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A STEP In the right direction, is to Step into Our Store,

and see the elegant line of Gents' Furnishing, Shoes, and Hats, just received. Our Spring stock is open and ready for your inspection.

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Announcement.

This is to inform my customers, friends and the public in general, that I am now located at my new stand, opposite my old store, next to the Thibodaux Drug Store.

Emile J. Braud.

An Enthusiastic Meeting.

A meeting of the Base Ball Association was held Wednesday night to dispatch some very important business which was pending.

The team has been organized anew and expenses to a considerable extent have been cut down. The Base Ball Association is doing all in its power to provide good games of base ball on Sundays for the amusement of the people but so far has not met with the proper encouragement essential to the success of the work.

In order to pay the expenses of the team as it is presently composed the gate receipts every Sunday must be at least one hundred dollars. All that the association asks and in fact implores of the people is to come to these games. Within a radius of three miles of the town can be found a population of over ten thousand people and surely out of this large population there ought to be four hundred people who are willing to see a good game of base ball every week.

The ladies from now on will be charged no admittance fee and all that the association expects of them is that they shall talk base ball and help the association in its efforts to secure a large attendance at the park every week to witness the base ball games.

We hope that the people of the town shall become thoroughly interested in base ball matters and shall talk base ball, nothing but base ball, until good encouraging attendance are secured at the park. Wake up people of Thibodaux. Have some pride and show our sister towns of Houma, Donaldsonville, Morgan City and Plaquemine that we have about us a spirit of progressiveness and that we are not sleepy headed.

Greys Again Victorious.

A highly interesting game of base ball was played at the park last Sunday between the Smith Bros. of New Orleans, and the Greys which resulted in favor of the home boys by a score of 7 to 4.

Rooters Club.

A Rooters Club of about thirty member strong was organized last Wednesday night for the purpose of promoting and encouraging base ball sport. One of the main objects of the club besides rooting themselves hoarse is to drum up a big attendance for the games which will be played on our diamond this season.

We hope to see the membership of the club increased and we further desire to hear the Rooters root base ball upon the streets as well as at the games. Let the good work be continued and the fight will soon be won. We should have base ball, we must have base ball and we will have base ball is the motto of the Rooters club.

Mr. Louis Riviere was elected chief Rooters, with S. R. Coulon and Rodolph Coimment as his able assistants.

Pierson—Ancoin.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Ancoin of Labadieville announce the marriage of their daughter Emily V. to Mr. Jno. J. Pierson of Thibodaux to be solemnized at St. Philomena Church at Labadieville on Tuesday evening May, 27. All the friends and acquaintances of both families are requested to be present.

No Cards.

Contracts Awarded.

Active Operations to be Begun Immediately

On the N. O. and Southwestern Railroad Co.

As we go to press information from the general headquarters of the New Orleans and South Western Rail Road Co. domiciled in Thibodaux has been furnished us to the effect that active operations on the proposed electric railway line between Houma and New Orleans will soon be begun.

The projectors of the road are hard at work getting every thing in readiness.

Contracts have been awarded the different respective Companies as follows.

Boilers awarded to the Hiene Boiler Co. of St. Louis.

Over head work awarded to the Safety Electric Co. of New Orleans. Condensers and Heating Machines awarded to the Warren Webster Co. of New York.

Pumps awarded to Henry R. Worthington of New York.

Engines for Exciter awarded to the Skinner Co., of Erie, Pennsylvania.

Generators and Electrical Devices and Dynamos awarded to the Bullock Electric Co. of Cincinnati, Ohio.

Construction of bed work awarded to G. R. Turner.

Some Town-Killers.

Every town and city has its town killers. Some do their killing in one way, some in another. Generally it is done through selfish motives, through haste to get rich. The person who gained fame through being the owner of a goose that laid golden eggs, was so greedy and impatient that he couldn't wait for the laying, he killed the goose and performed a surgical operation to get at the eggs.

One of the commonest killers of towns is the man who is not satisfied with an enterprise that has for one of its objects the building up of the industries of a community, and thus giving employment to labor. There are men, who when they find out that a manufacturing enterprise or a railroad wants real estate of which they happen to be the owners, and which they have been offering for sale, who will mark it up fifty or one hundred per cent just because it is wanted. If they are led to imagine that a railroad or a manufacturing enterprise must have their property, they may add two or three hundred per cent to its actual value.

Such persons are town-killers. There is no way to get around them, unless their property may be assessed and condemned and sold in that way, they think only of themselves, without considering that the public has any rights in the matter. It is to be regretted that there are any such persons; but there are, and they are to be found in almost every city and town. Where they are numerous they may effectually prevent the growth of any city in which they may have their abiding place.

Every man has a right to control his own; but the good citizen, in the exercise of such a right, will also take into consideration the welfare of the community in which his property is located. No man has any right to expect the property of another, with out paying him for it as its full value; but on the other hand no man ought to control his own property in such a way as to be detrimental to the interests of his neighbors.

If there be any such in Knoxville, let us hope they are few in numbers, and that their tribed may not in the future be detrimental to the interests of the city, it is bad for Knoxville.—Journal and Tribune.

A Lovely Dance.

On last Tuesday night at the Opera House was given by some of the young gentlemen of this community one of the most enjoyable dances ever given in our city. The hall was tastefully and beautifully decorated with ferns' palms, palmettoes and evergreens. The music was furnished by the Donaldsonville String Band. All who attended the dance are highly elated over the delightful time and the manner in which it was so pleasantly whirled away.

