city this week.

Oleus Mire, a prominent sugar planter of Assumption, was a visitor in Thibodaux Tuesday.

P. H. Braud, of Lafourche Crossing gave the Sentinel office a call on Tuesday.

Miss Mary Rousseau, of Lower Lafourche, was visiting friends here on Tuesday.

J. P. Bourg, of Lockport, gave the Sentinel office an appreciated call on Tuesday morning.

Misses Emma Kent and Helene West left yesterday for the State Normal school at Natchitoches.

Big lot of Gents Negligie shirts, elegant goods, large variety of patterns colors etc, just received at The Racket Store.

J. E. Guaglia left yesterday to resume his studies at the State Normal school in Natchitoches.

Leon Blum, wife and child, spent the holiday, last Monday, in Donaldsonville with Mrs. Blum's mother.

Leon Polmer and family spent the holiday, in Donaldsonville last Monday.

Sam Polmer and family of Schriever, spent the holiday, last Monday, in Donaldsonville.

Earl Knoblock Esq and little son, of New Orleans, were in town on Wednesday.

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Mrs. C. P. Shaver returned home on Monday night from New Orleans, where she had been to place her daughter—Miss Cecile—at school.

Miss Annie Allain, of Wakefield, West Feliciana parish, is visiting her uncle—Mr. J. L. Lobdell—in our city.

"The Regent" is the best $3.50 shoe made. Every pair sold with a guarantee. The Racket Store Chas. A. Badeaux prop. sole agent.

Miss Belle Ervin, who has been visiting friends at Kraemer, P. O. returned to her home in New Orleans on Wednesday.

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Hon. Thos A. Badeaux, Parish Superintendent of Education completed his annual visits to the public schools of the parish on last Monday.

W. G. Oberst, representing the A. Kelling Newspaper Company, of Memphis, Tenn, gave the Sentinel office a call on Tuesday.

Jim Cherault, the popular Main street tonsorial artist, attended the Democratic District convention at Houma, as a proxy, on last Monday.

Mr. Thos. A. Stark, who has been traveling and visiting several cities in Colorado and other western states the past month, returned home Monday night much benefitted by his vacation.

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Thibodaux College Fair.

There should be a large attendance at the Fair given for the benefit of the Thibodaux College building fund, on the 7th and 8th of October.

The old Thibodaux Brass Band will render some choice concert music for the occasion and there will be a number of amusements to entertain the public- besides delicious refreshments will be dispensed to suit the appetites of the most fastidious.

Birthday Party.

The sixth birthday of little Miss Nannie Rousseau, was pleasantly celebrated at the home of Dr. and Mrs. J. N. Fleetwood, grandparents of the sweet little girl, on last Wednesday evening and was attended by fifty six bright little girls and boys of our city, who assembled to wish their young hostess much joy and many happy returns of her natal day.

It is superfluous to say that the children had a jolly time in juvenile games, and were royally entertained with delicious refreshments by the grandparents of little Nannie.

She was the recipient of many birthday tokens from her little guests, and it was an occasion of happiness long to be remembered by all of its joyous participants. We have not the space to publish the names of those present.

A Dance.

The members of the Jolly Club had a delightful dance at Tabor's Hall, on Tuesday night, in which many of the devotees of Terpsichore participated—all reporting a pleasant time.

A Pleasant Dance.

The Pastime Pleasure Club gave an informal dance at Frosts Hall on Thursday evening which was largely attended, the couples taking up the entire floor of the commodious hall. The participants voted the event to be a most enjoyable one. No space for names of those who attended this week.

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An Unjust Law.

Gheens La. Sept. 19, 1900.

Editor Thibodaux Sentinel.

In behalf of the hunters of Lafourche parish, I respectfully ask the Police Jurors of this parish to set aside the unjust game law passed at their last meeting. Set it aside and uphold the State game law. "This is what we want, and it covers everything, protects the game of all kinds, and fixes the time and date of hunting said game." I say this is an unjust law because it gives to some a privilege that it does not to others. What makes one man better than another? Why do you want to give one man a privilege to kill game and shut another friend out. I'm surprised at our Democratic friends and sorry for our Republican friends that voted for this law. How many Democrats that worked and voted for our Democratic friends that are members of our Police Jury, and what are we fighting our Republican friends today for? For allowing privileges to some and shutting out others. This law not only shuts out some hunters but it shuts out the merchants that sells the ammunition that is used in killing this game. besides it takes away from the hunter that which does not cost the parish of Lafourche a cent. Take the merchants profits away from him yet he is expected to pay his taxes the same. What does the parish of Lafourche or any parish expect to get from labor if they take from it every privilege, and take from these poor hunters the opportunity of making a few dimes in the winter months?

Perhaps all of our police jurors have money enough to buy what ducks they want to eat, and I hope they have, because I dont think any of them can kill them. How many men in the city of New Orleans, would like to sit down to his table and enjoy a nice Duck? But oh no! our Police Jurors want all to stay in Lafourche parish during the winter and then go some where else to be taken by other hunters. This law is just the same law as we had in Tennessee some years ago to sell whiskey, the taxes were so high that a small merchant could not sell it so what became of it? Only a few could sell it those that had plenty, so it did not allow the poor man any chance at all. Dont try to crush us little poor laboring men and small merchants and some day we may grow large and have money to buy ducks as one of our jurors said the other day to me. "Now I ask our Police Jurors to look over this matter and see if I'm not halfway right about this law. If it is allowed to stand as it is it will cause some trouble to some one unjustly.

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Neatly Furnished.

