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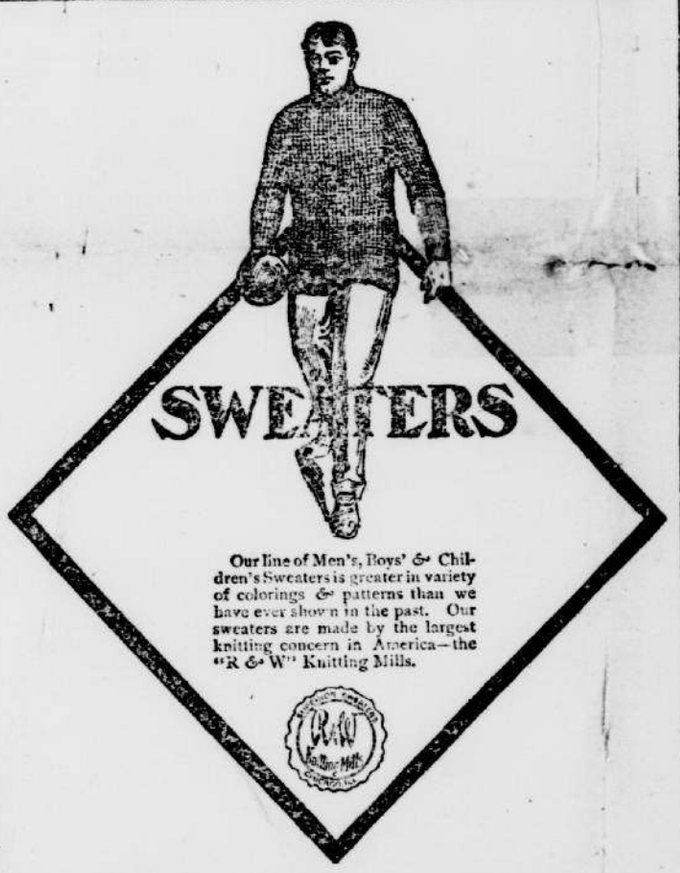

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A clerk in furnishing Store for Holiday season. In applying send references, Address "Clerk" care Sentinel Office.

Necrological.

Hon. Charles J. Barker.

The people of Lafourche mourn the loss of a good man whom they have long loved and esteemed as a friend and worthy public servant. Charles Jacob Barker is no more of this world. On last Sunday night about 9 o'clock the grim monster, Death, claimed him as his own, and after having received all the spiritual consolation which his mother, the Catholic Church, bestows upon her sick and dying children, and being fully resigned to the Divine Will, his spirit peacefully winged its flight to its eternal reward.

The deceased had been unwell for years, and often suffered much but always without complaining. The final and fatal spell of illness came on him some seven or eight weeks ago, and rapidly grew worse and worse and more alarming, in spite of all medical aid and good nursing.

The funeral which took place Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock at St. Joseph's Catholic Church was largely attended, many coming from distant parts of the parish to pay the last tribute of respect to their departed friend. The Catholic Knights and

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members of the Y. M. B. A. attended in a body, and the remains were borne to their last resting place by members of the former order. Very Rev. Father Dubourg, assisted by Rev. Fathers Ravoire and Simon, having begun the funeral ceremony at the residence, preceded the funeral cortege to the church. The ceremonies in church were, as usual, solemn and impressive.

At the grave, after the completion of the religious ceremonies, Hon. H. N. Coulon, on behalf of the Comrades of the Braxton Bragg Camp, U. C. V., of which the deceased was a member, read in a loud, tremulous and impressive voice a touching farewell to their departed comrade, a simple ceremony which deeply moved all present, and caused furtive tears to start from the eyes of the few—for their ranks are now fast thinning out—old veterans, assembled around the bier of their old comrade who had just answered the last roll call in the fitful journey through that brief span of time on earth which we call Life.