Those present are as follows: Misses Bessie Cragin, of New Orleans; Pauline Dansrean, Charlotte Beattie, Kathleen Pugh, Rita Aycock, Maggie Woods, Cecelia Chauvin, Lea

Chauvin, Minerva Pugh, Carrie Curtis, Ethel Moore, Virginia Philson, Lucy Roger, Mesdames Rice, of New Orleans, Fieret, Pujos, Moore, Beattie, Pugh and Moore.

Messrs. Jim and Chas. Snott, of New Orleans; Willis Hobson, W. S. Lafargue, P. R. Percy, V. J. Knobloch, Preston Pugh, Edward Pugh, William Woods, Covington Woods, Willie Lobell, John T. Moore, Jr., Ernest Roger, Dr. Smith and Dr. Brand, Charlton Beattie and Chas. V. Moore.

"All the Comforts of Home."

A play entitled "All the Comforts of Home" will be presented in Lockport at the public school building on Sunday May 4th, 1902, for the benefit of the public school fund Association. Any movement which redounds to the interest of a community and which tends to uplift the standard of education should appeal strongly to all and therefore should receive the united and liberal support of the people. Judging from those who compose the cast we feel satisfied that the play will be ably presented and that the success of the play is an assured fact.

The cast of the play is as follows: Alfred Hasting... Simon Bergeron Tom McDow... S. Caire Theo Bender... S. O. Braun Mr. E. Pettibone... L. O. Brumfield C. Gabney... Dr. J. E. Blanchard J. Langhorne... J. E. B. Ancharl V. Snythe... G. Ducos Thompson... Edgar Barrios Bailiff... Dr. J. E. Blanchard Josephine Bender... Miss E. Davenport K. Bender... Miss Nellie Price Rosebelle Pettibone... Miss Olive Price E. Pettibone... Miss Alice Arbrat C. C. Oritanski... Miss Clothilde Lyall Tickets are on sale at the Lockport Pharmacy.

The Confederate Reunion recently held in Dallas was very largely attended. It proved to be one of the happiest gatherings in the history of their assemblages. The people of Dallas entertained the battle scared soldiers in a lovely manner and did everything in their power to make the welcomed visitors stay in their beautiful city pleasant and enjoyable in all respects.

The old Confederate veterans won for themselves undying fame in the struggle in defense of justice and principle, and although they represent a cause that is no longer a reality, the leadership of Davis and Lee will ever be revered and honored by the Southern people. It is not to resurrect buried issues to awake the memories of the past for the South loves to dwell upon the deeds of valour and prowess of her sons. It is unfortunate that they were performed in a contest against brothers, but they were none the less heroes and worthy of remembrance.

The South is loyal to the Union, and will ever be, but it will never forget her sons who furnished such brilliant pages to the annals of our country's history.

Kraemerville News.

A grand fishing party was given at Bayou Clairville by Mr. L. Kraemer with the aid of his charming daughters, Misses Lize, Amelia, Belle and Bella, in honor of their guests, Mr. Urban Ross of Mobile Ala., and Miss Colia Bennen of Eunice La. The day was pleasantly spent. The young folks amused themselves by catching an enormous lot of fish, while the elder folks talked over olden times. In the evening the crowd gathered at the lovely home of Mr. L. Kraemer where refreshments were served, after which a progressive euchre party was indulged in to a late hour, when all returned home well pleased with the day's enjoyment. Those who took part were as follows: Misses Lize Kraemer, C. Bennen, L. Kraemer, I. Irvine, A. Kraemer, C. Kraemer. Messrs Wilfred Kraemer, R. Caillouet, A. Kraemer, L. Leche, O. Kraemer, R. Irvine, E. Kraemer, G. Caillouet, G. Beltan, S. Kraemer, U. Ross, L. Beltan, L. Kraemer. Chapmans Mrs. S. Kraemer, Mrs. J. Bernard and Mrs. L. Kraemer.

The Town You Live In.

A writer in an exchange, who is a student of human nature, says it is not the site of the town, but its character that makes it a desirable place to live in. A live and prosperous town may live and prosper, however small. Every citizen in a town should be interested in its prosperity. One of the ways to help a town is to speak well of it. It is true patriotism to stand by your town and its interests. As a man who speaks ill of himself and family lowers both himself and family, too, in the estimation of others, so does the man who cares little for his own town and community. The man who is respected by others respects himself and neighbors, and patriotism begins at home. Another way to help your own town is to do all you can to beautify it. Beautify your own property all you can and then beautify the street.

THE RACKET STORE, Phone 130. Chas A. Badeaux, Prop Main St. Badeaux building.

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Advertisement for Ellis Braud's Sons' 'R & W' Trousers for 1902, featuring an illustration of a man in a suit and text describing the quality and style of the garments.

WOMEN WHO SAVE.

You would be surprised to see the number of women depositors we have. They are women who are very wisely providing for the future. The woman who has never opened a bank account will be surprised to find how quickly a small weekly deposit will become a "sug bank account."

All women need bank accounts. The young woman needs to lay up a little money for her coming marriage. The mother needs to provide for her children and herself in case of death and other misfortune.

E. G. Rebichaux, Bank of Thibodaux, C. P. Shaver, PRESIDENT, CASHIER.