

DAILY TELEGRAPH.

C. P. KELLET, Associate Editor.
Official Journal of the City of Monroe
MONROE, LA. JULY 3, 1886.

Gerspach's Opera House.

THURSDAY, JULY 30, 1886.
Benefit of Monroe Public Library.
The first appearance of the
PELICAN WARELERS
MONROE AMATEUR COMEDY COMPANY,
A. W. KELLER, Manager.

In their Renowned Plays of
THE EX-CONVICT,
BOX AND COX.
—AND—
THE TWO AWFULS.
MINSTRELSY, BURLESQUE PERFORMANCES, ETC.

FUN! FUN! FUN!!
Laugh You Will!
Cry You Must!
COME ONE! COME ALL!
Music will be furnished by the MONROE
BIASS BAND.

An extract from the Morehouse Sentinel of June 16th, 1886:
"The Monroe Amateurs played last Wednesday night at Levy's Hall. The plays were good, and were heartily enjoyed and cheered by the audience. Although the weather was very inclement, still a good house greeted them. The young men performed their parts well, and Mr. A. W. Keller in the role of the darkey was inimitable. We wish the company much success."
Admission.....50 c'ts.
Children.....25 c'ts.
Reserved Seats at Sholar's Drug Store.

CHEAP COLUMN—PAY LOCALS.

ICE!
Ice houses have been established at the Cotton yard and at Jeter's Butcher Shop in Five Points.
Ice delivered in lots of 10 lbs. and upwards to parties who take that quantity regularly every day. Parties wishing ice delivered will notify Mr. Johnson at the Factory of the Monroe Ice Company.
WANTED TO RENT—A small dwelling house centrally located, near the passenger depot of V. S. & P. R. R. Terms of rent must be reasonable. Apply at this office.
FOR SALE—Having secured a large and fine lot of cypress timber I am enabled to fill all orders for cypress shaved shingles on short notice. Address all orders to
H. T. BENOIT,
Monroe, La.

TO SUBSCRIBERS.
Parties not receiving their paper regularly will confer a favor by filing their complaints with the business manager.

Fruit jars! fruit jars—pints, quarts and half gallons—at,
TROUSDALE BROS.

Mrs. M. J. Liddell, who has been absent for the past three weeks visiting relatives and friends at her former home in Wilkinson county, Miss., returned home this morning on the steamer Corona.

The river at this point is full 15 feet above low water mark—something quite unusual at this season of the year—and the decline is small comparing with previous years. Navigation will perhaps remain open until sometime in August.

The Trinity Herald says that crops on lower Ouachita and Black rivers are looking well, but that the crops will be about three weeks late.

Services at Grace Episcopal church tomorrow, (Sunday,) will be held as follows: Sunday School at 9 o'clock a.m.; Matins and Sermon on "Ritual" at 11 o'clock a.m., and Even—Song at 8 p.m., at which all are cordially invited to attend.

Our citizens who want nice fresh and palatable beef, should read the card of Mr. T. J. Webb which appears elsewhere. His market is next to R. J. Nelson's and he proposes to keep only the very best of meat. Give him a call and be convinced.

Mr. R. W. Faulk who has been attending the Kentucky Law School at Louisville, returned last night by rail, and left for his home this evening. He is looking in good health and will spend the summer at his Ouachita home.

Independence Day.

To-morrow—and ah! it falls on the "Lord's Day" too, the American people celebrate the most glorious day in the history and annals of their country—the 4th day of July 1886, and the 110th year of their independence. Today there is no single power on the face of the globe that would, unaided by other powers, attempt an intrusion by force on the free government of the people of the United States; and, though her population is made up of all classes of foreigners and native born, there is no doubt but that the former would shoulder arms today along with the latter and go in with the same determination which imbued the colonist in 1776, and which caused the appellation of "Father of his Country" to be given to George Washington. It behooves the American people to rejoice and bless the Lord on His day—tomorrow.

WESTMONROE DOTS.

[FROM OUR REGULAR REPORTER.]

Mr. T. F. Millsaps we are glad to note is able to be out again.

Services will be held at the new Methodist church in West Monroe tomorrow (Sunday). Don't fail to attend.

If a man is desirous of ascertaining his standing with his people, just let him offer for any official position.

Our young friend Jao. R. Hanna the popular bookkeeper of the hardware establishment of Sublett Bros., was in town yesterday.

West Monroe is improving somewhat and is fast assuming the appearance of a town.

The Excelsior saw and planing mills shipped 5 car loads railroad timbers by yesterday's train.

The "Dotter," with a number of friends, left on this morning's train to witness the match game of base ball between the Monroe and Colony clubs, to be played at the latter place.

Capt. W. T. Oak's corn crop is looking finely but he informs us that his cotton is a little in the grass.

The "Dotter" sends you the following poetical effusion on the Congressional race and he sends it in as a "sample." Other "samples" of a liquid nature will doubtless flow freely ere the ides of November, but for the present we will content ourself with submitting the following:

J. Floyd King is a schemer,
Others dote on fame—
While Newton has'n't a word to say:
But will get there all the same.

Young is blowing his trumpet;
Murdock is blowing his horn;
Not a single note from Newton's tongue,
But he'll "get there" sure's you born.