Charles Jacob Barker was born in this parish in the neighborhood of the Cut Off on January 25, 1845, and was consequently nearly 58 years of age at the time of his death. His parents moved to Lockport in January 1848, where the deceased continued to reside until 1888 when he became connected with the Clerk's office and took up his residence in this town. He however, always retained a fond attachment for Lockport, the home of his boyhood, of his youth and of his early manhood, and it was ever his desire, when summoned to his eternal rest, to have his bones gathered by the side of those of his father and mother resting in the quiet solitude of the cemetery within the shadow of the Church of the Holy Savior of that village—a wish which will be fulfilled in the end.

He received his primary education in the public school of Lockport, and then entered the Kentucky Military Institute at Frankfort, where he was engaged in the peaceful pursuit of his studies when the war broke out. Like many another gallant Louisiana boy, his young heart was fired by patriotism and he returned home to join the Confederate army. He joined the Lafourche Creoles, 18th La. Regiment, Trans-Mississippi Department, and served creditably to the end. He was desperately wounded at the battle of Mansfield, where he lost his right leg.

In 1866 the deceased was married to Miss Eliska LeBlanc, a daughter of Adolphe LeBlanc, at one time a prosperous sugar planter of lower Lafourche. Of that union four children survive with their mother to mourn the loss of a good father and kind and loving husband, namely, Mrs. Lee Foret, Miss Isabella, and Charles J. and Richard Barker, the last three all minors,—Richard, the youngest, being about thirteen years of age.

The deceased was always a Democrat in politics and possessed the confidence and esteem of the people. He served one term in the legislature, shortly after the war; was a justice of the peace for a number of years.

In 1880 he was appointed a notary public and exercised the functions of that office at Lockport until he moved here.

On June 4th, 1888, he was appointed deputy clerk of court by the late J. W. Knobloch, then clerk of court, and at once entered upon the discharge of the responsible duties of his office, and thenceforth remained in the clerk's office until the hour of his death, having been elected clerk in 1892, re-elected in 1896, and again in 1900, without opposition this last time.

Two years after he had become a resident of our town he had so acquired the esteem and respect of our people that he was elected a trustee of the town in 1890, a position which he filled for one term only, because he absolutely refused to stand for re-election.

At the time of his death he was, and had been for years, vice president of the Bank of Lafourche, and one of its most trusted director.

Charles Barker was an even tempered man, of an unassuming disposition, somewhat reserved, but courteous though undemonstrative. To many who knew him not well, he may have seemed at times a little haughty, but it was not so; he was ever thoroughly democratic, on the contrary, though of a somewhat diffident and retiring nature.

He never spoke ill of any one, but was, on the contrary, charitable toward all, and never missed an opportunity to say a good word in behalf of his neighbor.

It was in the domestic circle that the deceased appeared at his best. He was a devoted, loving husband, a kind and indulgent father, and was never happier than when in the midst of his own, in his home, or when ministering to their comfort and happiness.

His domestic affections were not limited to his wife and children; his love for his brothers, especially for his brother Frank, who preceded him to the grave by a very short time, and for his only sister, Mrs. Davenport, of our town, was great and beautiful to behold. Indeed, it is believed that the shock given him by the death of his beloved brother, aggravated his malady and hastened his death.

By the death of Charles J. Barker, the parish has lost one of its best citizens, his family, their mainstay, solace and comforter, a devoted husband and father, many, a true and tried friend, and the world, a good, true, Christian man.

What greater tribute could any man desire than to have it truthfully said of him, at the end of his earthly career, that he has lived and died as a good, true, Christian and God fearing man? To that tribute, Charles J. Barker is justly entitled, and the writer of these lines feels that he is voicing the sentiments of the whole community in thus wreathing it about his memory as a slight token of the friendship and love of the many who have known him but to respect and esteem him. *R. I. P.*

Mrs. Charles François Gaudé.

Near midnight on Sunday last, Death invaded the home of Mr Charles Myrtile Gaudé, near Lafourche Crossing, and claimed as his own, the venerable Mrs. Charles Francois Gaudé, the beloved mother of the said C. M. Gaudé and Mrs. G. A. Coignet.

The deceased was a native of this parish, and aged 83 years 1 month and 28 days. As she had followed closely the late lamented Charles J. Barker in obeying the dread summons, likewise did her remains closely follow his to their last resting place; for her funeral took place immediately after his at St. Joseph's Catholic Church.