The Pastime Pleasure Club rooms, situated up stairs in the McDermott building, have been remodelled and fitted up with neat chairs, tables and rockers, and present a cosy appearance of ease and comfort. The floors also have been laid with new matting giving everything a fresh tone and harmony in the tasteful furnishings.

Receptions for ladies on Tuesday evenings.

Harmonizing Committee.

The State Executive Committee met in New Orleans on last Tuesday to discuss the differences in the Democratic nominations of the sixth congressional District. A committee of five was appointed to investigate matters and try to harmonize the two factions, and in the event of their failing to amicably adjust the differences to report their findings back to the general committee. It was decided to summon the leaders of the Robertson and Barrow factions to appear before them next Saturday at noon at the Choctaw Club.

NOTES AND COMMENTS

On the Republican Congressional Platform, Adopted at New Iberia.

In my first paper, I characterized Mr. McKinley as the most vacillating executive we have ever had, and wondered how our Republican sugar planters could so blindly rely upon him and his promises to save their industry. Since then I find the following extract from the Omaha World-Herald, which so aptly sets forth this most prominent characteristic of the President's nature, that I cannot withstand the temptation to lay it before your readers. Here it is:

"William McKinley has changed oftener than anything or anybody, not even excepting the weather. He changed on the money question. He changed on the sugar tariff question. He changed on the plain duty question. He changed on the "who will haul down the flag" question. He changed on the forcible annexation question. He has flopped and floundered like an eel out of water. He has shifted and evaded and sidestepped like a champion pugilist who depends more on ability to dodge than ability to hit. He has advocated both sides of every question of public importance."

There we have an excellent picture, true to life, of our expert presidential flopper, upon whose voucher our Republican friends repose, with the simple confidence of a little child, to protect their sugar and other interests in dealing with our "new possessions," which he would annex irrevocably to the United States.

This much *en passant*.

I now come to the other propositions contained in the extract quoted above (in my first paper), the first of which is, quoting. "We can trust the Republican party to deal fairly with the industries of our district, sugar, rice and lumber, in adjustments of the policies and methods (of) dealing with the responsibilities that have accrued as the results of the late war."

(In the original publication of the platform, there is a full stop after the word "lumber," the second member of the sentence appearing as a separate and incomplete sentence. Believing this to be a typographical error, I have recast the proposition in one sentence as it appears above.)

It may be; but so can we trust the Democratic party to do that same thing. The Democratic party tells us in its platform declarations how it proposes to adjust the Philippine question to establish a stable form of government and declare that country free and independent. It proposes to turn the Philippines loose, and let their people govern themselves, just as it is proposed to let the Cubans govern themselves as a free and independent nation.

Under the Democratic plan, the Philippines would remain a foreign nation; under the Republican plan, they would remain a part of the territory of the United States.

As a foreign nation, our industries can safely be protected from importations of its products by a justly laid tariff for revenue, and our laborers protected from indiscriminate immigration from those distant shores.

The Democratic party thus tells us explicitly how it proposes to deal with the Philippines and we know just what to expect.

The Republican party, on the contrary, proposes to annex the Philippines and to hold them as territory of the United States, but it has not defined its proposed treatment of them, except that the "largest measure of self-government consistent with their (Filipinos') welfare and our duties shall be secured to them (the Filipinos) by law;" a declaration so broad, vague and indefinite as to include in its ample folds any and all policies and methods of treatment that future exigencies might dictate or party expediency suggest.

If the Republicans should annex permanently the Philippines, as they propose to do, then from the moment of permanent annexation these will become part of the United States, and no tariff could be levied on importations of their products into the present limits of the United States.

This is the opinion of sound constitutional lawyers, irrespective of party affiliation.

This when it comes to a question of trusting either the Republican or the Democratic party "to deal fairly with the industries of our district, sugar, rice and lumber, in adjustment of policies and methods of dealing with the responsibilities that have accrued as the results of the late war," both wisdom and prudence should lead us to trust in the Democratic party which proposes to turn loose the Philippines, which will enable us to pursue the same economic policy towards them as we pursue towards the rest of the world, rather than in the Republican party which proposes to annex the islands, without defining its economic policy in dealing with them.

Let us now consider the second proposition:

"The language of the Philadelphia platform and the past treatment of our industries by the Republican party furnish a confident guarantee for the continued protection they will afford."

The framers of the New Iberia platform may repose with implicit confidence upon the glittering generalities of the Philadelphia platform as a "guarantee for the continued protection of our industries; that is a matter of faith and hope, which may rest on little or no foundation. But when they assert that the past treatment of our industries by the Republican party furnishes a confident guarantee for the continued protection that party will afford, they enter the domain of history and of fact and state a conclusion which I propose to show is absolutely without foundation, at least in so far as it relates to sugar, the principal industry of the district.

What has been the treatment of our sugar industry by the Republican party?

In 1870, during President Grant's first administration, when the cry arose for a reduction of revenues springing from the war tariff, sugar was selected for the sacrifice, and the tariff on it was materially reduced. President Grant and a large following in Congress, Senate and House of Representatives congressmen favored the annexation of San Domingo which would have given us free sugar from that island; a scheme which was only defeated by the stubborn resistance of the Democrats.

The Republican party under Grant gave us the treaty with the Hawaiian islands which admitted their sugars into this country, free of duty, until the present Republican administration permanently annexed the islands and established free trade with them forever. The Democrats, under President Cleveland, had combatted and defeated the scheme hatched by President Harrison, another Republican President; but McKinley was no sooner installed than the old Republican scheme of annexation was revived and executed.

I have reached by limit of space for this issue, and must reserve further comments for another paper.

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