Wells is down in Richland;
Graham is up in the hills;
But the name of Columbus Newton,
Their hope forever kills.

Then comes our fellow "Citizen,"
Who wants to take a hand,
But the Newton men, of West Monroe,
Have already got the stand.

Work on the base ball grounds is progressing favorably, and it will not be many days before our boys will have a splendid field whereon to show their proficiency.

The Catahoula News of to-day says: Miss Lillie Prichard, from Monroe is visiting her mother and friends at this place.

The Catahoula News On The Congressional Question.

The Catahoula News is one of the two papers in the fifth district that has come out in favor of the re-election of Gen. King. The reason given by the News is that the General should be "trotted out" rather than there should be a split in the party

DRY FACTS ON P

E. H. RILLS

Will discount the retail market price on
PAPER, PENS, INK
—AND—
STATIONARY GENERALLY

BREECH & MUZZLE LOADING SHOT GUNS, PISTOLS, CATRIDGES, SHELLS,
And Sporting Goods of All Kinds
Will be sold at lowest prices at

E. H. RILLS' BOOKSTORE,
No. 15 Grand Street, Monroe, La.
All goods sold will prove as represented, or money refunded.

EZELIUS BROTHERS,

—DEALER IN—

FAMILY & FANCY GROCERIES, TOBACCO,
(Wines, Liquors and Country Produce.)

Corner of DeSiard and Sixth Streets, Monroe, La.
This is a new firm lately established, and keeps on hand the choicest and freshest Groceries, as well also as choice Wines, Liquors, Cigars, Tobacco, Etc.
Polite attention and full weight guaranteed all.

D. G. TROUSDALE. J. H. TROUSDALE

TROUSDALE BROTHERS,

NO. 17 DeSIARD STREET, MONROE, LA.

—DEALER IN—

Family and Fancy Groceries, Farming Implements, Etc.

HIGHEST PRICE PAID FOR COUNTRY PRODUCE.

that would cause the election of a Republican. Does this mean that Gen. King will be a candidate whether chosen by the convention or not.—*Times Democrat.*

The News did not mean that Gen. King would run without the endorsement of the party and we fail to see the slightest room for such an inference from the article referred to. Two candidates were before the voters of this Dist., at the last election each claiming to be the nominee and Gen. King was one of them. Does the Times Democrat think that he was then an independent?

The Fort Scott, Kansas, Monitor, Gen. John H. Rice's paper, under the date of June the 29th says: "Gen. John H. Rice returned yesterday from Louisiana, where he went to look after some legislation at Baton Rouge in the interest of the North and South Rail Road. His trip was eminently successful." From this it is to be inferred that the North and South Rail Road would be built, "eminently successful" has a very broad meaning here—meaning that the legislation wanted before starting to build the road has been secured.

The Ascension Democrat has a correspondent at Washington, who is rather pert in his remarks. In a communication to that paper he says regarding a reception at the White House: "Mrs. Cleveland's beauty decidedly eclipsed that of all the Cabinet ladies and their daughters. She was by far, the most beautiful woman in the White House last night. She was exquisitely dressed in her wedding gown of white satin. It was cut in the regular 'low and behold,' fashion, but not to such extremes that there was only a bare possibility of any further achievements in that direction.

A special to the New Orleans States from Washington, says that the capital to build a railroad from Mobile to Dauphine Island, off the Gulf coast, has been secured and that the company is to put \$1,500,000 into the road. The company may utilize the pro-

posed charter of the Gulf and Chicago Air Line Rail Road. This line is projected from Dauphine Island northward through Alabama and Tennessee, crossing the Tennessee river at Mussel Shoals and terminating at Henderson, Kentucky.

SUMMER MILLINERY.

Mrs. M. J. McKenna desires to inform the Ladies that they can now purchase from her Summer Millinery at greatly reduced prices. The Ladies are requested to bear this fact in mind.
Mrs. M. J. McKenna.

GEM SALOON,
W. S. LEYENS, Proprietor.
No. 22 DeSIARD STREET,
(Next floor to Sholar's Drug Store.)
MONROE, LA.

THE GEM IS CONSTANTLY supplied with Imported and Domestic Wines and Liquors, and Imported and Domestic Cigars, all new and fresh. Mixed Drinks prepared with care, and polite attention will be received by all.

ALEXMUNSCH,
Blacksmith and Wheelwright,
ST. JOHN STREET.

Between Grammont and Wood Streets.
MONROE, LA.

Particular attention paid to all business entrusted to him.
CHARGES REASONABLE.

Monroe, La., June 2, 1886.
CORNER SALOON,
DeSIARD STREET, MONROE, LA.,
M. L. Berberovich.
PROPRIETOR.

The patrons of this saloon may be assured that the best of wines, liquors and cigars will be offered them under the new as well as the former management and that good order shall be observed and polite attention shown my guest.
Bottled and keg beer kept on ice. Beer 5 cents a glass.
M. L. BERBEROVICH.
Successor to G. A. PRISTON.

J. W. GOSS,
DeSiard Street,
—Dealer In—
GROCERIES AND COUNTRY PRODUCE
OYSTERS, FISH, GAME, ETC.
MEALS SERVED AT 25 CENTS