It was largely attended and the ceremonies, including mass, Rev. Father Dubourg officiating, were solemn and impressive. One touching incident was the fact that she was borne to her grave by her grand sons, among whom was Mr. J. A. Octave Coignet, of the law firm of Coignet & Knobloch, of this town. *R. I. P.*

J. L. Bergeron.

This young man, a native of this parish, a son of Arthur Bergeron and Emma Daunis, his wife, died on Saturday morning, December 20th, 1902, at the family residence, at Bayou Sara, La., aged 27 years, 5 months and 28 days.

His funeral took place on Sunday Dec. 21st, and was attended by Mr. Jos. Daunis and Mrs. Leo. J. Boudreaux, the uncle and aunt of the deceased, whose mother is their half sister. *R. I. P.*

Oscar Augustin Gaudet.

The remains of Oscar Augustin Gaudet, who had died at his home in Lake Charles the day previous, were brought here last Sunday, and his funeral took place immediately after high mass at St. Joseph's Church.

The deceased who was 54 years and 11 months of age, was a native of this parish, and well known in this town where he resided during many years, working at his trade of carpenter. He had also married here Miss Mamie Bourgeois, daughter of the late Alfred Bourgeois, an old townsman. He was therefore well known here and numbered many friends and acquaintances who were grieved by his death.

He was a member of the Woodmen of the World, and a delegation of that order accompanied his remains here, where the members of the local lodge joined them and followed the body to the grave. *R. I. P.*

Mrs. A. E. Carey.

On last Tuesday night this estimable young wife departed this life at her home in New Orleans, after a lingering illness. The interment took place in the city on Wednesday.

Mrs. Carey's maiden name was Lucy Hogan, a native of this town, and a daughter of our worthy towns people Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Hogan, who have the sympathy of the whole community in the sad hour of their bereavement. *R. I. P.*

[redacted] Congelozzi.

[redacted] Congelozzi died last Saturday at his residence in the Bourgeois Settlement, aged 42 years and three months. His funeral took place Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock at St. Joseph's Church.

The deceased was a native of Italy who came to this country at the age of eighteen years, and has lived here ever since. He was a man of upright conduct, and made many friends in this parish where he settled many years ago.

Sixteen years ago he was married to Miss Bourgeois, a daughter of our esteemed fellow citizen Mr. John B. Bourgeois, of the 5th, Ward, and his wife and five children survive him to mourn his untimely loss.

Death, sad always for those left behind, had a sadder element than usual in the case of Mr. Congelozzi, for he longed to see his aged mother and sister, and had recently sent money to them over in the old country to pay their fare here, and expected soon to gaze once more upon the familiar features of his old mother and to embrace her once more as only a loving son can, but death came too soon.

R. I. P.

Mr. J. J. Piedra who was employed as sugar weigher on the Waubun Plantation, dropped dead while attending to his work. Heart trouble is supposed to have been the cause of his death. He was a resident of Mississippi. The funeral took place at St. Joseph's Catholic church on Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock.

In Memoriam.

Thibodaux, La., Dec. 30, 1902.

At a special meeting of the Catholic Knights of America, Branch 336, held this day, the following resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, it has pleased the Almighty Dispenser of human events to call from the field of his earthly activities our brother Knight, Charles J. Barker, late Clerk of the 20th Judicial District Court of the State of Louisiana; therefore be it

Resolved, That whilst we bow reverently to the dispensation of the Almighty, we express our sense, that in the death of our brother, Charles J. Barker, our parish has lost an efficient officer, the members of our branch, a faithful co-worker, and his family a noble and worthy husband and father.

Resolved, That we, his fellow members of Branch 336, do hereby express our full appreciation of his admirable qualities of heart and mind, of faithful service as a man, as a citizen and as an official member of our State Judicial system.

Resolved, Thot this testimonial of our esteem for Brother Charles J. Barker and of our sympathy with his widow and his children, be spread upon the records of this Branch, and that copies be sent to the family and to the local newspapers and C. K. of A. Journal.

John M. Walsh, Chairman.
A. F. Knobloch,
Thos. A. Badeaux,
A. J. Braud.
Committee.

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